

Will of Alexander Rigby

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In Name of God Amen I ALEXR. RIGSBY of County Stafford, Parish of St. Pauls being sick but of perfect sense make this my Last Will & Testam't in manner following

Imprimis Soul into hands of God ... Body buried at discretion of my Executrix as for what worldly goods I dispose of as follows

Item 1 give to my loving Wife JANE RIGBY the use of my Negroe fellow James during her life & then leave the said Negroe to my Grandson JOHN RIGBY ROLLINS.

Item I give to my Daughter MARY ROLLINS 8 pounds current money and one half of my crop of Tobo.

Item I give to my Grandson John Rigby Rollins my riding horse bridle & saddle & my gun.

Item I leave my wearing cloaths & linnins not made up to be equally divided between my four Grandsons John Rigby Rollins, JOSEPH ROLLINS, THOMAS ROLLINS & HENRY ROLLINS.

Item all the rest of my Estate not already given after my just debts & legacies are paid I leave to be equally divided between my loving wife & my four grandsons & my will is that my grandsons parts except the horse bridle saddle & gun to be sold and the money arising therefrom be lodged in the hands of my Trusty and well beloved Friend HENRY FITZHUGH JUNR. till they attain to age of 21 years.

Lastly I appoint my loving wife JANE RIGBY whole & sole Executrix of this my last will & Testament revoking all other wills .. 7th February 1753.

Presence H. Fitzhugh Jr., Alexander his mark Rigby

John Gregg, Margaret French her Mark

At Court held for Stafford County July 10th 1753 The Within written Last Will & Testament of Alexander Rigby deced presented into Court by Jane Rigby ... Executrix being proved ... Certificate granted to obtain Probate

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- Alexander Rigby
 - Resident of Stafford County, VA (St. Paul's Parish)
 - Died between 7 Feb 1753 and 10 Jul 1753
- Heirs
 - Wife Jane Rigby
 - Daughter Mary Rollins
 - Grandson John Rigby Rollins
 - Grandson Joseph Rollins
 - Grandson Thomas Rollins
 - Grandson Henry Rollins
- Others Mentioned
 - Friend Henry Fitzhugh Jr.
- Witnesses
 - H. Fitzhugh Jr
 - John Gregg
 - Margaret French
- Probate
 - 10 Jul 1753
 - Executor
 - Wife Jane Rigby