

and suggested themselves for that office and prayed an order for Letters
Testamentary thereon which was accordingly granted &c
Teste Lewis Baker Clerk

In the Name of God Amen I William Goodman
of the County of Yates Household being in health of body and of
perfect mind & memory Thanks be given to god, looking to mind the
mortality of the Body that is to say all men are once to die do make
& reveal this my Last will and Testament that is to say Principally
and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul to the Hands of God that
gives it and my Body I Recommend to the Earth to be buried in a decent
Christian Buriall at the Discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but
at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the power
of god almighty as touching such worldly Estate where with it is pleased
god to bless me in this Life I give Devise and Dispose of the same
in the following manner I have given unto my well beloved
son Henry Goodman my Testament where I now live in and all the

Lands belonging to the 2 Plantations and four Negroes named Anne and Susan
Sam and Abiah one further but I purchase and one hand mill and one Duff and
fifty acres of Land in Rogers Purchase. Item I give to my well beloved Son William
Goodman the Plantation where he now lives and all the Land that belongs to the
same and fifty acres of Land in Rogers Purchase and three Negroes named
Rachel and Luke and Jack also one well Table and one feather bed and furniture
I half Dozen of Black walnut chairs ten head of basketry Item I give to my
well beloved Daughter Mary King one Bellmottle Shillings and Two Negroes
Boys named Sam and Sam. Item I give to my well beloved Son John Goodman
Two negroes named Sarah and Mabel. Item I give to my well beloved Daughter
Elizabeth Kettrell Two negroes named Pegg and Dick and one Christ. Item I give
to my well beloved Daughter Chastity Holland Two negroes Charles named
Hannah and Pegg and my Riding mare I also appoint William Goodman
and Henry Goodman the sole Execut. of this my Last will and Testament
Notifying this to be my Last will and Testament in Witness whereof I have set
my Hand and and put my seal this third day of November 1780
William Goodman  Test William Phillips. ^{for} ^{my} Brother Mary & Sons

State of North Carolina before me ^{for} ^{my} Mary Superior Court of Pleas and
Quarter Sessions 1782. The above and within Will was read
by ^{me} ^{my} ^{my}

