

In the Name of God, Amen. I Richard Woodroof of the County
of Greenville being sick and weak in Body, but thanks be to God of sound
Mind and Memory. Do make and ordain this my last Will and
Testament in manner and form following to wit: Item I give
and bequeath unto my Son, Benjamin Woodroof the Land and Plan-
tation that I purchased of Thomas Ware late of Greenville containing
One hundred and sixty six Acres, including part of another Tract
crossing Perry's Creek at a White Oak, along a line of Mark'd Trees, to
Robinsons corner a Black Jack. Likewise One Horse and Saddle
One Cow and calf, and One feather Bed and Furniture which he has
now in possession. I also lend unto my said Son Benjamin Woodroof
the use of a Negroe Man. And until my Youngest Child comes of
Age, to choose a Guardian, or an equal division be made, all of which
articles the Negroe excepted I give unto my Son Benjamin Woodroof
his heirs and Assigns for ever. Item I give and bequeath unto
my two Sons Richard Woodroof and James Woodroof the remainder
of my Land on the South side of Perry's Creek in this County con-
taining Three hundred and thirty two Acres, to them and their heirs
and Assigns forever. Also I give and bequeath unto my Son Richard

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of my Land on the South side of Perry's Creek in this County con-
taining Three hundred and Thirty two Acres, to them and their heirs
and Assigns for ever. Also I give and bequeath unto my Son Richard
a Young Bay Mare by the Name of Polly Kinchen, One ^{Cow and calf and} feather Bed
and Furniture, which he is to have at the Age of Eighteen Years, to him
and his heirs and Assigns for ever. I likewise lend unto my Son
Richard Woodroof One Negroe boy Named George, untill my Youngest
Son, comes of Age or choose a Guardian, or an equal division be made.
Item. I give unto my Son James Woodroof One Horse and Saddle,
valued at Twelve Pounds Current Money, to be made out of my Estate
before a division. One Cow and calf, and One feather Bed and
Furniture when he comes to the Age of Eighteen Years, to him and his
heirs and Assigns for ever. Item. I give unto my Son William Woodroof
all the Lands and Plantations whereon I now live, on the Beaver Pond
Creek, to him and his heirs and Assigns for ever. I further give and
bequeath unto my Son William Woodroof One Horse and Saddle
valued at twelve Pounds Current Money to be made out of my
Estate, before a division, One Cow and calf, and One feather Bed
and

140 and furniture when he arrives to the Age of Eighteen Years, to him his heirs and assigns for ever. Item, My Will and desire is that my Still, stand, and remain on the Plantation whereon I now live, on the Beaver Pond Creek, and all my Sons make use of her, so long as they think proper to stay in this settlement. Item, My desire is that as much of my Estate be sold as will satisfy my just debts. Item, I give and bequeath to my Son Nathaniel Woodroof the Land and Plantation whereon he now lives, including the Survey he made, to him his heirs and assigns forever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my Daughter ^{Agnes Wood} One Co, Bed and furniture, One Cow and calf which she has in possession to her and her heirs for ever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Patsy Woodroof One Bed and furniture which she has got already, and One Cow, and calf to her and her heirs for ever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Winifred Woodroof One Bed and furniture One Cow and calf to her and her heirs for ever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Ann Woodroof One Bed and furniture One Cow and calf to her and her heirs for ever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Susanna Woodroof One feather Bed

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and Furniture, One Cow and calf to her and her heirs for ever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Jane Woodroof
One feather Bed and Furniture, and One Cow and calf to her
and her heirs for ever. Item I send unto my Wife Susanna

Woodroof One choice Negroe, and all the rest of my Personal Estate
that is not already given away, during her Life or Widowhood
Likewise it is my Will and desire that all my Negroes (except
what I have lent till a division) remain and be with my Wife
Susanna Woodroof, and she to give my two youngest Children
Schooling, and at the time my youngest son, William Woodroof
comes to the Age of twelve Years, then the whole of the Negroes (except
my Wife's choice) be equally divided between all my surviving
Children, to them and their heirs and Assignors for ever. Item

If my Wife dies before my youngest Child arrives to the age of
twelve Years, my Will is that my Negroes be hired out till he
comes to the Age of twelve Years. Likewise all the rest of my Estate
to be sold that is not given away. Item Lastly I do nominate
and appoint my friend with him and his heirs and assigns

and her heirs for ever. Item. I do bequeath to my Wife Susanna Woodrooff One choice Negroe, and all the rest of my Personal Estate that is not already given away, during her Life or Widowhood. Likewise it is my Will and desire that all my Negroes (except what I have lent till a division) remain and be with my Wife Susanna Woodrooff, and she to give my two youngest Children schooling, and at the time my youngest son, William Woodrooff comes to the Age of twelve Years, then the whole of the Negroes (except my Wife's choice) be equally divided between all my surviving Children, to them and their heirs and Assignors for ever. Item. If my Wife dies before my youngest Child arrives to the age of twelve Years, my Will is that my Negroes be hired out till he comes to the Age of twelve Years, Likewise all the rest of my Estate to be sold that is not given away. Item. Lastly I do nominate and appoint my loving Wife Susanna Woodrooff, Nathaniel Woodrooff, and Benjamin Woodrooff Executors of this my last Will and Testament revoking and disannulling others by me

me made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
affixed my Seal, this Eleventh day of June. One thousand seven
hundred and eighty Nine
Signed, Sealed, & Delivered, }
in presence of us _____

Richard Woodroof (LS)

John Prosser

Mary Vith

Tabitha Norwood

Charlotte Woodroof

At about held for Greenville County the 24th day of December 1789.

This Will was proved by the Oaths of John Prosser, Tabitha Norwood,
and Charlotte Woodroof Witnesses thereto, and on the Motion of
Susanna Woodroof Executrix, and Benjamin Woodroof one of the
Executors therein named who made Oath thereto and together with
Sterling Harris, Thomas Hops, and Lockett Mitchell, their Securities
entered into and acknowledged their Bond in the Penalty of two
thousand pounds, Conditioned as the Law directs, Certificate is
granted them for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form, Liberty
being reserved for the other Executor to qualify when he may think fit.

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