



I Michael Holland being in perfect health and Memory do make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following
Item. I give devise and Bequeath unto my Wife Judith Holland and to her heirs forever light divided acres Land whereon formerly Primals now lies in Louisa County. I also give unto my said Wife during her Natural life light divided acres Land on Sirkinghole Creek with two plantations thereon and the Use of the Stocks of Cattle and Hogs and all my Household Goods for her own Support and not to Sell, as also the Use of my said Wife and Profit of the Labour of the six following Negroes Frank Pompey, Will, Alan, Dennis, Dick, which Negroes after her Decease I will Direct and Appoint to be sold by my Executors and the Money Equally divided Between the Children of my said Son John when they arrive at Age or Maried.
Item. I give devise a Bequeath to my son John Holland and to his heirs forever after the said Judith my Wife's Death the aforesaid light divided acres Land on Sirkinghole Creek with the two plantations thereon and the Stocks of Cattle and Hogs likewise a Negro Woman named Dagee her three Children and a maid.
Item. I give devise and Bequeath unto my son Michael Holland and to his heirs forever four hundred acres of Land lying in Louisa County which I bought of Leadork and fifty pounds Curr. Money to be paid light soon Months after my Death.
Item. I give and Bequeath to my son in law Pompey Anderson and to his heirs forever four hundred acres Land on Sirkinghole Creek which he now has in Possession also five hundred acres Land adjacent thereto two hundred acres I bought of W. Owen and the Land lying Between Owens and Potters being one hundred and fifty six acres and as much more buying Owens as will make up the five hundred also I give my said son in law two Negroes which he now has in Possession Thom and David likewise I give him Dampkins and his Wife called Judith and their two Children Venus and Roger.
Item. I give devise and Bequeath unto my son Richard Holland and to his heirs forever a plantation lying in Louisa County which I bought of Ambrose Smith, also a plantation called W. R. Smiths Branch in Dennis County whereon he now has two hundred acres Land and four hundred and fifty acres Land I promise to give him buying there to whom on W. W. S. formerly lived I also give him the following Negroes

Danny, Alan, Robin, Sarah, and two of her Children and a Negro Boy called Tommy and fifty pounds Curr. Money to be paid light soon Months after my Death.
Item. I give devise and Bequeath to my son George Holland and to his heirs forever seven hundred acres Land in Louisa County which I bought of Cap. James One hundred and fifty acres Land which I bought of John Moor one hundred and fifty acres Land which I bought of Douglas and in Dow of five hundred acres Land I promise my said son on Sirkinghole I give him four hundred acres Land buying the Land I bought of Douglas I also give my said son the following Slaves, Kings, Lucy, and their two Children, Betty and Lilley and a Negro Girl called Zeph and Jack and his Wife called Peg likewise two feather Beds and furniture and all the other Household Goods which is on the S. plantation whereon he now lives likewise twenty head Cattle and two Dogs named Spark and Jack and one half the Hogs on the S. plantation and two breeding Hares, all the above mentioned articles Land, Slaves, Stock and Household Goods and all other Appurtenances here in mentioned I give to my son George in Consideration of a Promis given from under my hand to Mr. W. H. Ford which Obliges me to give my said son five hundred pounds Curr. Money at Bond on Oct. of his Marrying Mr. W. H. Fords Daughter whereon the said Mr. W. H. Ford Obliges him self to give said Daughter Sarah Ford two hundred pounds Curr. Money.
Item. I give devise and Bequeath to my son in law Henry Martin five hundred and twenty two acres Land on Sirkinghole buying to the said Martins own Land likewise I give to my said son in law fifty acres Land lying in Dan. County on the Right side the Road going down the County and about 20 or 25 Miles Below the plantation whereon I lived likewise the following Slaves viz. Cook, Sus, Sarah and their Child named Sus likewise a Girl called Sus and a fellow named Bristol all the five first mentioned Slaves now in his Possession likewise I give to my said son in law fifty pounds Curr. Money to be paid light soon Months after my Death.
Item. I give devise and Bequeath to my Daughters Ann, Susan, and Mary to each of them four hundred pounds Curr. Money two hundred pounds to be paid when of age or married and two hundred pounds to be paid two years after and if either of them shall die before they are of age or married then their or her part or parts of such money to be Equally divided Between the Children of

224. my Sons Michael and Richard Dolland. I likewise give to my Daughter Anne a Negro Girl named Andlan, to my Daughter Susannah a Negro Girl named Patt, to my Daughter Mercy a Negro Girl named Lucy.

Item all the Rest of my Lands Negroes and Personall Estate not before mentioned I Will Direct and appoint to be sold by my Executors Henry Martin, Pomey Anderson, Kirk Dolland and the Attorney to be applyed towards the Payment of my Debts and Legacies and Maintaining my Daughters Anne Susanna and Mercy the Residue when all this Land Negroes and Personall Estate shall be sold I give to be Equally divided Among my Sons John Michael Richard, George and my Daughters Ely, Anderson and Judith Martin.

Item The next Profits of my Estate betwix my Death and the Sale thereof I Will and Direct shall be applyed to the Uses aforesaid and also my Doubtfull Goods after the Death of my Wife.

Item I Will and Direct that my Estate be not brought to any Appraisement.

Item I appoint Henry Martin, Pomey Anderson and Kirk Dolland Guardians to my three Daughters Anne, Susanna and Mercy.

Item I give to my Grandson In Dolland Son of In Dolland five hundred acres Land in Orange County which I Bought of Sir Bryant.

Item I also constitute and appoint my Sons in Law Henry Martin my Son in Law Pomey Anderson and my Sons Richard Dolland to be Executors of this my last Will and Testament and so Dissolve all former Wills by me made In Witness whereof I have hearn to sett my hand and Affixed my Seals this 10th day Octob^r 1746.

Signed Sealed and Delivered to be his last Will in presence of
John Martin, John Pariegh, John Davidland.

At a Court held for Goochland County March 7. 1746
This Will was Proved by the Oaths of the Witnesses here to to be the last Will and Testament of Michael Dolland Deceased and it was thereupon Ordered to be Recorded.

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225. This Indenture made the twenty third Day of September in the Twentieth of the Reigne of our Sovereign Lord George the second by the grace of God of Great Brittain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith etc and in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and forty Six betwix Samuel Atkinson of the Parish of Southam In the County of York Planter of the one part And William Trigg of the same Parish and County of the other part Witnesses that the said Samuel Atkinson for Divers good causes and Considerations but more Especially for and in Considerations of the Sum of thirty pounds Current money to him the said Samuel Atkinson in hand paid by the said William Trigg the Receipt whereof he doth here by acknowledge hath granted Bargained and sold Alised Intossed and confirmed and by those well grant Bargained sold Alised Intossed and confirmed unto the said William Trigg and his heirs forever one certain tract of Land containing by Estimation four hundred acres be the same more or less situate lying and being in the Parish and County aforesaid being the proper Land of him the said Samuel Atkinson as by Letters Patent bearing Date the tenth Day of July one thousand seven hundred and forty five granted unto the said Samuel will appear divided as followeth Viz
Beginning at a White oak William Hunt Senior running thence on Stephen Fox North sixty one poles to a white oak last two hundred and twenty two poles to Pointers thence new lines North twenty Degrees East ninety eight poles to Pointers North twenty Degrees West two hundred and ninety nine poles to a white oak last one hundred and twenty two poles to Pointers thence new lines North twenty Degrees East one hundred and sixty poles to Pointers North twenty Degrees West one hundred and eighty nine poles to Pointers thence new lines the same Course continued sixty one poles to a white oak South ninety five poles to Pointers thence on William Hunt last ninety one poles to the first Station and all houses buildings Lands Trees Downs Ways Advantages and Inheritaments whatsoever to the said Land belonging or appertaining and also the Reversion Reservations Remainder and Removers Rents and Services of all the said premises above mentioned with the Appurtenances and also all the Estate Right Title Interest Claim and Demand whatsoever as well in Equity as in Law of him the said Samuel Atkinson of us and to the said William Trigg and his heirs and every part and Parcel thereof to have and to hold all the said Land and premises above

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I, Michael Holland, being in perfect health and Memory do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following:

Item: I give and devise and bequeath unto my Wife Judith Holland and to her heirs forever eight hundred acres of land whereon Timothy Odenale now lives in Louisa County. I also give unto my said wife during her Natural life eight hundred acres of Land on Licking Hole Creek with two plantations thereon and the use of the Stocks of cattle and hoggs and all my household goods for her own Support and not to sell, as also the use bennefitt and proffitt of the Labour of the six following Negros FFrank, Pompy, Will, Nan, Dennis & Neoll[?] which Negros after her Decease I will Direct and Appoint to be sold by my Executors and the money equally divided between the children of my son John when they arrive at age or Married.

Item: I give devise and bequeath to my son John Holland and to his heirs forever after the said Judith my wife's decease the aforesaid eight hundred acres of land on Lickinghole Creek with the two plantations thereon and the Stocks of cattle and hoggs Likewise a negro woman named Hagor and her three children and Daniell.

Item: I give devise and bequeath unto my son Michael Holland and his heirs forever four hundred acres of land lying in Louisa Co which I bought of Craddock and fifty pounds Curr. money to be paid eighteen months after my Death.

Item: I give and Bequeath to my Son in Law Pouncy Anderson and to his heirs forever four hundred acres Land on Lickinghole Creek which he now has in possession Also five hundred acres Land adjacent thereto tow hundred acres I Bought of Wm. Owen and the Land Lying Between Owens and Potters being one hundred and fifty six and as much more Joyning Owens as will make up the five hundred acres Allso I give my Said Son in Law two Negros which he now has in possession Thom and David. Likewise I give him Hampshire[?] and his Wife Called Judith and their two Children [?] and Roger.

Item: I give Devise and Bequeath unto my Son Richard Holland and two his Heirs forever a Plantation Lying in Louisa Coun'y which I bought of Ambrose Smith also a Plantation called Meridith's Branch[?] in Henrico County whereon he now lives containing five hundred acres Land and four hundred and fifty acres Land I promise to give him Joyning thereto whereon Wm. Web[?] formerly Lived I also give him the following Negros

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Harry, Man, Robin, Sarah and two of her children and a Negro Boy called Tommy and fifty pounds Curr't Money to be paid Eighteen Months after my Death.

Item: I give Devise and Bequeath to my Son George Holland and to his heirs forever Seven Hundred acres Land in Louisa County which I Bought of Cap't Dansio[?] one hundred acres Land which I bought of John Moor One hundred and fifty acres Land which I bought of Duglas, and in Lieu of five hundred acres Land I promised my Said Son on Lickinghole I give him four hundred acres Land Joyning the Land I Bought of Duglas. I also give my Said Son the following Slaves, Mingo, Lucy, and their two Children, Betty, and Dilley, and a Negro girl called Delph[?] and lark[?] and his Wife called Peg. Likewise two feather Beds and furniture and all the other household goods which is on the plantation where he now lives. Likewise Twenty head Cattle and two horses named Spark and lark and one half the hoggs on the S. plantation and two Breeding Mares, al the above mentioned articles Land, Slaves, Stock, and household Goods and all other appurtenances hearin mentioned I give to my Son George in Consideration of a promis given from under my hand to Mr. Wm. FFord which obliges me to give my S. Son Six hundred pounds curr. Money it Being on Acct of his Marrying Mr. Wm. FFords Daughter Wherein the said Mr. Wm. FFord oblidges him selfe to give his Daughter Sarah FFord two hundred pounds Curr't Money.

Item: I give Devise and Bequeath to my Son in Law Henry Martin five hundred and twenty two acres Land on Lickinghole Joyning to the Said Martins own Land Likewise I give to my said Son in Law fifty acres Land Lying in Hano'r County on the Right Side the Road going down the County and about half a Mile Below the plaintation whereon I lived. Likewise the following Slaves vz. Cook, Sno, Sarah, and their Child name Sno Likewise a Girl called Sue and a ffellow named Bristoll the five forementioned Slaves now in his possession. Likewise I give to my Said Son in Law fifty pounds Curr't money to be be paid Eighteen Months after my Death.

Item: I give Devise and Bequeath to my Daughters Anne, Susanna and Marcy to Each of them four hundred pounds Curr't money, two hundred pounds two be paid when of age or married and two hundred pounds to be paid two years after and if either of them shall dye before they are of age or married then their or her part or parts of such money to be equally Divided between the Children of

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my sons Michael and Richard Holland. I likewise give to my daughter Anne a Negro girl name Nan, to my Daughter Susannah a Negro girl named Patt, to my daughter Marcy a Negro girl name Lucy.

Item: All the rest of my lands Negros and personall Estate not Before mentioned I Will Direct and Appoint to be sold by my Executors Henry Martin, Pouncy Anderson, Rich'd Holland and the money to be aplyed towards the payment of my Debts and Leagacyes and Maintaining my Daughters Anne, Susanna and Marcy, the Residue (when all the Land Negros and personall estate shall be sold I give to be Equally Divided among my Sons, John, Michael, Richard. George and my Daughters Eliz. Anderson and Judith Martin.

Item: The next profits of my Estate Between my Death and the Sale thereof I Will and Direct Shall be apply'd to the uses aforesaid and allso my household goods after the Death of my Wife.

Item: I will and direct that my estate be not brought to any appraisement.

Item: I appoint Henry Martin, Pouncy Anderson and Rich'd Holland Guardians to my three daughters Anne, Susanna and Marcy.

Item: I give to my Grandson Jn^o Holland Son of Jn^o Holland five hundred acres Land in Orange County which I Bought of Jn^o Bryant.

Item: I also constitute and appoint my Son in Law Henry Martin my Son in Law Pouncy Anderson and my Son Richard Holland to be Executors of this my Last Will and Testament and do hereby Revoke all former Wills by me made. In Wittness whereof I have hearunto sett my hand and affixed my Seal this 10th day Octob'r 1746.

Mich. Holland (Seal)

Signed, seal'd and Delar'd to be his last Will in presence of John Martin, John Prrish, John Sandland

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At a Court held for Goochland County March 17, 1746. This Will was proved by the Oaths of the Witnesses hereto to be the last Will and Testament of Michael Holland deceased and it was thereupon ordered to be recorded. Teste; Henry Wood Ck