

Will of Joseph Boyett

In the name of God Amen I Joseph Boyett of Johnston County and State of North Carolina being of sound and perfect mind and memory blessed be God for the same and also considering the certainty and uncertainty of this mortal life and after paying my just debts and after leaving my body to be buried in a neat and decent manner do this 1st day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty three make publick and ordain this to be my last will and testament in form and manner following viz first of all I give will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Sally Boyett one feather bed and furniture and one cow and calf during her natural life time or widowhood and my stock of all kind to my beloved wife during her natural life time or widowhood I leave to my beloved wife Sally one hundred acres of land during her natural life time or widowhood including the plantation on which I now live and at her marriage or decease all the property belong to my wife my desire is that it should belong to my son Isaac Boyett also all my household and kitchen furniture to my son Isaac Boyett & Sally Boyett

Item 1 I leave to my son Isaac Boyett one hundred and fifty five acres of land joining my wifes land lying betwixt her land and the Nelson branch

Item 2 I give will and bequeath to my son Jordan Boyett two hundred & fifty acres of land on each side of Robbin Swamp joining the Nelson branch

Item 3 I give to my son George Boyett two hundred and fifty acres of land lying on the north side of Robbin Swamp and on the south side of the cow branch and agreed line

Item 4 I give to my daughter Cherry Boyett one cow & calf & one feather bed & furniture

5 I give to my daughter Milly fifty cents

6 I give to my daughter Mary fifty cents

7 I give to my daughter Giffy fifty cents

8 I give to my daughter Emily fifty cents

9 I give to my son Isaac Boyett one feather bed and furniture and my working tools of all description my desire is at my death should belong to my son Isaac Boyett and I hereby authorize and appoint my trusty friends Isaac Boyett & George Boyett executors and revoking all former will & wills by me yet made to this my last will and testament in witness whereof I the said testator have hereunto set my hand and seal in the presence of witnesses this 1st day of April 1833.

J. H. Greer John Revell

North Carolina

Joseph Boyett Seal

Will of Joshua Creech

North Carolina Johnston County, In the name of God Amen I Joshua Creech Sr being now in health of body but of sound mind and memory thanks be to God for it calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die do make and ordain this to be my last will and testament in manner and form following viz and principally & first of all I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it and my body to the earth to be buried in a decent manner and as touching such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to bless me in this life I give and dispose of the same in the form and manner following

I lend unto my wife Catharine Creech horse bridle and saddle I also lend to my beloved wife 2 cows and calves or yearlings I also lend to my beloved wife Caty Creech a loom and gear one feather bed one flax wheel one wooden wheel one pot and one pan and all my household and kitchen furniture I also lend to my Caty Creech all on the south of Bandy Swamp including the land my father give by deed I also lend unto my beloved wife Caty one negro boy named Harry during her natural lifetime or widowhood or lifetime

I also give and bequeath unto my beloved son Joel Creech one hundred and twenty acres of land lying on the north side of said Bandy Swamp containing the land I bought my brother Jesse Creech to him and his heirs forever I also give and bequeath unto my daughter Lewizy Creech Marzey 20 dollars to her and her heirs forever

I also give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Nancy Pordin ten dollars to her and her heirs forever I also give and bequeath unto my beloved Joshua Creech one hundred acres of land and fifty dollars to him the said Joshua Creech and his heirs forever it being the land I bought of Levy Oliver to him the said Joshua and his heirs forever I also give and bequeath unto my beloved son William Henry Creech one hundred and seventy two acres of land that I bought of Hewitt Pordin to him and his heirs forever I also give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Catharine Creech forty dollars to her the said Catharine Creech and her heirs forever

I also give and bequeath unto my beloved Isaac Creech one hundred and ten acres of land and ten dollars it being the land I bought of my father lying on the south of Bandy Swamp joining his own line and Joel Creech & said Joel Creech Mill to him and his heirs forever I also give and bequeath unto my beloved son Doctor Haywood one hundred and fifty dollars to him the said Doctor Haywood Creech to him and his heirs forever I also bequeath unto my beloved son James Vestus Creech after the death of