

In the Name of God "Amen"

I Priscilla Harry of the County of Bladen and State of North Carolina being of sound mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, Viz:

- 1st It is my will and desire that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid
 - 2^o I give and bequeath to the Methodist Church and their pastors, said amount to be paid out of a note I hold against Thomas J. Norman for messinany purposes
 - 3^o I give and bequeath to Thomas J. Norman one half part of a note I hold against him the said Thomas J. Norman.
 - 4^o I give and bequeath the residue or balance of said note I have against the said Thomas J. Norman after paying the aforementioned legacies, to the children of my nephew Simon Norman share and share alike
 - 5th I give and bequeath to Thomas J. Norman and Duncan Cormantie, in trust for the use and benefit of a Negro woman Mary that belongs to said Norman and also a woman belonging to the heirs of Genl. Jas. M. Kay, all my wearing apparel, and bed and furniture together with what other perishable property I may have at the time of my death, except the note I have already bequeathed.
- I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint Thos. J. Norman and D. Cormantie, Executors to this my last will and testament, this 26th day of December 1850.

Priscilla Harry
 David Lewis }
 Dco Cormantie }
 Executors
 North Carolina }
 Bladen County }
 Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions
 August Term 1861-

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I James Cross Planter of the County of Bladen and State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and memory do make and declare this to be my last will and testament as follows.

- First That my executors to this will to be named hereafter shall provide for my body after death a decent burial according to the wishes of my friends and relations and pay all funeral expenses and also my just debts and of the first moneys that will come into his hands as a part and parcel of my estate
- Second I give and devise unto my beloved wife Zylphia Cross, one Bed, Bedstead and its necessary furniture one wheel and cart her choice
- I am aware that she is incapable of managing a farm and I desire her to live with my son in Law Henry Miller, and his wife and I bequeath also to her the negro woman Hannah to wait on her and also one of the remaining negro slaves. I now own to be chosen by my son in Law Henry Miller, and to be employed by the said Miller, in consideration of his supporting his Mother in Law, to have the said slave during his natural life, and at her death if the said slave are living, I wish them and their moneys to be equally divided among my children to share and share alike my daughter Zylphia excepted.
- Third I give and devise to my children the balance of my negroes my stock of Cattle, Hogs and sheep, and my Woods, to them all to share and share alike my daughter Zylphia excepted.
- Fourth I desire that my mare Buggy plantation tools the residue of my estate that I do not dispose of in this will be sold and the moneys obtained be equally divided to all my children & Zylphia excepted, share and share alike
- Fifth I have heretofore conveyed by deed of Gift to all my children except my son William James the portion of my Real Estate I desire them to have as near equal as possible.
- For my son David I paid to Charles Rogers of the Parish of Bladen and thirty acres of land which