

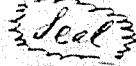
Will: Killingsworth

In the Name of God Amen. I William Killingsworth of the County of Halifax & State of North Carolina, being in bad health but of sound mind and memory, do make and ordain this my last will & Testament revoking all others by me heretofore made. First. It is my will and desire That all my just debts should be paid. Secondly. It is my will & desire, That my dear wife Elizabeth Killingsworth should have the whole of the Plantation whereon I now live during her natural life, Then to my Son William Bradford Gilchrist Killingsworth, also for all my negroes to be kept on the plantation untill my Son arrives to the age of Twenty one, Then the negroes to be equally divided between my wife Elizabeth Killingsworth, and my Son William B. G. Killingsworth. I also give one half of the Proceeds of s.^d Plantation & negroes to my wife Elizabeth Killingsworth or as much thereof should the above mentioned half be not sufficient to support her in her usual style, The balance of the proceeds should there be any, to go to the benefit of my Son William B. G. Killingsworth. But in case my wife Elizabeth Killingsworth marries, The Land, Negroes & Property of whatsoever kind to be equally divided between my Son William B. G. Killingsworth and my wife Elizabeth Killingsworth. The one half of the Land to be hers for Life, Then to my Son William B. G. Killingsworth, and the one half of all the Negroes and other Property to her, her heirs & assigns for ever. Lastly. I nominate & appoint my friend Doctor Isaac Edwards my whole & sole Executor to this my last will & Testament and Guardian to my Son William B. G. Killingsworth, giving him full power to allot and sell any part of my Sons Portion real or personal at any time and make full & sufficient titles for the benefit of raising and educating my Son William. In Evidence of which I set my hand and Seal this sixth day of April in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight hundred & Ten.

Signed sealed & Acknowledged

Presence of Nancy ^{her} Green. Arthur Arrington

(Gilchrist County)

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support her in her usual style, The balance of the proceeds should there be any, to go
to the benefit of my Son William B. G. Killingsworth. But in case my wife Eliza-
Killingsworth marries, The Land, Negroes & Property of whatsoever kind to be
equally divided between my Son William B. G. Killingsworth and my wife Eli-
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Presence of Nancy ^{her} Green. Arthur Arrington
Mark
Halifax County

William Killingsworth 

May Session 1811 Then this Will was exhibited in open Court and duly proved by The Oaths of
Nancy Green and Arthur Arrington the subscribing witnesses Thereon and O. M. O. K.
whereupon Isaac Edwards the Executor in the said Will named came into open Court
& was duly Qualified there to

Witness H. P. Burges Clerk