

Thomas Jenkins.

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In the name of God amen. - The 15th day of the third month called March in the
of our Lord 1770 - I Thomas Jenkins of the Province of North Carolina & County of T
in person being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be to
for it calling to mind that it is once appointed for man to die do make and ordain
my last will and Testament that is to say

Principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hand of
that give it; and for my body I recommend it to the earth to be buried in a Christian
manner at the discretion of my Executors and as touching such worldly estate wherewith
 hath pleased God to bless me with in this life I give devise and dispose of the same
in the following manner and form.

Item: It is my will and I do order that first of all my just debts and
and charges be paid and satisfied.

Item: I give and bequeath unto Leticia my beloved wife one third part of all
estate goods and chattes and if it should so happen that there should be any
of of the aforesaid thirds remaining after her decease it is my mind that my
beloved son then should have the said remaining part and further I give unto Leticia
beloved wife her bed and the furniture thereunto belonging and all her wearing clothes
be disposed of as she see meet

Item: I give and bequeath to Ann Smith my beloved daughter one shilling
nothing and no more

Item: I give and bequeath to my beloved son David Jenkins one shilling
nothing and no more.

Item: I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Martha Lee one

beloved wife her be and the sum of
be disposed of as she see meet

Item: I give and bequeath to Ann Smith my beloved daughter one shilling
starting and no more

Item: I give and bequeath to my beloved son David Jenkins one shilling
starting and no more.

Item: I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Martha Lee one
shillings starting and no more.

Item - I give and bequeath to my beloved son Thomas Jenkins one shilling
starting and no more.

Item - I give and bequeath to my beloved son John Jenkins all the remaining part
of my estate goods and chattes which shall be found in and above what is above
mentioned to him and his assigns forever - And I do further constitute make and
ordain the aforesaid John Jenkins and the above mentioned Thomas Jenkins
Executors of this my last will and testament. and I do hereby utterly disallow revoke
and disannul all every other former testament wills legacies and Executors by me
in any ways before this time named, written and bequeathed ratifying and confirming
this and no other to be my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and
year above written.

Thomas ^{his} Jenkins 
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Signed, Sealed, published, pronounced
and delivered by the said Thomas Jenkins as
his last will and testament in the presents
of us the subscribers

Samuel Clyburn (Jurat)
Joseph Clyburn

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1774
North Carolina, Guilford County. — November Court 1771.

Then the within last will & Testament of Thomas Jenkins (deceased) was produced Open Court Court by the oath of Samuel Cyburn one of the subscribing witnesses thereto & on motion ordered to be recorded. — Then came in John Thomas Jenkins who were by the said Statute appointed Executors of the said will & qualified as such agreeable to Law

Test — Tho Henderson C. J.

Michael Jordan.

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In the name of God amen. I Michael Jordan of Guilford County South Carolina being sick & weak in body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, and it being probable that my present disorder may carry me out of this world; do therefore make this my last will & Testament. First I commend my body to be buried decently at the direction of our Magistrate; and my soul I earnestly recommend & commit to the hand of that Merciful God who gave it, and intend the Almighty Father of Mercies that thro' the mediation of Christ the Redeemer, my soul may be reconciled to God & live in the joys of everlasting happiness.

As to my worldly estate I dispose of the same to my well beloved wife Mary to wit my house & lot in the town of Millington. I give & devise to my said wife Mary & to her heirs & assigns forever, my improvement & house in Guilford County near the Court house, I give & devise to my said W^{ife} her heirs & assigns forever all my money stock furniture goods and chattels, & all my estate real & personal whatsoever & in whatsoever place the same may be, I give &

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