

Then following my son Elias to transfer some of the
 money above in, first, to my son, brother
 which is to be delivered in person from following
 to my two Daughters at the age of Eighteen with
 schooling paper to their dignity - And to my son Elias
 at the age of Twenty one with proper schooling also -
 Item. As for my dear Children I do leave the care of them under
 God to their Mother to do as she thinks best for them during
 her widowhood and then I do leave them - one of my
 daughter Mary to her Good father John McHenry during
 his life time and then to be at her Mothers disposal
 Item I do also leave the care of my Daughter Leon to her Uncle
 Abraham Alexander, And I desire my Dear son Elias
 to be left to care of his Uncle Ezra Alexander until the
 age of Fifteen then to be put to such a trade as he shall
 choose - I do also nominate, appoint and
 constitute my wife Margaret Alexander & my son
 Ezra Alexander to execute this my last Will & in
 and also Trustees for my dear Children above named
 in Wills which I have hereunto set my hand and
 seal the 15th day of December 1771

Signed Sealed & delivered

In Presence of

James Alexander
 Abraham Alexander
 Ezekiel Waller

In the name of God Amen. The 15th day of December 1771
 I Elizabeth Alexander wife of the late John Alexander deceased
 in perfect mind and memory, the said Mary, Leon &
 therefore calling to mind the mortality of my body &

of Almighty God that gave us, and my body I recommend to
the Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen. The blessed Spirit of
God be with you and keep you. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.
I give and devise and dispose of the
same in the following manner and form -

I give to and bequeath to my son David Alexander five shillings
Testimony in my of Great Britain.
I give to and bequeath my well beloved wife Mary Joseph Harts
of my movable Estate

I give to my son Aaron Alexander half my real estate and I
order my son Aaron Alexander to pay my son John Brown
the sum of twenty pounds current money of Pennsylvania
within six years after the date of this will or without Hand
then John will be paid.

I do hereby constitute and appoint William my Trusty friend
Wilson, Son and William Alexander my brother, my executor
to the my last will & Testament. And I charge all my executors
Testaments before the date of this will, I declare this to
my last will and Testament, for all things whereunto I
am bound by law I leave the doing and give above written.

William Hays
David Alexander }
Aaron Alexander }
Witness my hand and seal this 22nd day of June in the year
of our Lord 1796.

In the County of York County, this 22nd day of June in the year
of our Lord 1796. I Josiah Alexander of Black County in
North Carolina being very sick & weak in body and of perfect
understanding and memory calling into mind the mortality of
my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men
to die do make and constitute this my last will & Testament
And I do in the first place most humbly begone the my son
to God my Father and every body to be buried decently at the
discretion of my Executors in confidence of the resurrection
at this last day of my life. I do hereby bequeath to my
very dear son David Alexander the sum of five shillings