

John Pentlands Will

In the name of God amen I John Pentland of the County of Gloucester and State of North Carolina being sick and afflicted in body though of sound mind and disposing mind and seeing to mind the mutability of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die, do make and ascertain this my last Will and Testament.

First I commend my soul to Almighty God that gave it and my body to be buried in a Christian manner at the discretion of my Executors And as to my worldly goods with which God has blessed me I bequeath in the following manner.

Item I direct that all my just debts be paid by my Executors. I appoint my beloved wife Priscilla Pentland Executor of this my last Will and Testament.

Item I will that my just debts be paid I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Priscilla during her natural life, all my real and personal estate and after her death the remaining property be divided equally among my children.

In testimony whereof I have set my hand and seal this 25th day of August 1802.

John Pentland
S. W. Butler,

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Charles Moore
J. W. Smoller

John Pentlands will

In the name of God amen

I John Pentland of Brunswick County North Carolina being of sound mind and memory do make & publish this my last will and testament,

First I cheerfully yield my soul to God who gave it to me, and my body I desire to be interred in a Christian like manner,

Item second, My will and desire is, that the land where I now live containing some three hundred and seventy seven acres be divided between my two sons Charles P Pentland & George Newton Pentland as follows, Beginning on the line between me and S. Adams where the road leading from my house to Thomas Moores Creek crosses the same by way of my Table then a direct line to my Spring branch, ten steps above my Spring, then a direct line to Hutells Spring branch where the trail leading around my fence crosses the same then down with said branch to Hornoy Creek, then down with Hornoy Creek to my lower line, Now all this the line

In the name of
I Joseph Lane of
North Carolina being
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To God who gave it

South and west of the before described line is to be Charles
 & Penland at the death of his mother, and all the land
 east and north of the said line of course is to be George
 Penland at the death of his mother.

Item third, my will further is that my beloved wife have the
 use and possession of all my estate both real and personal
 during her natural life,

Item fourth, my will also is that my son William Penland
 have the tracts of land that he now lives on it being the same
 that was deeded in Trust for me,

Item fifth, my will is that my son Abraham have a negro Girl
 Cordium daughter of Rutt,

Item fifth, my will further is that my son William Penland
 have my negro Girl Rutt,

Item sixth, I will to my son Charles & Penland my negro boy
 Billy,

Item eighth, I will to my son John H. Penland two negroes
 Sarah & William children of Rutt,

Item ninth, I will to James Cuthbert three children twenty five
 Dollars each, to be paid at the death of my wife,

Item tenth, my will and desire further is that all the rest
 of my estate not herein before mentioned be sold and divided
 equally between my children after the death of my dear wife,

My will further is that my two sons John H. & G. S. Penland be
 executors of this my last will and Testament, and I do hereby
 constitute and appoint them as executors to this my last will
 and Testament, this 3rd of May 1852, done and published
 in the presence of the subscribing witnesses,

attest

John Penland

Charles Moore

G. W. Scudder

In the name of God, amen,

I Joseph Garret of the County of Hancock and State of
 South Carolina being of sound disposing mind and memory
 but being advanced in age and calling to mind that it
 is appointed for all men once to die, do make certain
 and establish this my last will and Testament in
 manner and form following: first I commend my soul
 to God who gave it and my body to the earth to be buried