

In the name of God Amen the Twelveth day of January one thousand six hundred eighty & nine
 William Coulbourne of Manawhat in y^e County of Somerset and Province of Maryland being sick
 of body but of perfect memory and remembrance blessed be God: yet calling to mind y^e uncertain
 estate of this Transitory life doe make constitute and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner
 and forme following revoking and annulling all former and other wills by these presents by me made
 and this only and none other to be my last will & Testament and first being penitent and heartily sorry
 for all my sinns past doe commit my soule unto Almighty God in hope through the meritorious
 and passion of Jesus Christ my saviour to receive full pardon and forgiveness of the same next I
 commit my body to y^e earth to be buried in decent Christian manner according to direction of
 my executor hereafter named. And as to the setting of my temporall estate which I hath pleased
 God to bestow upon me far beyond my deserts I doe give & bequeath in manner & forme following
 But first I will that all those debts and Legacies I owe in right and conscience to any manner of
 Person or persons whatsoever shall be well and truly paid within convenient time after my death
 I give & bequeath unto my eldest sonn William Coulbourne my full and sole executor the

plantation whereon I live now and all the land belonging therunto excepting two tract
 of land with three negroes viz Emanuel Betty and Abraham as also my owne horse
 saddle, bridle pistolls and holsters, one press standing in the outer roome with the table
 and sett, bedstead a pair of Andirons and one chest of drawers in the inward room
 room, six draughts open with plow & necessaryes belonging

Secondly I doe give & bequeath unto my sonn Robert Coulbourne one parcel of land called Harts cap con-
 taining two hundred acres, and another parcel of land called Harts Content containing fifty
 Acres to him & his heires for ever also one negro called Jack with one young sorrel horse
 with ablaze downe his face with one chest of drawers being in the chamber with two
 thousand pounds of tobacco

Thirdly I doe give and bequeath unto my daughter Anne Taylor and John Taylor and to the heires of
 their bodies for ever one parcel of land which the said John Taylor has cleared upon beginning
 at a marked oak deviding it from my sonn Williams land and soe running up my creek to the
 land I formerly gave my daughter Penelope with one Inche boy called Will and one
 mare called Sweet Lips and I order that my grandaughter Dorothy have her first mare call
 And also I give my sonn grandaughter Anne, John, Dorothy and Mary Taylor each of them one
 Cow calf and Dorothy one ewe lamb

Fourthly Also to my daughter Anne Taylor I give one washoat chest and one chest more that is in
 her house with two thousand pounds of tobacco

Fifthly I give & bequeath unto my daughter Penelope Holland one hve of bees and twelve pence in
 silver the full of her Legacies and debts

Sixthly I further give unto my aforesaid sonn William Coulbourne my horse that is in Towne as also
 my feathered Bed slie on with its furniture thereto belonging with a bell mett, Pott and two
 Brass pans I tem I give unto my grandaughter Anne Coulbourne one yearling heifer

Seventhly I give unto my sonn John West one cow and calf
 eighthly I doe desire that what other personall estate is left when the Legacies are paid be equally
 divided amongst my two sonn and daughter viz William Robert and Anne

Ninthly It is my will & desire that my sonn Robert & John Taylor have the privileg of my great
 for their retires during their life times they helping to keep the same in repair
 signed sealed witnessed pronounced and declared to be my last will and Testament
 Thomas Everdon William Minton Samuel James }
 George Madup John West }
 Signum
 William V Coulbourne (seal)

This will proved in open Court the 11th day of March 1689
 Maryland Sommer County
 signed & ord^d by J^{ns} W^{ts} 9 Deputy Cler^k for the County

William and Mary by the grace of God over England Scotland France & Ireland King & Queen
 defend^r of the faith etc To William Coulbourne of Sommer County greeting: In heres call
 William Coulbourne of the said County deceased: Wee doe therefore give and grant unto
 you the said William Coulbourne full power and authority to administer all & singular
 the goods Chattels and Credits of the said deceased and to demand collect and Levy
 and in Legall manner require and receive all and all manner of debt and debts
 due & owing to the said deceased and well & faithfully to dispos^e of the same and out of
 the goods Chattels & Credits of the said deceased which howe may or shall come to your
 hands or possession well & truly to pay the debts due by the said deceased so far forth
 as the same will extend and the Law will charge you according to the true value of
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