

In the name of God, amen I Malachi Read of Lunenburg County
 being at this present time weak in body and sick but of a disposing
 mind and memory and in perfect sense do hereby make to almighty God
 the do make this my last will and Testament.
 Item I Give and bequeath to my well beloved wife Sally Read
 the one half of the land and plantation whereon I now dwell during my
 natural life or widowhood and but if in case my said wife
 should die any time maner then for to have the one third
 part of said land during her life Item at the Death
 or marriage of my wife I Give and bequeath to my son
 William Read the land and plantation whereon I now dwell
 containing two hundred and five acres of land more or less to him
 and his heirs forever. Item I Give and bequeath to my
 said wife Sally Read all my free farm park and hoggs
 Land also I Give to my said wife Sally Read all my personal
 Estate including my negroes to her during her natural life
 or widowhood and but if in case she shall at any time
 marry then for her to have the one third part of my
 negroes during her natural life, and the one third part
 of my personal Estate I Give to her and her heirs forever.
 Item I Give and bequeath to my Son William Read one
 negro boy called Appia, after my wife's death or marriage
 to him and his heirs forever. Item I Give and bequeath
 unto my daughter Nancy Read fifty acres of land being the
 Land formerly the property of John West sen. to her and
 her heirs forever. Item I Give and bequeath to my Daughter
 Sally Read fifty acres of land being the land which my father Will.
 Read bought of M^r Maximilian and Joseph Mutton to
 her and her heirs forever. Item I Give and bequeath unto
 my daughter Nancy Read thirty five acres of land
 more or less lying in Princess Ann County to her and
 her heirs forever. Lastly I leave all the term and of my
 negroes and moveables to be equally divided at my
 wife's death or marriage as before mentioned between my
 three Daughters Sally Sally and Nancy and their heirs forever.

10 But if in case my wife should have a child in the
 space of nine months my wife is that the said child
 should have an equal proportion of the legacies given
 to my three daughters before mentioned to him or her
 And here on her heirs partly I nominate and constitute
 my appointed my wife Sally Read and my trusty friend
 Samuel Sumner, my whole and sole executor of
 this my last will and Testament, revoking all other wills
 or wills by me made ratifying and confirming this
 the my last will and Testament and to the growth
 of the same I have hereunto set my hand and fixed my seal this
 30th Day of January 1805.
 Signed sealed and pronounced to be my last
 Will and Testament in the presence of
 Mrs. Woodard
 John Weaver
 Sally Marchant Sarah
 Read and examined the 12th June anno Domini 1805.

Malachi Read
 John Weaver
 Sally Marchant Sarah
 Read and examined the 12th June anno Domini 1805.

In the name of God, amen I John Simmons of
 Norfolk County Virginia knowing the certainty of Death at
 the uncertainty of when do make this my last will and
 Testament as followeth I Give and bequeath to my Son
 William Simmons the one half of my land and plantation in the
 County to him and his heirs forever also I Give to him
 the thing I left with him and I mortgage to him
 to wit two negroes Mary Anne and Peter two feather beds
 Sunday other things to him and his heirs forever and
 more he is to have no part of my estate that I have
 Virginia I witness whereof I have signed dated 19th Hill Country
 the 19th day of May anno Domini 1805
 Signed sealed and pronounced to be my last will and
 Testament in the presence of James Phillips and
 James Phillips and James Phillips and James Phillips
 and examined the 22nd day of June 1805