

Hardy Beale

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In the Name of God Amen this Being my Last will & testament I being
 in my perfect senses both in mind & memory
 I give my soul to Almighty god Secondly my body to the Ground from whence
 I came to be Entred in a Christian form at the discretion of my Executors
 Secondly I give & bequeath to my Brother Burwell Beale all that parcel of land &
 plantation buildings & all other Improvements that Builtwin Jones lived on
 bounded by the Branch before the Dore on the South side of the house his life time
 Thirdly I give & bequeath to my Sister Sarah & Thomas Taylor all the rest of my
 land my Sister Sarah Beale to Draw an equal Share of the profits made on the land
 during her life & after her decease to return to Thomas Joyner to him and his heirs
 forever lawfully begotten of his body fourthly I give & bequeath to my Sister Sarah
 Beale my white mare & feather Bed & furniture likewise I give & bequeath to my Sister
 Sarah & my Brother Burwell Beale twenty pounds Virginia money A peace
 After my Debts is paid likewise I give & bequeath to my Sister Sarah Beale
 all my pewter to her & her heirs forever likewise Six plates & two dishes likewise
 another Bed & furniture to be left in the house for the use of my Sister &
 Thomas Joyner I leave Absalom Joyner & Thomas Joyner my Executors to See to
 the Selling all my debts and affairs Signed this 21 December 1778

In the presents of
 Daniel Maspengale

Hardy Beale
 mark

Jesse Joyner
 Elizabeth Joyner
 mark

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the
 14th day of February 1779 This will was presented in
 Court by Absalom Joyner & Thomas Joyner the exors thereof
 And proved by the oaths of Daniel Maspengale & Jesse Joyner two of the witnesses thereto
 & ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of the said exors who made oath according
 to the Statute in that behalf made a Certificate was granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form giving
 Security whereupon &c

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I William Beale of Southampton County in Virginia being in perfect health and of
 sound mind and memory & calling to mind the uncertainty of this mortal
 body & that it is appointed for all men to die think proper to make Constitate
 and Ordain this my last will and testament in manner & form following to wit
 Item I give devise and bequeath to my Son William Beale the plantation and
 land whereon I now live to him and his heirs forever but if he should
 die without him then I give it my Son John Beale and his heirs for ever
 I also give to my Son William one Iron pot one feather Bed & furniture
 one Cow & calf one ewe & lamb one Sow and Pigs & one Gun one pewter
 dish & one earthen dish Six pewter plates one bay horse that he bred has
 Six pewter spoons one Ox & hoe and no more of my estate
 I give and devise & bequeath unto my Dear loving wife Pucilla Beale one
 third part of land during her widowhood and In case she should marry I then
 the whole to my Son William one feather Bed and furniture one woman white
 Iron I give and devise & bequeath to my Daughter Paltzy Beale one feather
 bed & furniture one Chest & woollen wheel one loome all the gear belonging
 to it to her and her heirs forever I also give her Single left my plantation
 Item I give Devise and bequeath unto my Son John Beale twenty pounds
 current money of Virginia to be paid made out of my estate

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