

Joseph Hamilton
Wife

In the name of God Amen I Joseph Hamilton of the Parish
of Meherrin in the County of Brunswick being in my proper senses calling
to mind the uncertain state of this transitory life & that all must needs
unto death when it shall please God to call I do make constitute and
ordain & declare this my last Will and Testament. I hereby give and
Bequeath to my loving Wife Anna four negroes two women named
Agg and Betty one girl named Rachel, one negro boy named Terling
her life after her death these three above named negroes to my son
Walter Hamilton but if my son Walter should die without heir these
said negroes to be equally divided among all my children, also after the
death of my wife I do give & bequeath the above named negro Betty to my
daughter Elizabeth Bell, also I give and bequeath to my son Walter
Hamilton one plantation 237 Acres of Land with 10 more

girl named Charlotte one of my negroes one Bed & Furniture, Also I Give
 to my daughter Elizabeth Egell 100 Acres of Land for life, taken of this
 said tract binding on Prestons line, after her death the said Land &
 negro Betty to be sold & the money equally divided among all her
 children Also I give and bequeath to my son William Hambleton
 twenty shillings, Also I give & bequeath to my Daughter Ann Wychurch
 twenty shillings Also I give & bequeath to my daughter Mary Saunders
 twenty shillings Also I give & bequeath to my son Samuel Hambleton
 twenty. Also I give & bequeath to John Hambleton his twenty shillings
 And do make my wife & my son Walter Hambleton my Executors of
 this my last Will and Testament. Witness my hand and Seal this 19th
 day of May in the Year of our Lord God 1780.

Seal Signed & Published
 in the presence of:

Joseph Hambleton (J.S.)

day of May in the Year of our Lord God 1780.

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in the presence of

Joseph Hamilton (Jr)

Teste

Benjamin Harrison Junr

Patty Harrison

N.B. I do also bequeath unto Benjamin Walker one certain Tract of Land containing 450 (Acres more or less) that the said Walker

has now in possession this my last Will and Testament as Witness my hand & Seal

Teste

Joseph Hamilton (Jr)

Benjamin Harrison Junr

Patty Harrison

Brunswick County Court the 28th of February 1785.

This will was proved by the oaths of Benjamin Harrison Junr & Patty Harrison witnesses thereto & Ordered to be Recorded.

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Dr. J. S. S. S. S. S.