

James Smith
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In the Name of God Amen I James Smith of the Parish of
Nottoway in the County of Southampton being Sick of Body
but of perfect Memory do Commit my soul into the hands of
Almighty God from whom I hope to receive mercy Through
the merits of his son our Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ & do now
settle my real & Personal Estate in Form as followeth
Item I leave to my beloved wife Mary Smith the Third of my
Land where I now live on which is in Southampton as long as
she lives Item I give to my son John Smith all my Tract of
Land which is in Southampton upon Blackwater Swamp
Item I give to my son John a base of Rasours and a bone and a
Pare of Spoononold's Item I give to my Grandson James
Smith one pare of Silver shoe buckles and a pare of Silver
Keebuckles Item I give to my Daughter Mary Smith one
Bed and furniture and a small Chest and two large butter
and a bell mettle Spicemorter and Pestle and a large
Dish and one small one and a Doz. of Plates and a pewter
bason and a pewter Can and a looking Glass and a large Iron
pot and hooks and one small pot and hooks and pot Tacks
and one large Bible and it is my will that my Daughter
Mary Estate shall be paid at the Day of Marriage or when
com of age and if any missing at the time for the Executeing
to make it good Item I give to my beloved wife all the rest
of my hole Estate Real and Personal all I appoint my wife
and my son John Smith my Executors of this my last will
Signed Seal and Published

in Presence of
Robt. Lancaster
John Lithgee

James Smith / Ls.

At a Court Continued & held for the County of Southampton on
Friday the 13th Day of September 1754

This Will was proved in Court by Mary Smith one of the
Executors herein named proved by the Oaths of Robert Lancaster
and John Lithgoe the Witnesses hereto and Ordered to be Recorded
and on the Motion of the said Executrix who made Oath according
to Law Certificate is granted herfor obtaining a probat hereof
in due form Liberty being reserved for the other Executor to