

In the name of God Amen I John Jones
of Wrightsborough Township in the parish of St
pauls in the Province of Georgia being sick and
weak of Body but of sound and disposing mind
and Memory praise be given to God for the same. And
considering the uncertainty of this life and being
willing to settle my outward affairs in due time.
do make, Ordain, Constitute and Appoint this to be
my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following
I Give and Bequeath unto my eldest son
Richard Jones Twenty Shillings Sterling to be paid
in one year after my Decease

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Ann Brown
Ten Shillings Sterling to be paid in one year after my
Decease

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Philippa
Manfield Five Shillings Sterling

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Margaret Day
Five Shillings Sterling

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my son James Jones Five
Shillings Sterling. and Apprehending him to be weak
in his senses and not duly capable to manage the af-
fairs of this life to advantage. So therefore Will and
Direct my two sons Jonathan Jones and Nathan Jones
to take due and proper care of him my sd son James
Jones and supply him with food and Raiment he may
have Real Provision of for the necessary support of life

Out of the Lands and Estate hereinafter Assigned
When all the time he can be persuaded when to dwell
with them or either of them.

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my son John Jones Five
Shillings Sterling.

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Mary Anglin
Five Shillings Sterling.

Item It is my Will that my Loving Wife Mary shall
have possess and enjoy the Houses Plantation and
Improvements whereon I now dwell during her
Natural life.

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my two sons Jonathan
Jones and Nathan Jones their Heirs and Assigns
forever all my Plantation Tract and parcel
of Land whereon I now dwell containing in
whole Four Hundred Acres being in two Surveys
To be Equally Divided between them in Goodness
and Quality Share and Share alike reserving the
Houses and Plantation and Improvements for my
Loving wife Mary to dwell on during her natural
life only. I do also Give and Bequeath unto my
two above named sons Jonathan & Nathan Jones
all my Right and Claim to one other Tract of Land
containing one hundred Acres of Land situate in
the Parish aforesaid adjoining the above mentioned
Tract to be Equally Divided as Directed in the other
Tract Share and Share alike, and it is my Will
that they my two sons Jonathan & Nathan

as in consideration of all the said Sands now bequeathed
to them their Heirs and Assigns take due and proper
care of my son James Jones while he can be prevailed
upon to dwell with them as above Directed, also my
Will is that if either of my said two sons Jonathan
and Nathan Jones should Die before he arrives at
Lawfull age then the survivor of them shall have
possefs and Enjoy all the above mentioned Plantations
Tracts or parcels of Land

Item All the Residue and Remainder of my Estate of
whatsoever kind quality nature or condition was
ever I Give and bequeath to my loving Wife Mary
to her her Heirs and Assigns forever.

Item I hereby Authorize and Impower my Executor and
Executrix hereafter named on Receipt of the Ma-
ny due for the same to make Over Convey Assign
and Confirm unto John Coats his Heirs and Assigns
all that plantation Tract and parcel of Land
situate at or near Bush River in South Carolina
by a Deed or Deeds Good and Valid in Law.

Lastly I Nominate Constitute and Appoint my Loving
friend Daniel Williams Executor and my Loving
Wife Mary Executrix of this my Last Will and
Testament hereby Ratifying and Confirming the
same In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my
Hand and Seal this 18th Day of the 1st Month

One thousand seven hundred and eighty one.

Signed sealed and Acknowledged

by the said John Jones to be his
Last Will and Testament in the

presence of

James Shultz

Nathaniel

Sudanna

John Jones

Memorandum that on the Twenty eighth
Day of January in the year of our Lord one
Thousand seven hundred and eighty three Before
us James Bowell and James M. Farland Justs
of the Justices Assigned to keep the peace for
the County of Richmond Personally came and
appeared Nathaniel Jackson and Susanna Butler
and on their solemn Affirmation Declares that they saw
the within ^{Named} John Jones sign Seal and Acknowledge
the within ~~Write~~ his Last Will and Testament
and also saw John Stubbs the other Witness sub-
scribe his Name as a Witness thereto

Sworn to before us the Day
and year above Written

Nathaniel Jackson
Susanna Butler

J. B. Bowell JP.
J. M. Farland JP.

Georgia State Personally appeared John Stubbs
Richmond County who being duly Qualified affirmeth
that he was personally present and
saw John Jones Deceased sign Seal and Declare the above
to be and contain his last Will and Testament and that he
was of sound mind and memory to the best of his knowledge
and belief and that he signed his name as witness to the said
Will at the request and in the presence of the Testator and
in the presence of Nathaniel Jackson and Susannah Butler
the other Subscribing Witnesses John Stubbs

Qualified before me the
11th day of October in the
year of our Lord one thousand
seven hundred and eighty three