

William Mullins Will

In the name of God Amen, I William Mullins of Ashe County State of North Carolina being of sound & perfect mind & memory blessed be God, do this 20 March A.D. 1810 make & publish this my last Will & Testament in manner following that is to wit,

First

I give & bequeath that all my Just & Lawful debts be first paid

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I will & bequeath to my loving wife Sarah Muller all my moveable property that may remain after my debts are paid I also will & bequeath to my wife Sarah one third part of my land including the Orchard & dwelling house & out Houses thereto belonging during her natural life. I will & bequeath that after my wife Sarah third part is laid off that the residue of my lands shall be equally divided in quantity & quality between my two sons John Mullins & Jesse Mullins to them & their heirs & assigns forever. I will & bequeath to my son Mark Mullins that part that I give to my wife the said Mark Mullins to have it after my said wife's decease and not sooner it is my will that my son Jesse's part shall be laid off so as to include the improvement where he now lives. it is my will likewise that if the parties above mentioned cannot agree in a division of the land that each shall choose a man to divide it for them & their deceases shall be good in law as my son Mark Mullins is not of age to act for himself it is my will that my wife Sarah shall act for him in choosing a man to divide the land & I hereby make & ordain my worthy friend Nathan Horton Executor of this my last Will & Testament

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In witness whereof I the said William
Mullins have to this my last Will & Testament
set my hand & seal the day & year first
above written,

Sealed sealed published Wm Mullins (Seal)
& declared by the said
William Mullins the
Testator as his last
Will & Testament in
the presence of us who
were present at the time
of signing & sealing thereof

Joseph Sand Jural
Cyprian Hancock Just
Joseph Brown Just