

In the name of God amen this the 22^d day of December in the
Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred & Eight I John Johnson of
Guilford County & State of North Carolina, being weak in body, but of
sound memory thanks to God, but calling to mind the mortality of
my body, & knowing that it is appointed for men once to die Do make
& Ordain this my last Will & Testament & first I Give & recommend my
Soul into the Hands of God who gave it, & my body I Give & recom-
mend to the Earth to be buried in a decent Christian manner at the
discretion of my Executors, nothing doubting but that I shall receive the
same again by the mighty power of God, & as touching such worldly
Estate as it has pleased God to bless me with in this life. I Give
devise & dispose of the same in the following manner & form
I promise. Item My Will & desire is first that my lawful debts
& funeral Charges be fully paid & satisfied. Item My desire is that my
Land Stock & property of every kind to be sold at public sale & be equally
divided amongst my Brothers & Sisters Children.
Now I make & Ordain constitute & appoint Alexander Johnson &
William Johnson my whole & sole Executors of this my last Will &
Testament. & I do hereby disallow ~~Revoke~~ & disannull all & every
Other Will or Wills or any Executors ratifying & Confirming this & no
Other to be my last Will & Testament. In Testimony whereof I have
Hereunto Set my hand & Seal The day & Year first Above written
Signed Sealed ~~Subscribed~~ & acknowledged
pronounced & declared by the said John
Johnson to be his last Will & Testament
In the presence of us the Subscribers
Witnesses

John Johnson 

Daniel Sherwood
George Johnson & Son

State of North Carolina
Guilford County
November Term 1816

The execution of the within Will was proven in Open Court by the Oaths
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thereto. On motion Ordered to be Recorded

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