

In the Name of God, Amen I John Clayton of Southampton County and State of Virginia
 large of perfect mind and memory do make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in the manner
 and form following to wit. In the first place I give and bequeath to my living wife Pamela Clayton
 one negro girl Mary and her increase, should she have any at my death and one negro boy Henry two
 fisher Pots and furniture one horse and chaise two Cows and Calves and one pig and
 choice and two years provisions of every kind. Sufficient for her and her family all of which property
 above named I give to her and her heirs forever.

2^d I lend to my living wife during her natural life the following property to wit one negro
 man Sam one boy Samuel, one girl Eliza all my household and kitchen furniture and plantations
 ten Tobacco and one half of my Stock of every kind all of which above named property I intend
 to return to my Estate at my said Wife's death which I shall hereafter dispose of

3^d I give and bequeath unto my brother James Clayton the following property to wit one negro man
 Demus, one woman Cherry, and her increase, one boy Jacob, one girl Lydia, one girl Mary
 one woman Eliza and a Margaret and their future increase one woman Nancy and her future
 increase and one boy Calvin and all the above named property bequeathed to my wife in the same
 clause of this my Will to be received at her death all of which property after all my just
 debts shall be paid and satisfied out of the same. I give and bequeath to her and her heirs

4th I constitute and appoint my said brother James Clayton my whole and sole
 Executor to this my last Will and Testament hereby are doing all other Wills by me made
 fore made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 9th day of
 January 1825

Signed, sealed, published and declared

John Clayton (Seal)

in presence of
 Silas Summrell
 Sarah P. Summrell

I do hereby Certify that I wrote the above Will at Mr. Clayton's request, and read it to him
 and as he was blind requested me to write, his name, which he acknowledged to be his hand
 and Seal. I make this Certificate for fear of death, in which case this would be explanatory
 of the Will, and sign it in my hand writing Silas Summrell.

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 28th day of October 1833.

This Paper Writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of John Clayton deceased was
 produced to the Court for perusal, and continued to be exhibited until a Court held for the County
 of said the 17th day of February 1834. The said last Will and Testament was again produced
 in Court proved by the Oaths of Silas Summrell and Sarah P. Summrell the Witnesses thereto
 and Ordered to be recorded, and on the motion of James Clayton the Executor therein named
 who made oath and together with Silas Summrell and John Donaghy his Sureties entered into
 and acknowledges a Bond in the penalty of Six Thousand dollars. Conditioned as the Law
 directs. Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probate of the said Will in due form.

Teste James Rockwell C. C.