

Milly Pitman dec. Will

North Carolina In the Name of God Amen I Milly Pitman
of Halifax County in the State aforesaid being of sound and perfect mind
and memory thanks be to God but calling to mind the mortality of
mankind and knowing it is appointed for all men Once to die do make
and Ordain constitute and appoint this my last will and Testament
in manner & form following to wit, Item I give and bequeath unto my brother
Elisha Pitman five pounds Currency, Item I give and bequeath unto my sister
Lucy Haynes five pounds Currency, Item I give and bequeath unto my sister
Chloe Pitman five pounds Currency, Item I give and bequeath unto my brother
Arthur Pitman five pounds Currency, Item I give and bequeath unto my sister
Ann Brantly five pounds Currency, Item I give and bequeath unto my sister
Phoebe Rawls forty shillings Currency, Item I give and bequeath unto my brother
Elijah Pitman my Loom and all of the Looms now and belonging, Item I
bequeath unto my sister Sophia Pitman all of my Clothing Cotton & Flax
Item I give ~~and bequeath~~ unto my brother John Pitman my Chest & Trunk
also all of my Books, Item I give and bequeath unto my brother John Pitman
son Thomas Pitman my negro woman Peg, Item I give and bequeath unto
my brother John Pitman's daughter Sarah Pitman my Saddle, Item it is
my will and desire that the residue of my Estate should be sold & be
equally divided between my brother John Pitman and in case my sister
Sophia Pitman live until it is sold and divided unto her & my brother
John Pitman's son Thomas Pitman and his daughter Sarah Pitman

my wife, and desires that the residue of my Estate should be sold & be
 equally divided between my brother John Pitman and in case my wife
 Sophia Pitman dies until it is sold and divided unto her & my brother
 John Pitman's son Thomas Pitman and his daughter Sarah Pitman
 to be equally divided when she shall marry I heretofore constitute and
 appoint my brother John Pitman Esq. to be my true and lawful
 hereby making and discharging all other wills by me heretofore made
 In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 2^d Day of
 January 1799

Signed Sealed published & declared
 by the said Melly Pitman to be his
 Last Will & Testament in presence of us
 Henry Dawson Martha ^{his} Edwards
 witnesses

Melly ^{his} Pitman
 Mark

Halifax County, N.C.

February Session 1799 Then this will was exhibited in
 open Court and duly proved by the oath of Henry Dawson one of
 the subscribing witnesses thereto and on motion ordered to be recorded
 and thereupon John Pitman Esq. ^{then} called came in and was duly
 qualified to the same

Melly Pitman
 Henry Dawson

and wife

In the name of God Amen I Mary Hall of the County of Halifax
 and State of North Carolina being weak of mind and memory