

James Thornburg.

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I James Thornburg of Guilford County N. Carolina being somewhat
disposed of body and perfect in mind and senses do make and establish
my last will & testament in manner and form following that is to say

First - I will that all my just debts be paid by my Executors
hereinafter named.

It is also my will that my beloved wife Mary Thornburgh have the
use and profits of this plantation that I now live on as long as she
remains my widow also the use and service of as much stock and plantation
as my Executors shall think proper for her support.

Item - I give and bequeath unto her the sorrel mare that she
now rides on and her choice of one feather bed that is now in the
house with its furniture during her natural life and one half of the crop
of the plantation it is also my will that she have one year's provision out of the crop.

Item - I give unto my son Thomas Thornburgh ten shillings I also
give unto my son Richard Thornburgh ten shillings I also give and bequeath
unto my son Benjamin Thornburgh fifty acres of land off of the South
East corner of this tract that I now live on with all privileges thereunto
belonging to him and his heirs for ever - I also give my above mentioned
son Thomas one acre of land off of the aforesaid tract including the spring
and water that he makes use of to him and his heirs forever

I give unto my daughter Rachel Mendenhall ten shillings
I also give unto my daughter Sarah Raye ten shillings - I give

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unto my daughter Edigail Stanley ten shillings - I also give unto my daughter Ann Jackson ten shillings - I also give unto my daughter Mary Clark one cow and lamb - I also give and bequeath unto my daughter Martha Thornbrough all the remainder part of my household and citchen furniture except what my Executors shall think proper for my wife use while she remains my widow I also give her one cow and calf and one sheep it is my will also that she have the use and privilege of my dwelling house for a home while she remains a single life

Item I give and bequeath unto my son-in-law Edward Stanley that tract of land lying the west side of Brush Creek that was formerly my fathers with all the privileges ^{unto belonging} there, to him and his heirs forever, with providing and supplying my step mother Martha Thornbrough with a decent and comfortable living while she remains my fathers widow - It is also my will at the death or marriage of my wife that this plantation should live or be sold at private or public sale and divided amongst my children and also the remaining stock

And lastly I constitute and appoint my son Thomas Thornbrough and Nathaniel Coffin Executors to this my last will & testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and put my seal intended before signed

In the presence of us this 18th of the 4th Mo. 1816

per
Nathaniel Coffin

Paul McCoy (clerk)

Esther X Coffin

mark

James Thornbrough

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James Thornburgh

^{my} Nathaniel Coffin
^{my} Paul Macy (Clerk)
^{my} Esther & family

State of North Carolina

Guilford County August Term, 1814

Paul Macy proved the execution of the within will in open
 court and on motion ordered to be recorded. - Then ~~executors~~ The Executors
 appointed in said will came into open court and qualified as such
 accordingly

Test John Hamilton Clerk

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James Thornburgh