

I give to my wife Rebecca and her children
whichever of the remaining part of the said
lands and meadows of my Dwelling House, and also
the house that is in Providence, and a small
Tract of Land that is in East Greenwich, adjoining to
the Richard Calhoun's Tract, and an Iron ore
Tract to my son James (Babington) the other half
of the aforesaid Lands and Dwelling House with the
Right to have freely to be possessed & enjoyed.

I Do shew & constitute make & ordain my
son John and James Babington, to be my heirs
of this my last Will and Testament: and thereby
utterly Disavow every one & Disavow all and
every other former Testament, Will & Legacies, requests
and Executor by me in anywise before this time
made, Willed and Bequeathed hereby saying and
confirming this and no other to be my last will
and Testament: In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal the Day and
Year above Written.

Richard P. Babington (seal)
his hand

Signed, sealed, Published, Proven and Delivered by
the said Richard Babington as his last Will and
Testament: in the presence of us the subscribers &

John Foster

John Bond

John Foster

Witnessed at the Day of
Providence in the County of Kent
the said John Foster and John Bond and John Foster who being duly
sworn on the Holy Evangelist say that they each of them were
present at the said Richard Babington's last Will and Testament
as above written and did see the said Richard Babington
set his hand, seal, Publish and Deliver the said Writing to be
his last Will and Testament: the day of the date
hereof

And that the said Testator was of sound and disposing
Mind and memory at the same time.

I

In the Name of God Amen the Eight day of September
1700 Thomas and Susan Thunders and Florenty Robert
living in the Parish of St. James on Park Church in
the Province of North Carolina E. I. being sick and
weak in Body, late of perfect and sound mind and
memory, Thanks be given unto God, therefore Calling unto
mind the Mortality, and knowing that it is appointed
for all men once to die, Do make and ordain this my
last Will and Testament: that is to say first and
Principally, I give and recommend my soul into the
Hands of God who gave it, and my Body I recommend
to the earth to be buried in a decent Christian Burial, in
a Christian Order (I give by the Will of my Daughter Margaret
Thunders late of this Province Deceased, Nothing doubting but
at the general resurrection, I shall receive the same
again by the mighty Power of God, and as Touching
such worldly Estate, wherewith it hath pleased God to
Bless me in this Life, I give Devise and Dispose of the
same in the following manner and form (that is to say)
I give, will, and bequeath that all these Debts and Duties as I owe
in Right or Conscience to any manner of Person or
Persons whatsoever and whosoever my funeral
Expenses, be well and truly contented and paid to in

144) coincident time after my Decease by my Executors
hereafter named
I Give and bequeath to my dear my beloved wife
during her Natural life all my lands and
Estate in Berkshire, or elsewhere within the
Kingdom of Great Britain to Land Inclosed
from the Title of W. Wills. Herts. &c. late of
Buckingham in the County of Bucks. Plunder Death.
I Give and bequeath to my dear my beloved wife
all my Town hold goods and jewels to her heirs
for ever
I Give and require that my Loving Friend
Mr. John Fairbridge, shall provide for and maintain
his daughter my Loving Wife Mary, during her
widowhood with necessary Provision and
allowance in her own Fee and House to both fully at
her command, during the term last aforesaid
I Give and bequeath to my Loving
Friendman Mr. John Fairbridge, now residing at
his own Estate both real and Personal, not
already Disposed of in the former part of this will
in full and Quality over, to and to his time
of and to the time of my Decease, shall belong
to me in the Province of North Carolina to him
and his heirs forever, And further to and upon
the Decease of my Loving Wife Mary, I Give
and bequeath to my said Friendman Mr. John
Fairbridge, all my aforesaid Lands and Estate
in Berkshire or elsewhere in the Kingdom of
Great Britain to him and his heirs forever
I provided over the last that if my said
Friendman Mr. John Fairbridge, and his daughter
my Loving Wife Mary, shall jointly or severally
sell and Dispose of the said Land and Estate in
Berkshire or elsewhere in the Kingdom of
Great Britain within Eighteen Months after the
Date

Whereof payment to be paid to my Loving Friendman Mr.
John Fairbridge of Edmundsbury in the County of
Suffolk in the Kingdom of Great Britain, the sum of
Five or Six hundred pounds, Money of Great Britain, and I hereby constitute make
and ordain my said Friendman Mr. John Fairbridge to be
and only Executor of this my last will and Testament
in all things, receiving and Discharging all and every
other former Testaments, Legacies and Bequests to
Executors by me in any way, Name, Will and
Requashed, Ratifying and Confirming this and no
Other to be my last Will and Testament. In Witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the
day and Year first above Written
Signed Sealed, published
pronounced & Declared by
the said Rob. Thomas & his
last Will and Testament, in
the presence of us his subscribers
J. Moore
J. Green
J. Bayly

Rob. Thomas (at)

Memorandum that on this 26 day of Septemb: 1720
Personally came and appeared before me the Wm.
David John Green and John Bayly who being duly
sworn on the Holy Evangelists by that they and each of
them were of the County of Suffolk and did to the within Testator
Robert Thomas, sign Seal and Deliver the last Writing to be
his last Will and as aid for his last Will and Testament and did
so the Wm. John Moore, sign his name as witnesses the day of
the date thereof and that the said Testator was of sound and
Disposing mind and memory at the same time