

A wife - I am my wife and estate is mine and the remainder of my estate which
is not given away in my will both real and personal be sold by my Executors &
the money arising from said sale be equally divided between all my children and
wife share and share alike - I do nominate and appoint Holloway Morris and
Acquilla Morris to be Executors to this my last will and Testament and do hereby
rescind and revoke all former wills heretofore by me made and do publish and
declare this to be my last will & Testament in presence of -

Henry Bradford
John Crowell

Hezekiah Morris 

Califax County ff August Session 1799 Then this will was exhibited in Open
Court and duly proved by the oath of Samuel Crowell one of the subscribing wit-
nesses thereto and on motion granted to be Recorded whereupon Holloway Morris &
Acquilla Morris the Executors therein named came in and was duly qualified thereto

Morris

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Califax Will etc. 1799

In the Name of God Amen I Calyx Hill of the County of Franklin State
of North Carolina, being at the house of William Hill in the County of Halifax and in a
low state of health but of sound mind and memory, do make and declare this to be my last
will and Testament in form & manner as follows. First, I give my body over to God who gave
me my existence, in hope of being saved thro' the merits of Jesus Christ my Lord & Saviour
Secondly I give and bequeath all my slaves namely, Manice, Oliver, Sam, Dick, Charity, & her young
Third I give and bequeath to four men, namely, Hill Jones, of the County of Warren State of
North Carolina, To Edmund Jones of the County of Halifax and State aforesaid To Seth
Parham Morcht of the County of Sussex State of Virginia & to Richard Grimes Member
of the Methodist Church in the last mentioned State & near the said Seth Parham

To be their lawful property & for them to keep or dispose of as they shall judge to be
most for the glory of God & the good of the said slaves but in case either of those men
should be dead or should decease before they get the said negroes in possession it is my
will and I do in that case give and bequeath the said slaves to those of them who
may survive or live to get these said negroes in possession. Thirdly I leave my land
and stock consisting of Horses, Cattle, Hogs &c. with my household furniture and all the
rest of my property to be sold and my bonds & notes to be collected and after all my debts
and funeral charges are paid I desire that the money should be disposed in the follow-
ing manner; I give & bequeath to my brother Robert Hill one hundred dollars for the
purpose of his Education, Also I give and bequeath to my brother Thomas Hill
one hundred dollars for the purpose of his Education, I give and bequeath unto the above
mentioned Hill Sons, Edmunda Jones, Hith Parham & Richard Givens the sum of one
hundred dollars to be divided amongst my three old negroes namely Daniel, Eliza and
Sam or to be applied to the purpose of maintaining them if they should not be able
to support themselves, Lastly it is my will and desire that all the rest or balance of
money should be equally divided between all my brother & sisters in the following
manner one fifth part to Benjamin Hill one fifth part to Robert Hill one fifth part
to Thomas Hill one fifth part to Elizabeth Gant and the last fifth part to be equally
divided amongst the children of Sarah Adams. And I do hereby appoint the above
mentioned Hill Sons & Edmunda Jones to be the Executors of this my last will and
testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this nineteenth
day of May one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine.

Signed & Acknowledged

In presence of us

James Hunter

Wm. Hill

Halifax County

Callen Hill



Exhibited in open Court and duly proved by oath of William Clanton Hill one of
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thereto —

Witness

Wm Hill

In the Name of God Amen, I Sarah Carter of Halifax County, being