

Robert Lees. Will.

In the name of God Amen. I Robert Lee of Anson County in the Province of North Carolina being very sick in body but of perfect mind & memory Thank be given unto God Calling unto mind the mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my Last Will & Testament that is to say Principally & first of all I give & recommend my soul unto the hands of Almighty God that gave it & my Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in Decent Christian burial at the Discretion of my Executors nothing Doubting but at the General resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty Power of God & as Touching such worldly Estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this Life I Give Demis and Dispose of the same in the following manner & form first I Give & bequeath to Sarah Lee my dearly beloved wife my white pasing mare & her side saddle her bed & furniture And allow that she shall have the use of my house and plantation & I also send her my negro fellow Jack during the time that she lives a widow & at the time that she marries - I give & bequeath unto my three children William & Judith & Richard Lee my negro fellow Jack to be Equally Divided amongst the Three children above mentioned or at least what he may be sold for.

Item I give & bequeath unto my son James Lee Three Cows & calves. Item I give & bequeath unto my son Robert Lee That half of my tract of land that the House & Plantation is on & all its my rifle Gun.

Item I Give & bequeath unto my son John Lee the other Half of my tract of land. Item I give & bequeath unto my Daughter Miller one bed & furniture & one Breeding mare. Item I give & bequeath unto my three Daughters following that is to say Mary Garblough & Mitty & Elizabeth Lee ten Pounds proclamation money Each Item I give & bequeath unto my Daughter Sarah Crittenden The sum of Ten Shillings proclamation money. And after my Just Debts are paid the rest & residue of my Estate that is not all ready Given away to be Equally Divided betwixt my wife & children before mentioned. I also constitute & appoint my dearly beloved

wife Sarah Lee Executor & my son Robert Lee & my Loving brother John Lee Executors of this my Last Will & Testament & I do hereby utterly Disallow revoke and Disannul all & Every other former Testament or Wills Legacies bequeaths & Executors by me in any way before named willed & bequeathed ratifying & Confirming this and no other to be my Last Will & Testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this twenty ninth Day of November one Thousand seven Hundred and Sixty Six.

Robert Lee Seal

Signed Sealed published pronounced.
and Declared by Robert Lee as his Last.
Will & Testament in the presence of us.
who in his presence & in the presence.
of each other have hereunto mark.

Subscribed our names.

John Colson
Samuel Cooper
Mary ^{for} Colson
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