

William Johnson. Will.

Anson County North Carolina July 27th 1786.

Whereas I William Johnson be very weak and Low but in perfect Spirit & Memory this Day Make my Last Will & Testament I Recommend My Spirit to God & my body to be buried in the grave

First

I Recommend my business to my beloved son Hugh Johnson & to my beloved wife to collect & Discharge all Debts Dues & Demands & to settle my Estate Between Maryan Johnson Wm Johnson Daniel Johnson son Maludin Johnson & James Johnson an Equal part between all the Children. and to my dear beloved Daughter Katherine Kennedy Four Shillings Sterling & the Tract of land that was Purchased of Richard Oden & partners by James Acts are to be paid out of the Estate when Esso. comes of age Hugh Johnson is to pay to the Estate The sum payed by the the Estate for the said Tract of Land except his own Equitable part only my Wth beloved wife is to have her Living of it Decently her life time or her Thirde then it should become the ed. Hugh Johnsons Right & property thus farder if my Desire that my Estate should not be sold but Divided amongst my children by John Carnoran & Archibald Bredimon Entire linc under the seventh line & under the Twentieth

John Mth Ra
John Johnson

Wm Johnson

Joseph Colson. Will.

In the name of God Amen. I Joseph Colson in the State of North Carolina & County of Anson being of sound Memory & mind Do make & ordain this my Last Will And Testament in Manner & form following that is To say first I will that all my Debts & funeral charges be paid & Discharged by my Executors herein After mentioned & as to my worldly Estate I give and Devise the same in Manner & form as followeth.

Item I Lend unto my Loving Wife Mary Colson During Her Life or the time she continues a widow the House & Plantation where I now live & the House furniture and stock of horses & Cattel to Raise the Children on also I lend her Two negros women named Frank & Rachel.

Item I give & bequeath unto my son Joseph Colson one hundred & seventy & a half acres of Land on South East side of Brown Creek where he now lives also three negros named Phil & Phillis & Rose & also four Cows & Calves & one Bed & furniture & Two Hares & a Two year old horse which he has now in his possession.

Item I Give & bequeath unto my Daughter Susannah one negro woman named Luce & feather bed & furniture thereunto Belonging & one Cow & Calf.

Item I Give & bequeath unto my son John Colson one fourth part of three Hundred & ten acres of Land being the Plantation whereon I now live the land is not to be Disposed of by my son John untill my son Thomas Colson comes to the age of twenty one years also three negros to my son John named Prince & will & bob one feather bed & furniture & one Mare.

Item I & bequeath unto my Daughter Mary Colson one negro woman named Sal & one bed & furniture thereunto belong. Item I Give & bequeath unto my Daughter Martha one Mulatto Girl named Milla also one Feather bed & furniture thereunto belonging.

Item I Give & bequeath unto my Daughter Charity one negro girl named Gartin also one bed & furniture