

North Carolina In the Name of God Amen I Mary
Apple County Inlens Being sick and weak of Body
But of perfect mind and memory
Blessed be God for the same do constitute and ordain this my
Last will and Testament in manner and form following
first I give & Bequeath my South Gock that gav it me and my
Body to be Buried in a decent manner at the discretion
of Execution hereafter named as for my worldly Goods the
Lord of his mercy hath been pleased to bestow upon me I give unto
Elizabeth Gladding one hand mill and living well, two
pulverishes two pinte Basons four pinte plates one Doz
youth all my Cattle to all my hogs chot to me from pastime
Item I give unto Ann Fortson one shilling Sterling
Item I give unto Jasper Walls one shilling Sterling
as for all the Remainder of my living that I have not
already given both within and without,
I give to Elizabeth Gladding I will that Solomon
Row be Executor to this my Last Will & Testament.

Mabel Tally
Dina Carter
Elizabeth Carter

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P. D. Hamm c.c.

Mary ^{her} Indorse ^{Seal}

In the Name of God Amen I Charles Wilkinson of the County of Hyde
in the province of North Carolina being in perfect Health do make
and ordain this my Last will and Testament in form following
that is to say I give and Bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty
God that guard and my Body beneath the Earth to be decently Interred
at the discretion of my Executor and tucking such worldly Estate which
it hath pleased God to bless me with I will and Bequeath in
the following Manner & form of Give and Bequeath unto my son
Jacob Wilkinson two hundred acres of Land lying in the fork of Broad
Creek & partage which I bought of John Seckley there I give to my son
Jacob Wilkinson fifty acres more or less joining to Seckley's Land on
Broad Creek which Land I bought of Groseuke, there I give and Bequeath
unto my son Jacob Wilkinson two hundred acres of Land which I bought
of William Webster laying on the North side of Broad Creek facing Rose.
I give and Bequeath to my son Jacob Wilkinson his negro fellow
named Jack and Jack one feather Bed and Furniture, three Hounds
to myself Elizabeth Wilkinson on the plantation whereon I now live
with all privileges on the said Land during her widowhood or life
with liberty of the Privileges of Rale timber to support the
plantation from Jacks neck with the privilege of creatures
giving the said Jacks neck there I give and Bequeath to my son
Jacob Wilkinson all the Land down in Jacks neck after my said
with a negro fellow named Suck with a Boy named Marks.

Item I give and Bequeath to my son Isaac Wilkinson the plantation whereon
I now live after the death of his mother or at her marriage there
I give to my son Isaac Wilkinson one feather Bed and Furniture
Item I give and Bequeath to my son Aaron Wilkinson all the Land
which I have on Blanks Creek on the south side of Rale
with a Negro girl named Bridget and a Negro Boy named another
negro boy named Lump with a feather Bed and Furniture,

Item I give and Bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Wilkinson two
hundred acres of Land lying on Orange Swamp which I bought of
Harr with a negro fellow named Sam and a negro girl named Vickie and
a negro boy named Harry, Item I give to my wife Elizabeth
Wilkinson during her widowhood one Negro fellow Peter with a
negro wench named Mimi and a Negro wench named
Hannah and a negro wench named Jude and a Negro
Carried over

girl named Ruth with a third part of my cattle Horses, sheep
and all household furniture Excepting my guns a set traps carpenter
8 couple Tools which I desire to equally Divide Between my
three Sons Isaac Jacob & Aaron Item I leave fifteen pounds in
hand money for the schooling of my son Aaron Wilkinson
Item I desire that if any of my Estate be sold it may be Equally
Divided among my children in that ~~is~~ if sold by way of
Debtors I desire that the mother of my three Sons Isaac Jacob &
Aaron may have the privilege of selling Land or negroes until
they are Thirty years of Age Item I desire that if any of
my Children die without Heirs that the Estate I give them may
be Equally Divided among the Rest of my children.

Item I give and bequeath to my son Isaac Jacob and Aaron and Daughter
Eliz. ^{A.} Wilkinson all the Dowers of My wife wife Eliz. Wilkinson
all the Estate with the increase of Property little & much I further
During her widowhood or life to be Equally Divided amongst
them. Item I likewise Constitution and Appoint my will
Beloved wife Executrix and also my son Isaac Executor of
the my last will and Testament and hereby utterly
Divide her people and Dismiss all and Every other former Testament
Witness Whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this fourtenth
Day of December in the Year of Our Lord one thousand seven
hundred and seventy eight.

Israel Wilkinson *Seal*

Littleton Terman
Joseph Ferguson } Testator
Henry Robinson

Nov^r Court 1780
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Caleb Foreman Esq

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In the Name of God Amen, The Thirteenth of March and in the year
of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty William Gibbs.⁴
of the County of Hyde and in the State of North Carolina being weak in Body
but of Perfect mind and memory Praise be God I therefore calling to mind
the mortality of my Body and that it is appointed for all men to die I hereby
ordain this my Last Will and Testament that is to say principally first of all
I give and recommend my soul to the hands of God that gave it and my Body
here commend to the Earth to be Buried in a decent Christian burial at the
Discretion of Executors hereafter mentioned not doting but at the
General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty
Power of Almighty God and retaining such worldly Estate where with it
hath pleased God to bless me with in this life I give and dispose in the
same in the manner and form following First I give and devise to my eldest
son William Gibbs Two hundred acres of Land where on he now lives
and upwards and downwards of his fellow named Apia and two hundred cattle
that now at his age are, Item I give and addresse to my son Sally Gibbs one
half of the Land I now live on Item I give and devise to my son
Jerniah Gibbs the Southward half of the Land I now live on.

Item I give and devise to my son Benjamin Gibbs that Land where on the
Widow Bennett now lives and one negro Boy called George one feather Bed
and furniture and one young man and three cows and colors
Item I give and devise to son Job Gibbs one negro gall called Nam
and one hundred and fifty Pounds in Gold and Silver and three cows
and colors and further to my will and desire that he shall be sent to
School when he comes to the age of ten years and kept to school
till he is fifteen years old out of my Estate and further it
my will and desire he shall then be Bound to a trade other
Goldsmith or a Barber Item I give and devise to my Daughter Mary

Susan one negro woman named Rose and one Negro Boy named
Bob and one hundred pounds in State money. Item I give
and devise to my Daughter Elizabeth Gibbs one negro gall called
Estre and one feather Bed and furniture and three cows and
colors and one hundred Pounds Item I give and devise to my
Daughter Sarah Gibbs one negro gall called Turner and one feather
bed and furniture and three cows and colors and one hundred
Pounds Item I give and devise to my Daughter Ann Gibbs
one negro gall called Darkie and one feather Bed and
furniture and three cows and colors and one hundred Pounds
Carried over