

Wise and affable Incest, under whose care  
the executing this my last Will and Testament  
all other Wills and Testaments by me heretofore by  
made In witness whereof I have hereunto set my  
and affixed my Seal this the eighth day of June  
in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight hundred  
and seven.

Signed sealed & delivered in Presence of  
in the presence of  
Wm. C. Kelly  
Alexander Sloan

In the name of God amen. I William C. Kelly  
of the County of Chatham and State of North Carolina  
being of sound mind and memory, do make & declare  
my last Will and Testament. First I recommend my  
Soul to almighty God and my Body to be buried  
in a Christian like manner hoping through the  
of Christ for a happy resurrection. As to what will  
God as it hath pleased God to bestow upon me I  
dispose of in the following manner.

Item. To my beloved Wife Mary Magdalene Kelly  
I give and bequeath the use and profits and benefit  
of my whole estate both real and personal for the  
term of her natural life except such part thereof  
as an especially disposition of hereafter. Item. To my  
beloved Son William I give all my Tract of Land where  
I now live at the decease of my beloved Wife, also the

Priddy, Norriss and Harton, all at the death of my  
wife and not before. Item: To my son William Guthrie  
I give and bequeath two Negroes namely, Abram and  
Maryan, at the death of my beloved wife and before  
Item: To my son Beverly Guthrie I give two Negroes namely  
Sophia and Thomson, at the death of my beloved wife  
and not before. Item: To my son Claburn Guthrie I  
give three Negroes, namely, Al, Remond and Nelson  
for the use thereof he is to ~~now~~ lay out four hundred  
Dollars to raise and educate the children of Sam and  
Guthrie ex. namely William, John Emily Guthrie  
And as the children come of lawful age, he shall pay  
two hundred Dollars each - or case any of them shall  
die the surviving shall enjoy what is here left for the three  
I also give to my son Claburn Guthrie all the remaining  
part of my estate at the death of my wife to him and  
his heirs for ever. And I do appoint my son Claburn  
Guthrie executor to this my last Will and Testament  
custody also other former: In witness whereof, I have  
subscribed set my hand and seal this the Eighteenth  
day of April in the year of our Lord One thousand  
eight hundred and nine. William Guthrie

signed sealed and acknowledged  
in the presence of us

Bridget Blegg  
Theresa Blegg

proven & signed 1810  
by Thomas Blegg