

Chloe Blount Co. Will

In the name of God Amen I Chloe Blount of the County of Halifax
and State of North Carolina the weak in Body yet of perfect and sound
mind & memory do make and declare this to be my last will and testament
in manner & form following. I give and devise unto my son William
one feather Bed Furniture then I give and devise unto my daughter Eliza
Blount one feather Bed Furniture also one Chest and twenty Dollars for the
purpose of Schooling. Then I give and devise unto my son Archibald Blount
one feather Bed Furniture and twenty Dollars for the purpose of Schooling.
Then I desire that after my Just debts are paid and Legacies herebefore
made that the rest and residue of my Estate be equally divided among my
three Children William Blount Elizabeth Blount & Archibald Blount
Sisters. I do nominate and appoint my Brother Joseph Blount and my
friend William Davis whole & sole Executors of this my last will and testament
making void all other wills by me made and I desire that ^{the} whole Estate
may be settled and divided at the election and discretion of these my
Executors. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed
my seal this fifteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand
seven hundred & ninety eight

Signed & sealed in the presence of
John Harrison Ben Blount Chauncy ^{his} Pullen

Chloe ^{her} Blount ^{mark} Seal

Halifax County N.C. February 23rd 1800

Then this will was exhibited in Chancery Court and duly proved by the Oath
of Benjⁿ Blount one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and on motion Ordered to
be Recorded whereupon ^{the} Blount one of the ^{2nd} ^{persons} named came & was duly qualified ^{with}