

In the name of God Amen I John Graham of the
County of Iredell and State of North Carolina. Being at
this time of sound and disposing mind and memory. this
thirtieth day of June in the year of our Lord One thousand
Eight Hundred and thirty one. do make and publish this to
be my last will and testament. in manner and form
following. to wit,

First I will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Martha
all my estate concerning after paying my just debts. both
real and personal during her natural life or widowhood. in
Trust for my children namely Louisa Blagwell. Malinda
Wilson Dorinda Smith. John Miles and Estlin Graham
and my granddaughters Emily Graham. to be by her disposal
of in the following manner.

1st I will and bequeath unto my Daughter Louisa Blagwell. Should
have the first child that my said Daughter may have
to her and the heirs of her body forever, to be delivered to her or
her heirs when said child shall arrive at two years of age and
if she should fail to have any children, the first child that my
said Daughter may have to be delivered at the same age and
for the same purpose.

2nd I will and bequeath unto my Daughter Malinda Wilson the
first child that my said Daughter may have or if she
should fail to have children the second child which my said
Daughter may have to her and the heirs of her body forever.
which child shall be delivered at the age of two years.

3rd I will and bequeath unto my Daughter Dorinda Smith the
first child of my said Daughter which she now has with her, until
my said Daughter may become of the age of twenty one years and
the first child which said Daughter may have to be delivered to
her when said child has been two years of age when she has been forever.

marriage, except his bed and furniture ~~except~~ to be equally divided between my three sons, to wit John, John and John

6th I will and bequeath that as my above named sons shall arrive at the age of twenty years, they shall be furnished with a horse saddle and bridle and should they choose to have liberty to settle on my land, my oldest son having the preference of the place, or choice of the part to settle on, then that my wife give them what property she may think proper to furnish up for housekeeping, and that the improvement which any one of them may make on said land shall be to their entire benefit - And not that of the other

7th I will now bequeath unto my granddaughter Emily Graham
the first lot of land in my possession. ~~When she reaches the age of~~
what I am bound to give her, to be delivered to her when she does so.
Emily may arrive at the age of twenty years. Or may marry. Or she may
may be two years of age.

I will and declare that my beloved wife Martha and my dear John and Eliza be my Executors and Executors of this my last will and Testament and that they carry the same into effect. I hereby annulling and making void any will or wills by me heretofore made declaring this to be my last will and Testament signed sealed published and declared the same in the presence of us the undersigned witnesses who subscribe the same in the presence of each other.

William Campbell, Secy.

John B. Goodenow

John Graham

Charles Marshall