

State of North Carolina
 Chatham County

Know all men by these presents That I John Houghton being of sound mind do make this my will and Testament in manner and form as followeth
 Item I give and bequeath to my beloved wife the following negroes to wit Negro men Bob Dave Jack Cupper & Betty his wife Moss Frank Edy Maria & Judge To her and heirs forever Also I lend to my beloved wife during her life Simsey Barbory Margarite little Betty Feriber willis little Theophilus Eliza and Peter and at her death the last mentioned negroes that I have loaned to my wife to be equally divided between my two sons & their heirs forever

I also give the use of all my lands on the north side of Sap River except one acre including my Tobacco Factory and Grist Mills to my wife during her life also my Toll Bridge I also give to my wife my two carriage Horses & carriage hire cows and calves her choice six rows & pigs my side Board and glass ware & crockery all my silver spoons silver Plate Knives & forks &c I also give my wife a waggon & four mules her choice I also give her four beds & furniture all my household & kitchen furniture except my large Brass clock which I give to my son Lawrence

I give & bequeath to my son John Two Thousand dollars & the following negroes to wit Lou Thel⁵⁹¹elus Ned Yellow Harnet Black Harnet B & Char

and Molly his wife Burton & Lenny his wife & all Jenny's children Isaac Jerry Aaron Edney & Henry to him and his heirs forever

I give and bequath to my son Lawrence the following property to wit all my land that I own on the south side of Deep River which lands I bought of Joseph Sebrute John & Maudock McIntosh & Richard Bond my saw mill & grist & Merchant mill provided he shall have his Mothers grain ground free of toll whenever the mill shall be in order for grinding also all the land that I own on the North side of Deep River after the death of my wife I also give to my son Lawrence the following negroes Dick & Tamer his wife and all Tamer's children Austin Aris John and his wife Betsey and all Betsey's children Big George Little George Siller Nelson Shadrack Leah & Melim & Sally his wife to him and his heirs forever

I give and bequath to my grand daughter Mary Ann W Haughton a negro girl by name of Nancy and girl Fanny & one bed and furniture to remain with my wife until my grand daughter shall come to the age of fifteen years to her and her heirs forever

I give and bequath to my grand daughter Maria Caroline Haughton a Negro girl by the name of Emma to her & her heirs forever
 I give and bequath to my grand son John & his heirs forever the name of Emma to her & her heirs forever
 I give to my grand daughter son John Haughton a negro boy by the name of Hubbard to him and his heirs forever

I give to my two sons John and Lawrence my Tobacco Factory and one acre of land around it and the balance of my negroes not given away

in legacies to be ²⁵⁵equally divided between them The balance of my property not given away in legacies I leave to be equally divided between my beloved wife & my two sons John and Lawrence to them & their heirs forever I leave my two sons John & Lawrence my Executors to this my last will & Testament

In witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this 12th day of April 1842
Acknowledged before

Nathl Clegg
R G Strains
Brooks Harris
John Haughton
J Haughton

State of North Carolina } May 8th 1848
Chatham County }

Know all men by These presents that I John Haughton do make this my last will & Testament I give & bequath to loving wife & Testament I give & bequath to loving wife Isaac instead of Peter as mentioned in the other part of my will also Burton during her life & after her death I give to my grand daughter Mary Ann W Haughton negro woman Barb =erry to her & her heirs forever I also give the use of Nancy to my wife during her life and then to Mary Ann as mentioned in my will on the other page of 1842 I give to my John & Haughton negro man Peter & boy Mack also one half of my Toll Bridge at Egypt the other half of the said bridge to my son Lawrence I Haught =ton My Coal mine I give Equally between my son John & my son Lawrence I give to my son John negro man Jerry instead of Little Aaron & Little Aaron to my son Lawrence

I give my Land in Robeson & Cumberland
between my two sons John & Lawrence I give
to my ~~son~~ grand son I & Haughton negro
girl by the name of Esther I give to my grand
daughter Jane McBride Haughton Bettrys dau-
ghter Martha & John son of John I give to my
grand daughter Mary Louisa Bettrys son Andy
and girl Elyza I give to my grand son Thos &
Haughton in addition to what is given him boy
Jim or little Jim I give to my grand daughter
Leatoline negro girl Affa, I give to my grand
son John Robert negro boy warren & girl Selilah
I give to my grand daughter Margaret boy Bur-
ton son of Burton & Laura I give to my grand dau-
ghter Susan negro girl Silby & Andrew son of
Edney I give to my son John one Thousand Dol-
lars instead of two Thousand dollars as mentioned
before this codicil to my will is made this 8th
day of May in the year of our Lord one thou-
sand eight hundred & forty eight as above written

John Haughton

State of North Carolina }
Chatham County } Court of Pleas & Quarter sessions Feb
1880

The above last will & testament of John Haughton decd
was duly proved in open court by the oaths of Brooks
Hamp Nathaniel Clegg & Rich^d J. Frazer the sub-
scribing witnesses thereto and also the Codicil to said last
will & testament was also proved in our forum of Law
by said witnesses whereupon John & Haughton and
Lawrence & Haughton the Executors therein named
appeared in open court & duly qualified as such by
taking each the oath prescribed by law

Teste

W. H. Taylor C C