

Will of Mary Gurley

State of North Carolina,

Johnston County

In the name of God Amen I Mary Gurley of the State and county aforesaid, being weak in body but in sound mind, and memory thanks be to God, do it, ~~first~~ ^{and Christian} my will and desire is for my body to be buried, in a decent ^{manner} by my executors hereafter mentioned, further my desire is that all my ^{Item} lawful debts be paid

^{Item} I give and bequeath unto my beloved son William Gurley one shilling sterling.

^{Item} I give and bequeath unto my son Jacob Gurley one shilling sterling.

^{Item} I give and bequeath unto my son Isaac Gurley one shilling sterling.

^{Item} I give and bequeath to my daughter Rebecca Austin one shilling sterling

^{Item} I give and bequeath unto my daughter Lydia Pool one shilling sterling.

^{Item} I give and bequeath unto my Mary Burwick one shilling sterling.

^{Item} I give and bequeath unto my beloved son John Gurley one shilling sterling.

^{Item} I give and bequeath unto my daughter Polly Gurley all the remainders of my estate and property belonging to me further I ordain my daughter Polly Gurley my sole and oral executor and of any of my estate to be sold, by executor and not by the sheriff I ordain this my own last will and testament revoking all other wills as witness I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 7th day of May A.D. 1792 in the presence of us test.

Nathan Whitley
Polly Gurley
John Gurley

Mary Gurley (seal)

Will of John Norris

In the name of God Amen: John Norris son of Johnston County being of sound and perfect mind, and memory blessed be God for the same do this third day of October in the year of our Lord 1792 do make and publish this to be my last will and testament in manner following that is to say,

^{Item} I give and bequeath unto Amy Robby my daughter one feather bed and furniture.

^{Item} I give and bequeath unto my daughter Sarah Moore all the gear that belong to me and all the feathers on hand, not already in beds also one third part of the crop now growing and now in hand with a axe and a broad hoe and a plow shoe and cutter plow hoe and one iron pot and one boom and gear.

^{Item} I give and bequeath unto my grandson William Norris son of Nathan Norris a certain parcel of land lying on the east side of Carways branch beginning in Theophilus Bunters line at the run of said branch thence ~~ending~~ ^{ending} on said Bunters line and Nathan Norris line to the main ~~run~~ ^{run} of said branch thence down the various courses of said Carways branch to the first station containing forty acres more or less to him and his heirs forever.

^{Item} I give and bequeath unto my son Nathan Norris all my land and plantation where I now dwell containing 600 acres with my brandy still kittle and cask and worm &c with all the liquor and casks to him and his heirs forever.

^{Item} I give and bequeath to my grand daughter Charlotte Moore one cow and calf.

^{Item} I order and bequeath all the rest of my estate to be sold, and the money raised to be equally divided between my children hereafter named to wit or their heirs to wit, James Norris, Amy Robby, John Norris, Mary Smith heirs Elizabeth Woods heirs, Sarah Lyons heirs, Nathan Norris heirs, Nabor Norris, & Mary Marchall &c and I do hereby make and ordain my beloved son John Norris and Nabor Norris executors to my last will and testament. In witness whereof I the said John Norris have to this my last