

Will of Moad Gulley

In the name of God Amen I Moad Gulley of the State of North Carolina, and Johnston County being weak in body but of a sound and perfect understanding do constitute this my last and testament and devise it may be received by all as such, as to my worldly estate which it hath pleased God to give me I give and bequeath in manner and form following and assign my soul to God who gave it in the name of Jesus Christ-

- Item First my will and devise is that all my debts be punctually paid and that two those grass heifers be sold and some other valuable property which may be best spared.
- Item I give and bequeath unto my wife Sivel Gulley to her and her four children forever to wit- William, Nancy, Sabary and Polly one hundred acres of land with houses and plantation and the profit thereon and six head of cattle two mch cows the other young cattle also one horse two feather beds and their furniture
- Item I give and bequeath to my son Lazarus Gulley to him and his heirs forever one shot gun one hundred acres of land lying on the east side of Burn Stocking joining Davis line two cows and calves and one axe and one grubbing hoe.
- Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Gulley to her and her heirs forever one cow and calf and one feather bed and furniture.
- Item I give and bequeath to my son Moad Gulley to him and his heirs forever one shot gun also one hundred acres of land lying on the south side of Little Creek joining Davises line.
- Item I give and bequeath to my son Jesse Gulley to him and his heirs forever one hundred acres of land joining the land before mentioned.
- Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Sally Gulley to her and her heirs forever one feather bed and furniture.
- Item My will and devise is that two cows and their yearlings be let out on stock untill there can be an equal division made of them between Moad, Jesse and Sally hitherto named.

and all that remain after paying my debts be equally divided between the heirs of my estate at the discretion of my executor hereafter named and do constitute and ordain Benjamin Hoill and George Gully executors to this my last will and testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 2nd day of May 1803. Signed seal and delivered in presence of

Amos ^{son} Gully (seal)

John Gully.
Amos Gully.

Johnston County May Term 1803
Then was the above will exhibited for probate in open court which was duly proven and ordered to be recorded.

R. Sanders C. J. C.

Will of John Avera

In the first place I give my soul unto God and my body to clay. Also I give, gave and bequeath to my brother Thomas Avera one tract of land as I now live on. Also my riding horse I leave to my brother William Avera. I leave unto him four breeding sows. I leave to him one feather bed and furniture. I leave one crop and books also I leave unto my brother Samuel Avera one black man called Stan. All the rest of my estate I leave to be sold and equally to be divided amongst my brothers and sisters this is my last will and testament.

John ^{son} Avera (seal)

Druzy Vinson
David Vinson

Johnston County August term 1803
Then was the above will exhibited in open court which was duly proven and admitted to record.

R. Sanders C. J. C.