

In the name of God Amen. I William Neal
of the County of Amelia being in Good health
perfect mind and Memory Thanks be to Almighty
God; calling unto mind the 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 give and Recommend
my Soul into the hand of almighty God that gave it
and My body I Recommend to the earth to be
Buried in 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
wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in
this life I give, demise, and Dispose of the same
in the following Manner and form. . .

first I give and Bequeath to my sister Sarah
Neal my Tract of Land in Amelia County
containing by estimation Two hundred and
fifty Acres also my Tract of Land in Bedford
County on Staunton River containing by
estimation one hundred Acres together with
all my Effects Cloths Cash & all things to me
belonging all which I give to her and to
her heirs forever.

But if my sister Sarah Neal should die without heirs
My will and desire is my Brothers John Roberts, Francis
Roberts & Bartlett Roberts and my sisters Jane Roberts
and Prudence Roberts should have my Estate by an
equal Division among them five. My desire is also
that my Uncle Abraham Hatchett should be
Executor to this my Last will and Testament.
In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand & Seal this Eighteenth day of September
in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred
and Eighty

Signed Sealed & Delivered

In the presence of { William Neal



William ^{his} Hatchett

Margaret ^{her} Hatchett

Mary Hatchett

Amelia County Court May 23. 1782

This Will was proved by the Oaths of William &
Mary Hatchett Witnesses thereto sworn to by
Abraham Hatchett the Executor therein.

named & Ordered to be recorded And on the
Motion of the said Abraham who gave Bond
with Security as the Law directs

Certificate was granted him for obtaining
a probate in due form.

Teste

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