

In the name of God amen I Obidia Francis of the parish of comar
County of Charlotte of sound and perfect memory do make this my last will and Testament
I desire in the first place that all my Just debts to be paid as Speedily as possible. Item, I give and
bequath unto my grand children by my Daughter Jean Huntsman, the following negro (bond)
Tom & Fan, for their Joint support and education, and where ever the youngest of my said grand
children by Jean Huntsman come of age or marry, that then the two negroes above named shall have
which of the children they will belong to Item, I give to my grand son Adam Huntsman and he
heirs a negroe girl named Phillis. Tho if the said Phillis should hereafter have any increase
I give the one half of her increase to my grand Daughter Ann. Hunt and her heirs forever, but
the services of the said negroe girl Phillis, as also Tom and Fan to be applied as my tax
shall see cause for the support and Education of my grand children by Jean Huntsman
untill the youngest shall come of age also I give unto my grand children by Jean Huntsman
all my house hold &c. furniture and stock of all kind except two mares the gray mare I give
to my grand son John Huntsman the other, a bay I give to my grand son James Huntsman
It is my desire that my executor hereafter mentioned and named collect my out standing debts
and after paying my Just debts and funeral expences out of the same, I give the Overplus
my son Joseph Francis I constitute and appoint ^{James} ~~Richard~~ Gaines my executor to this my
last will and Testament, in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal
this first day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & ninety three
acknowledged

John^{his} Huntsman Sen^r Thomas Mullins
and Mary^{her} + Bryant^{mark}

173) if their should be forty pounds good and lawfull money paid to my grand
Daughter Ann^r Hunt in lieu of the one half of Phillis Increase by my grand son
Adam Huntsman, any person acting for him in these or four years from the within date
that then the other half of Phillises Increase to be divided amongst the whole of
my grand children by Isaac Huntsman
acknowledged in presence of

Almazy Spencer John^{his} + Huntsman^{mark}
Thomas Mullins Mary^{her} + Bryant^{mark}

Obedience^{her} + Francis^{mark}

At a Court held for Charlotte County the 6 January 1794

This last will and Testament of Obedience Francis dec^d was exhibited in Court by Red Gair
the executor herein named and the same was proved by the oath of John Huntsman
and Thomas Mullins two of the Witnesses hereto subscribed & ordered to be recorded and on the
motion of the said executor who made oath according to Law, certificate is granted him for
having a probate of the said Will in due form he giving Security whereupon he together with
William Pude Daniel his Security entered into & acknowledged their bond according
law for that purpose

Teste Thomas Read Ck

True Recorded