

Will of Gees Tiner

In the name of God Amen; I Gees Tiner of the State of North Carolina and Johnston County being of sound and perfect mind and memory blessed be God do this 26th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighteen make and publish this my last will and testament in manner following that is to say.

First I give and bequeath my soul unto the hands of Almighty God who gave it and as to my body I recommend it to the ground from whence it was taken in sure and certain hope of a joyful resurrection at the last day and as for any worldly goods with which it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life I give dispose off and devise in manner and form following that is to say first my will and desire is that all my lawful debts be discharged by my executors hereafter mentioned

Item I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Sallie Tiner one negro girl named Famer one riding chair and harness all my stock of all kind household and kitchen furniture plantation and other tools all my salted provisions corn wheat and all and every other kind of grains also the whole of my crop now in the ground to her and her heirs and assigns forever.

Item I lend to my well beloved wife as aforesaid during her natural lifetime one negro man named Caleb

Item I give and bequeath to my son James Tiner one silver dollar to be made from my estate as early as possible to him his heirs and assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my son Lewis Tiner one negro boy named Isaac and one negro boy named Abram and after the decease of my beloved wife Sallie Tiner one negro man named Caleb to him his heirs and assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my son Willis Tiner one silver dollar to be made from my estate as early as convenient to him his heirs and assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath to the heirs of my daughter Sally Farmer deceased (to wit) Eliza, Gees, Polly, John and Benajah Farmers one

silver dollar (each) to be made from my estate as early as convenient to them their heirs assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my son John Tiner one silver dollar to be made from my estate as early as convenient to him his heirs assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my son William Tiner one silver dollar to be made from my estate as early as convenient to him his heirs assigns forever.

And I hereby make and ordain my beloved wife Sally Tiner executor my son Lewis Tiner and my worthy friend Fredham G. Bagar executors of this my last will and testament revoking and disannulling all and all and every other will and testament by me made in witness whereof I the said Gees Tiner to this my last will and testament have set my hand and seal declaring it to be my last will and testament the day and year first above written
Gees Tiner (Seal)

Signed sealed and declared by the above named Gees Tiner as his last will and testament in the presence of us, his request in his presence have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto as we have likewise done to duplicate of the above written will at same time

John Whitter Jr
Thomas Edwards Jr
Ann Midgett