

Joseph Winter's will

In the name of God Amen. I Joseph Winter of the County of Halifax and State of the Carolina being very sick in body but of perfect sound mind & memory do make & ordain this to be my last will & Testament in manner & form following.. I give to my loving wife Sally Winter the land & plantation, whereon I now live during her life.. and at her death I give to my son William Winter one Half of the said Tract of Land to him and his heirs for ever, and the other half I give to be equally divided amongst my Daughters, Betsey, Ruthy Paddy & Penny to them & their heirs for ever. I also give to my wife during her life all the stock of every kind, and the household furniture & plantation utensils and at her death, I give one half of the amount of them to my son, William Winter and his heirs for ever. and the other to be Equally divided between my Daughters, Betsey, Ruthy Paddy & Penny to them & their heirs for ever. And I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my son William Winter and Patrick Martin to be Executors to this my last will & Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 21st of December 1794

Rhosham Warner, Patrick Martin, William Winter Sen^r.

Joseph X Winter
his mark



Halifax County J^s February Sessions 1795 Per. This will was exhibited in open Court & duly proved by the Oaths of Rhosham Warner and Patrick Martin two of the subscribing Witnesses. Patrick Martin on Motion ordered to be Recorded & Returnen. William Winter, one of the Executors in the said will named came in and was duly Qualified there to.

Witness
J^s Long

John Worley's will

I John Worley of Halifax County South Carolina being very sick, but in my proper senses & right mind, but calling to mind the mortality of man, I hereby give up my body to God after a decent manner and my soul to God to be saved it, further as to my Goods, Chattels and lands, I desire all my Just debts paid and after this word wish to dispose of my Estate as follows to wit, I give to my son David Worley all my lands I possess on the East side of Warrenton Branch. I give unto my Grand Daughters Elizabeth & Anne Worley one feather bed and quilted, two wooden chairs and two pair cards and a Gun which to be Equally divided between them. I also give unto my daughter Mary Moore one half of the land I now live on to take all the South Side of my Spring Branch and the balance until she get half she is to take on the North side of my plantation on the back line also I give to my son John Worley the