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Equally be divided between his or her Children & I do hereby
disannul & make void all other wills bequestments Legacies herebefore
made by me & doth Acknowledge this to be my last will and Testament
& I do constitute James Newlin & Thomas Lindly to be my whole & sole
Executors of this my last will and Testament in witness whereunto
I have set my hand & seal this thirtieth day of June In the year
of our Lord one Thousand Seven hundred & ninety nine
Signed Sealed Pronounced & declared / John Pyle Esq
by the s^d John Pyle as his last
will & Testament in the Presence
of us who in his presence ~~and~~ in the
Presence of each other have
hereunto Subscribed our names

John Newlin

Jacob Newlin

In the name of God amen I John Minter Sen^r of Chatham County &
State of North Carolina being in perfect mind and memory bless be God
for the same, do make and ordain to this to be my last will and Testament in
manner and form as follows, that is to say my soul I commend to God that
it gave it, and my body to the earth to be buried at the discretion of my Executors
hereafter named. I also will that all my just debts and several expenses be first
discharged - I also will that everything that I have given to each and
every one of my children in their bequests before this date, that
they shall have to dispose of as they think best
I will that the plantation with the whole tract of land, whereon I now live
and also a tract of Two hundred and sixty six acres and an half be equally divided
between my beloved wife Elizabeth Minter and my son Joseph Minter and my

beloved wife to have her choice after the decision, and I will after her death my will is
that my said son Joseph, his heirs and assigns shall possess all the aforesaid lands for ever
him My will is that my that my fishery be equal between my wife Elizabeth and son
Joseph during my said wife's life and at her death the whole to belong to my said son
Joseph him and his heirs forever

I give and bequeath to my son John Minter fifty pounds north carolina currency
to be paid out of the sales of my present estate after my wife's death hereafter mentioned
I give and bequeath to my son Morgan Minter five pounds to be paid in same
manner as my son John's legacy

I give to my Daughter Agnes Evans five pounds to be paid as my son
John and Morgan

My will and desire is that at my beloved wife Elizabeth
Minter's death my Negroes hereafter named shall be sold and the
Money arising shall be Equally divided amongst my six Children
Morgan Minter Judith Womack Elizabeth Burns John Minter
Jane Riddle and Joseph Minter to wit. Simon & Joanna together
Peter Sarah and Dinna and all my house hold goods horses Waggons cattle
hoy and ship and all my working tools and the ^{money} arising shall be
divided after paying the Legacies aforesaid amongst my said six
Children Morgan Judith Elizabeth John Jane and Joseph

Lastly I will that my beloved wife Elizabeth Minter be
appointed Executrix with my two sons John Minter and Joseph Minter
Executors to this my last will and Testament Revoking and annulling
all other former will or wills by me here before made and
ratifying and affirming this to be my last will and
Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal this 14th day of June Anno domini 1788

Signed Sealed published and declared
in the presence of us and in
the presence of each other

James

John Ramsey

John Ramsey

Rev. Colburn

John Winter

In the name of God amen I Abraham Hollowell of the County
of Chatham in State of North Carolina through the abundant mercy
of God of sound and perfect understanding and memory do constitute and
appoint this my Last Will and Testament hoping it will be successful
as such. I implore I commit and most humbly beseech my soul to
my maker beseeching his most Gracious acceptance of it through the
sufficient merit and mediation of my most Compassionate Redeemer Jesus
Christ who gave himself to be an atonement for my sins who is able
to save to the utmost all that come unto God by him seeing he can
live to make Intercession for them, and who I trust will not reject
me a returning penitent sinner when I come unto him for Mercy.
In this hope and confidence I render up soul with Comfort
beseeching the most blessed and Glorious Trinity one God most
holy most Merciful and gracious to prepare me for the time of
my Dissolution, and then take me to himself into that peace and
rest and incomparable Felicity which he has prepared for all
that love and fear his Holy Name Amen

Blessed be God I implore I give my body to the Earth

from whence it ~~was~~ taken in full Assurance of its
Resurrection from thence at the last day and as for my
Worldly Estate that has Pleased God to possess me with I give
and bequeath in manner and form following Namely my
twice is that all my Last debts be paid first I then give
unto my two sons, Levi and John Hollowell Each of them
a Legacy A cott of five which they now claim

Item I leave to my loving Wife Martha Hollowell
all the East my Lands and Living during her Natural
Life for the better Maintaining her self & Children and
after her decease then all lands and living to be sold and Equally
divided amongst all my Children then living My son Levi as
his at last to have no advantage over his Brethren but all share
Equally. Lastly I nominate and appoint my loving wife
Martha Hollowell & my son Levi Hollowell Executors and
Quintors of this my last Will and Testament in Witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and seal this seventeenth day of
in the year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred &

Pentecost

William Dadds

George Williams

Thomas Vinson

Abraham ^{high} Hollowell

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