

Declare this to be his last Will & Testament & that at the time
of signing the same he was of sound mind & memory to the
best of their knowledge & belief Whereupon Josiah Sumner
& James Sumner Duall as Executors of his Motion Craved to
be Recorded. Test Wm. Hooten Clerk

In the Name of God Amen. I Elizabeth Johnson of the
County of Halifax being in a low state of health but thanking
be to God of a perfect sound mind & memory & knowing
that it is appointed for all persons Once to die do make &
Ordain this my last Will & Testament in manner and
form as follows, First & principally I Recommend my
Soul to the Almighty God as gave it & my body to be Buried
at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter Mentioned
& as Touching my worldly Estate I Give & Bequeath in the following
Manner Vizt

87. 1. I give unto my Daughters Elizabeth Taylor & Hannah Rawlings & Elizabeth Doe five Shillings Each to them & their heirs for ever —

2. I give unto my Daughter Rebekah Morris all my Estate Real & Personal, all my Lands, Stock House hold Furniture of every kind whatsoever to her her heirs or assigns for ever. I also appoint my Daughter Rebekah Morris my whole & sole Executrix of this my last Will & Testament, Renouncing & Revoking all other Wills here before made by me To all Intents & Purposes as

Witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand & Seal this third Day of December A.D. One thousand Seven Hundred & Eighty three —

Signe Seald & Delivered
in presence of

Elizabeth Morris
her mark

The name of Elizabeth Doe was interlined before a signer
Chas Moore Elizabeth ^{signer} Stafford

signed sealed & Delivered
in presence of

Elizabeth Johnson Seal
marks

The name of Elizabeth Doe was Interlined before a signed
Chas Moore, Elizabeth ^{afford} ~~afford~~
mark

Halifax County N.C. Feb Court 1783
When the aforesaid Will was read in Open Court &
Duly proved by the Oaths of Chas Moore & Eliz. afford
two of the Subscribing Witnesses thereto who on their Oaths
Did say that they saw the Testator sign seal publish &
Declare this to be his Last Will & Testament &
that at the time of signing the same he was of sound
mind & memory to the best of their knowledge and
belief and on Motion Ordered to be Recorded

Test. Mr. Wooten Clerk