

my said wife the aforesaid mark.

Item I give and bequeath unto my three Children Sarah Sibley and Nathaniel Tuley all the remainder part of my Estate here to fore not mentioned both within Doors and without pursuant having Reference to my Cattle which is now in three different marks one of which is above mentioned that I have lent to my wife and after her Death I have given to my son the other mark a small cow fork in each I give to my Daughter Sarah Tuley the other a crop and two shits in that I have given to my Daughter Sibley Tuley 2/3 of the Cattle and stock in each of the three marks do my Desire to be Equally divided as above mentioned without any distinction being paid to any of the said marks and further it is my said desire that if either of my Children should depart this life without their lawfully begotten of their body that their and in that case the survivor should have their part or parcel of the Estate given them by me

I do constitute and appoint my well beloved son Nathaniel Tuley & John Jordan my Executors to this my last will and testament with this word & placing confidence that they will fully Endeavour to discharge the Confidence I place in them In witness where of I have written out my hand and seal This Twentieth first day of January one thousand and hundred and ninety Eight

John Jordan }  
Charity Tuley } February Term 1798  
Livi Tuley Seal  
This last will and testament of Livi Tuley deceased exhibited into Court & proved by the oaths of John Jordan & Charity Tuley two of the subscribing witnesses to the same and read the Record of the Court  
Jeph Ben Forman C. J.

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James Bailey of Hyde County and State of North Carolina Knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die and being very sick and weakly but sound in mind and memory make and ordain this my last will and testament first of all I give and bequeath Recommend my soul in the hands of God that your it and my body to be buried in a Christian form and manner

Item I desire that all my Lawfull Debts should be paid and the money arising from such articles as I shall hereinafter leave for to be sold

Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Dorcas all that property in the house that was hers when I married her and one third part of my sheep and one fourth part of my hogs and all the cattle that was formerly here, one taper with Colffe receipt, one Club ax and four four bushels of Corn and one fourth part of the meat now killed in the house and one third part of the wheat now on the ground grown and one fourth of the Cotton

Item I give and bequeath unto my wife Dorcas the plantation now here on her natural or widowhood and one Dutch oven and one large chest caught at Mrs Hamons Vandew

Item I give unto my beloved son William Bailey one small parcel of land with all that I have formerly given him

Item I give unto my beloved Daughter Nancy Bailey one parterbed and bed and furniture that she calls her one weaving loom and working bars and all the Hay and harness belonging to the Loom and hackle and her Linnas wheel

Item I give unto my beloved son James Bailey fifty acres of Land that I bought of Mrs Golden one feather bed and furniture an small gun and one steer running with Mr Barrow Cattle

Item I give unto my <sup>beloved</sup> son Rich<sup>d</sup> Bailey the Plantation whereon I now live with all the Land belonging to it and one feather bed and high sled & furniture one long gun & one knife with Colffe that was receipted of the Cattle that was my wife

Item I leave and desire that the Land that I took up seventy five acres should be sold at Vandew and all the necessary  
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my other property that I have not before by any of  
 should be sold and the money arising from the sale  
 first to pay my just Debts and the remainder to be Equally  
 Divided between my three Children, viz, Nancy, James & Richard -  
 Item I also ordain and appoint my well beloved friend William  
 Bailey and James McCabe my executors to this my last will  
 and testament and I here by Disannull and revoke all  
 others by me made or said to be made and in time  
 performance hereof I have set my hand and seal my  
 seal the twenty third day of January one thousand  
 seven hundred and <sup>eighty</sup> eighty eight.

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 Richards part was read all done before signed -  
 signed sealed and published and Declared in presence of  
 us who was in presence of each other -

Test Jeremiah Gaylord } May term 1798 James Bailey Seal  
 Ozariah Long } This will was set by the court into court  
 & proved by the oath of Ozariah Long  
 ordered to be Recorded -  
 Test Ben. Horsman t<sup>h</sup>e

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In the Name of God am I Jonathan Gurganus of the County  
 of Hyde being weak in Body and knowing that it is appointed  
 once for all men to die do make this my last will and  
 testament Revoking all other wills by me made and all  
 to my worldly Estate which it hath pleased God to bestow on  
 me I give and bequeath in manner and form following  
 I give to my beloved wife my two negro Mamma and Luke  
 Item I give all my land to be Divid between all my Children to them  
 and their heirs Item I give all my stock and house hold  
 goods to be Equally Divid between my wife and all my  
 Children - all my edge tools or other property that my  
 family has no use for I leave to be sold and my executors  
 shall not be Compelled to sell any more of my Estate than  
 they shall think proper &c  
 Lastly I appoint my two friends Jeremiah Gaylord & John  
 Satchwell executors to this my last will and testament  
 In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand  
 and seal this 27<sup>th</sup> day of February 1798  
 In presence of

J. Satchwell } Jonathan Gurganus Seal  
 John Mandermill }

May term 1798 -

This last will and testament of Jonathan Gurganus Dec. was  
 exhibited into court & Proved by the oath of John  
 Satchwell and evidence thereto ordered to be Recorded -  
 Test Ben. Horsman t<sup>h</sup>e

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