

Richard Simpson, Senr.

In the name of God amen - I Richard Simpson, Senr. being in a low state of health of body but perfect in mind & memory calling to mind the mortality of my body I do hereby make this my last will and testament in full and perfect manner that is my funeral expenses and debts to be paid first

I give unto Sarah Simpson my beloved wife one third of all my lands her lifetime likewise one third of all my other estate her lifetime

I give unto my son William fifty acres of land at the upper end of my land where my brother Thomas Simpson formerly lived and the remainder

I give to my three other sons to be equally divided amongst them namely Peter Richard & James and likewise Sarah's part of the land at her decease to be equally divided among the above intended named Peter Richard & James

I give my nephew Thomas Knight my young son's name and all the rest of my estate to be equally divided amongst all my children namely Peter Phuraby William Richard Eleazer and James and likewise

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at which I desire her part of movable estate to be equally divided amongst
all my children.

I likewise appoint my two eldest sons Peter & William to be the executors
of this my last will & testament and do hereby entirely disavow all others
this 20th November 1802

Thos. Kirkman

Richard Simpson (Groom)

Richard ^{this} Simpson
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State of North Carolina,

Guilford County. } February Court 1804

The within will was admitted to record by the verdict of a jury
impaneled on the issue of a caveat tried in open Court - Then came Peter
Simpson & William Simpson & qualified as Executors to said will

Test John Hamilton Clerk

Henry Thompson.

File # 0373

North Carolina Guilford County Second Creek July 22, 1771

In the name of God amen I Henry Thompson being in perfect
mind and memory and calling to my mind the mortality of my body I do
commit my body to the ground to be decently buried and my soul to God who
gave it and my estate and effects I bequeath and dispose of in manner and
form following all my just and lawful debts is to be paid and then
I give and bequeath to my beloved wife all my household goods and all
my personal estate to her.