

In the name of God Amen, I William Davenport of Charlotte County being
of perfect sound and memory do make constitute and ordain this my last
Will and Testament as follows to wit, I give and bequeath my soul to God
that gave it, and my body to be buried in a decent manner, and touching
such worldly goods as has pleased God to bless me with after my just debts
and funeral Charges are paid I dispose of in the following manner, In witness
I give to my son Benjamin Davenport the tract of land and plantation
whereon I now live together with his equal part of my personal estate, and
if he my son Benjamin should die without issue my will and desire is
that the legacy given him should be equally divided among all my
Children then living, and to their heirs. Item my will and desire is
that the whole of my personal estate together with the land and
plantation I now live on should remain with my loving wife Elizabeth
Davenport during her natural life viz the land and plantation I
purchased of Samuel Webb. Item my will and desire is that after my
wife's decease except the legacy given my son Benjamin should be
sold and equally divided among all the rest of Children and whereas I
have two tracts of land one by the name of Dinnwoods tract in Charlotte
County the other on the North fork of Cub Creek in Campbell County
my will and desire is the said two tracts of land above should be sold

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wife's decease except the legacy given my son Benjamin should be
sold and equally divided among all the rest of children and whereas I
have two tracts of land one by the name of Dismal's tract in Charlotte
County the other on the North fork of Cat Creek in Campbell County
my will and desire is the said two tracts of land above should be sold
by executors at their discretion, and the money arising from such sale
to be equally divided among all my children, except my son Benjamin
and I hereby revoke, disannul and annul all other will or wills by
me made, and do appoint my wife Elizabeth Davenport executrix of
this my last will, and my son Presley Davenport, and my brother Richard
Davenport, and James Frazer executors of this my last will and Testament
In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 11th
day of February 1801 W^m Davenport L.S.

Test Thomas Cantel, Richard
Davenport sons, John Hunter }

At a Court held for Charlotte County, the 6th day of April 1801

This Last Will and Testament of William Davenport dec^d was proved

in Court by Elizabeth Davenport the executrix and Christy Davenport and
Richard Davenport two of the executors herein named and the same was
proved by the oath of Thomas Paullet Richard Davenport senr and John
Hunter the Witnesses hereto subscribed and agreed to be recorded. On the
motions of the said executrix and executors who were bound to do so
Certificats is granted them for obtaining a probate of the said will in
due form they giving security. Whereupon they with Thomas Paullet
and Benjamin Marshalls their associates entered into and acknowledged
their bond according to law for that purpose reserving liberty to James
Trabree the other executor named in this will to join in the probate
whereof when he shall think fit

Teste Thomas Paullet

Truly recorded

Thomas Paullet

In the name of God Amen. I Richard Gile this twelfth day of
Nov 1794