

In the name of God amen. I Zachariah Henrich of the parish of Littleton in the
county of Cumberland in the state of Virginia, being in health of body & of sound mind & memory
do make and ordain this my last will & testament in manner and form following
that is to say first & principally I commend my soul into the hands of God who give
it hoping through his mercy to have a joyful resurrection at the last day and my body
to be decently buried at the discretion of my executors hereafter named and I do give
& dispose of such worldly goods as I am blessed with as follows.
Item I do lend unto my wife Elizabeth all my estate real & personal goods chattels
credits & effects during her natural life or widowhood.
Item After the death or marriage of my said wife I give & bequeath to my son Elijah
all my lands of the plantation whereon I now live to him & his lawful issue forever.
but if he die without such issue my desire is that the s^d land & plantation be given
to my son James & his lawful issue & if he die without such issue my will & desire
is that the s^d lands be equally divided or sold & the money divided among all my
children then living.
Item I give & bequeath to my son William (after his mother's death or marriage one negro boy
named Ben to him & his heirs forever.
Item I give & bequeath to my son James two negroes named Abraham & George after the
death of his mother.

I Item I give & bequeath to my son Elijah one negro girl called domestic Jim, after
her mother's death, with all her increase to her & her heirs.

~~I Item I give & bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth one negro girl named Lily.~~
after her mother's death, also her first choice of all the negroes which shall
fall into my estate after the death of my wife's mother for one negro, with
its issue if a woman to her & her heirs.

I Item I give & bequeath to my daughter Martha one negro boy named Moses after
her mother's death) also her first choice after her sister Elizabeth for one
negro out of all the negroes that shall fall into my estate after the death
of my wife's mother & if a female all her increase to her & her heirs forever.

I Item I give & bequeath to my daughter Rebecca one negro boy named
Lorebar) after her mother's death, also her next choice after her two sisters
out of the remaining negroes that shall fall into my estate after the
death of my wife's mother, & if a female all her increase to her & her
heirs forever.

I Item My will and desire is that if either of my children before named shall
die either under age or without lawful issue that whatever legacy is given
them shall fall back into my estate to be equally divided among their
surviving brothers and sisters & their heirs.

I Item My will and desire is that after the death of my wife all the remainder
of my estate goods chattels effects and credits of whatever kind or quality
be equally divided between and among all my children then living
the heirs of them that be dead if any such there be, by a just & equal

the heirs of them that be dead of any such manner of

devotion at the discretion of my executors.

Lastly I do nominate and appoint my two sons Blediah and John
and my wife Elizabeth my executors of this my last will and testamen-
tarily revoking & disannulling all former wills by me here before made
& declaring this to be my only true last will & testament In witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twenty
ninth day of January one thousand seven hundred and eighty two.

Signed sealed & published in presence of

Isackiah Hendrick

John Starkey

William Richardson

Shelby Richardson

Jonathan Sayler

Joseph Starkey

At a court held for Cumberland county 26th May 1783.

This last will and testament of Isackiah Hendrick deceased was exhibited
in court by Blediah Hendrick John Hendrick and Elizabeth Hendrick the
executors therein named proved by Joseph Starkey and William Richardson
two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded and on the motion of the
said executors who made oath according to law certificate is granted them for
obtaining a probat thereof in due form they having with Daniel Allen and
Nathan Wornack their securities entered into bond according to law.

Test

Geo. Cannon J. C. C.

Recd.