

I Richard Garvan of the State of North Carolina and County of Bladen considering the uncertainty of this mortal life and being of sound and perfect mind and memory. Blessed be God for the same do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as follows.

I give and bequeath to my wife Ann Garvan the following negroes and other property to dispose of as she may think proper. viz
Anthony Lister, David, Mariah Jane Stephen Chis Oliver and Betty, three Beds and furniture three Bed. Stools two Trunks one Large Chest, a Box and Key, four Cows and Calves five acres of land adjoining the ferry land and my part of the Saw Mill. I

I give and bequeath to my wife Ann Garvan the remainder of my estate Real and Personal during her natural life with the exceptions hereafter named. I give and bequeath to Charles Lee Garvan the illegitimate child of Davina Budded, after the death of my wife or should he arrive to the age of twenty one years or contract Matrimony before the death of my wife, the following property viz Town Daniel Levi Mingo and Peter my River lands where I formerly lived one bed and furniture one Bed. Stool, and one Small shot gun, should he Charles Lee Garvan die leaving no lawful issue the aforesaid negroes and other property bequeathed to him shall revert to my wife and if otherwise I give and bequeath the aforesaid property to wit.

Town Daniel Levi Mingo and Peter my River lands one bed and furniture, one Bed Stool and one Small shot gun, to my Sister Sarah Mulford and at her death to be equally divided among her heirs the remainder of my property after the death of my wife that has not been disposed of I give and bequeath to my Sister Sarah Mulford during her natural life and after her death to be equally divided among her heirs all the property bequeathed my Sister Sarah Mulford

should my wife survive her. after the death of my wife. I give to the heirs of my sister Sarah Mulford to be equally divided among them and I do hereby constitute and appoint my wife Ann Garvan, Executor and Patrick Kelly Executor of this my last Will and Testament, revoking all other Wills by me made.

In witness whereof I the said Richard Garvan hath hereunto set my hand and seal this 5 day of April 1827.

Wm Johnston
David Lloyd

Richard Garvan seal

In the Name of God Amen

I Shadrach Jacobs of the County of Columbus and State of North Carolina being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God, calling unto Mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament. That is to say principally and first of all. I recommend my soul unto the Hands of Almighty God that gave it. my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial 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 which it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life. I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form.

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That all my lawful debt be paid out of my estate I give and bequeath unto my wife Sarah Jacobs during her widowhood all my estate except one Small Kelly, Childs Chance it is my sons Arthur Jacobs I will also that all things remain for the use of