

In the name of God amen. 98.

Abraham of Chatham County and State of North Carolina
being weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks
be to God and trusting to mind that it is appointed for all
men once to die and first of all I recommend my soul into
my maker's hands and my body I recommend to the ground
at the discretion of my executors hereafter named and what
it, what it hath pleased God to bestow on me as to temporal
goods I bestow in the following manner —

First of all I leave to my wife beloved Wife Mary. Thatcher the
use of all my personal estate, as long as continues my
widow or death that is to say my Land, Stock of every kind
all working Tools of every kind, and at her death or marriage
my desire is that my two sons by the names of Wiley
Thatcher and Lewis Thatcher shall have my Land to be divided
equally between each of them, and the rest of my estate my
desire is that shall be equally divided among all my Children
that is now single. I leave to my son Kershaw Thatcher
the sum of five Shillings to be raised out of my estate
I leave to my Daughter Lucy Ann Harris the sum of five
shillings to be raised out of my estate.

I do nominate leave and appoint my Wife Mary Thatcher
I my son William Thatcher to be executors to this my last
Will and Testament making all other Wills by me made
in intire, which I have heretofore by my hand and affixed
my Seal this 6 day Oct 1797. Abraham Thatcher Seal

Testamentally

• Jackson Armstrong &

per me Am. Signum 1805
by Jackson Armstrong