

Will of Edward Jones

In the name of God Amen The Eight Day of October In the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & fifty one, I Edward Jones of North Carolina in the County of Bladen, Carpenter, being in good Health & of perfect mind & memory Thanks be given unto God therefor, Calling unto mind the mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to dye do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament. That is to say principally, and first of all I give & recommend my Soul into the hands of God that gave it, and for my Body I recommend it to the Earth to be Buried in a Christian like & decent manner at the discretion of my Executors Nothing doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty Power of God and as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me in this life I give, devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form

Item I give and bequeath unto Susana my dearly beloved wife one third part of my whole Estate during her natural Life after my just debts and funeral Charges be paid together with her riding horse, saddle and Bridle.

Item I give to my well beloved daughter Hannah Lock five pounds Prolamation money.

Item I give to my well beloved daughter Jane Enock five pounds Prolamation money.

Item I give to my dearly beloved grandson Isaac Enock five pounds Prolamation money to be paid to him by my Executors when he attains to the age of twenty one years.

Item I give to my dearly beloved Grandson William Enock five pounds Prolamation money to be paid to him by my Executors when he attains to the age of twenty one years.

Item I give to my dearly beloved Granddaughter Ann Enock five pounds Prolamation money to be paid by my Executors when she attains to the age of eighteen years.

Item I give to Carvers Creek Meeting Ten Pounds Prolamation money.

Item I give to my well beloved Son Isaac Jones whom I likewise constitute make & ordain

my only & sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament all & singular my Lands, goods & Chattels after the Legacies are paid by him freely to be possessed and enjoyed by him his heirs & assigns forever & I do hereby utterly disallow, revoke & disannull all & Every other former Testaments, Wills, Legacies & Executions by me in any ways before this time named, willed & bequeathed Ratified & Confirming this & no other to be my Last Will & Testament.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal The day & year above written.

Edward Jones

Signed, Sealed, Published, pronounced and Declared by the said Edward Jones as his Last Will & Testament

In the Presence of us

John Smith

M. Sibbey

John Gray