

In the name of God Amen the second of April and Domin-
 one Thousand seven hundred and eighty. I Hugh Grimes being
 sick in Body but of good and perfect memory Thanks
 be to almighty God and calling to remembrance the
 uncertain State of this Transitory life and that all flesh
 must yield unto death when it shall please God to call
 Do make constitute ordain and Declare this my last will
 and testament in manner and form following writing
 and annulling by these presents all and every testament
 and Testaments will and wills heretofore by me made
 and declared either by word or writing and this is to be
 taken only for my last will and testament and none
 other and first being penitent and sorry from the bottom
 of my Heart for my sins past most Humbly desiring
 forgiveness for the same I give and commit my soul
 unto almighty God my savior and Redeemer in whom
 and by the merits of Jesus Christ I trust and believe
 already to be saved and to have full Remission and
 forgiveness of all my sins and that my soul with
 my Body at the general day of Resurrection shall rise
 again with joy and through the merits of Christ Death &
 passion possess and inherit the Kingdom of heaven
 prepared for his Elect and chosen, and my Body to be
 Buried in such a place as shall please my Executor
 hereafter named to appoint and now for the settling of
 my Temporal Estate and such goods Chattels and Debts
 as it hath pleased God for above my debts to bestow upon
 me I desire to give and dispose of the same in manner
 and form following that is to say. First of all I will
 that all those debts and dues as I owe in Right or
 conscience to my manner of Person or persons whatsoever shall
 be well and truly Computed & paid or ordered to be paid within
 convenient time after my decease by my Executor hereafter
 named. Item I give to my grandson John Grimes one feather
 Bed and furniture and the rest of my estate which I
 now possess I do lend to my beloved wife her lifetime.
 and at her decease to be equally divided amongst my
 Children and I leave my son Joseph Grimes and son

John Guimer, Executor to this my last will and testament
given under my hand and seal the day and date above
mentioned. In presence of us, John Whitehead, John Selmy S.
Barnwell, ^{marks} _{his} Whitehead.

Hugh Guimer (Seal)

State of N^c Carolina } January Court 1781.

Duplin County } There was the within will proved in
open court by the oath of John Sullivan and Barnwell
Whitehead two of the subscribing witnesses thereto and at
the same time Sampson Guimer one of the Executors thereto
came before the court and qualified by taking the oath of
an Executor agreeable to law. Orders that letters issue accordingly.

Test. W^m Dickson C.C.

In the name of God amen, I William Guy of Duplin
County and State of North Carolina being weak of body but
of perfect mind and memory, thanks be given unto God; calling
unto mind the mortality of body, and knowing that it is
appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain
this my last will and testament; that is to say, principally
and first of all, I give and recommend my soul unto the
hands of Almighty God that gave it, and my body I give &
recommend unto the earth, to be buried in a decent
Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors: Nothing
doubting but at the general resurrection I shall receive the
same again, by the mighty power of God. And as touching
such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless
me in this life, I give devise, and dispose of the same in
the following manner and form. Item. I give and bequeath
to my beloved wife Elizabeth Guy, two cows and calves, her
choir, two sows and pigs her choice, two geese and lambs, her
choice, two feather beds and furniture her choice, and all
the furniture she had at the time of our marriage, and
a part of my kitchen furniture, that is so much as may
be necessary for her accommodation, likewise my household
furniture, or so much thereof as she may need, and one
man, bridle, and saddle, and a sum of forty dollars
in money. Item. I leave unto my beloved wife two negroes