

Jackson
Will

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In the Name of God Amen the fifteenth Day of
January one Thousand seven hundred and forty four Ralph Jackson
of Brunswick County being sick and Weak of Body but in perfect
mind and Memory Thanks be to the Almighty God for the same and calling
to mind the uncertainty of this Natural Life Do make this my last
Will and Testament for the settling my worldly Affairs in manner and
form as followeth first and principally committing my soul to God
who gave it and my Body to be Buried in a Christian manner at the
Discretion of my Executors hereafter named with a sure and certain hope
of a Resurrection to Eternal life through the merits of my Lord and saviour
Jesus Christ Item it is my Will and Desire that all my Just Debts and
Funeral Charges be duly paid and satisfied Item I give unto Hannah
Jackson Daughter to Henry Jackson one Negro Girl Named Betty at
the day of Marriage or shall come to Lawfull Age and if the said Hannah
Jackson Daughter to the said Henry Jackson should die before
Marriage or comes to Lawfull Age then it is my Will and Desire that my
Executors do have and enjoy the aforesaid Negro Girl for ever Item I give
unto Mary Proverson Daughter to Gar and Proverson one Negro boy by
Name Peter at the day of Marriage or shall come to Lawfull Age

and if the said Mary Roberson should die before Marriage or come to Lawfull Age then it is my will and Desire that my Executors to have and enjoy the aforesaid Negro Boy forever I ~~them~~ Give and Bequeath unto Edward Roberson all the rest of my Estate both Real and Personal and be it in what nature or Quality forever unto him his heirs or assigns forever and I do hereby constitute Authorise and appoint Edward Roberson my whole and Sole Ex^r of this my last Will and Testament hereby Disallowing and Revoking and making Void all other Wills by me heretofore made and this only to be in full force In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and Year above Written

Signed Sealed and Published
In the Presence of us

John Douglass
Bridget O Duke
James X Roberson

^{his} Ralph R Jackson (S. J.)
mark

At a Court held for Brunswick
County April the 1th 1744.

This Last Will and Testament of
Ralph Jackson deced was presented

in Court by John Douglass and thereupon Edward Roberson the Ex^r therein named made oath thereto according to Law and the same being

do hereby revoke and annul all and every
and Sole Act of this my last Will and Testament hereby Disallowing and
Brunswick County Will 1739
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proved by the Oaths of the said John and Pridget Duke and James Roberson
the Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be Recorded on the Motion of the sd. Clerk
Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probat in due form.

Test Her. Clerk Clerk

Douglass
acc. Cur. h. g. J. W. The State