

Will of Nicholas Jordan

In the name of God Amen I Nicholas Jordan of the County of Johnston and State of North Carolina being bodily afflicted but in my right mind do make this my last will and testament and I the said Nicholas Jordan do leave to my wife Nancy Jordan in this my last will and testament the following property.

Now I give and bequeath to my wife Nancy Jordan two cows and yearlings and one mare and two hogs and one riding chair two beds and furniture also all my household and kitchen furniture and all of the rest of my property to be sold after my death and I leave and bequeath to my son Green Jordan one dollar and I give and bequeath to my son Bryant Jordan one dollar and also leave and bequeath to my daughter Patsy Jordan one dollar and now leave to this my last will and testament my wife Nancy Jordan to be executor to this my last will and testament - this 12 day of May 1841.

Assigned in the presence of
us the day and date above

Witnesses

Ezra W. Johnson

Lemuel Byrd

Nicholas Jordan (Seal)

State of North Carolina } November Term 1841

Johnston County } Then was the above will admitted
to probate in open court and ordered to be recorded

Wm. B. Guy clk

Will of William Tallon

In the name of God Amen I William Tallon 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 knowing that it was once appointed for all men to die and after leaving my body to be buried in a neat and decent manner do this 27th of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty make and publish and ordain this to be my last will and testament in form & manner as following viz,

After the death of myself and my beloved wife Judith Tallon my beloved companion my desire is the mentioned articles should belong to my daughter Zilphia Tallon to wit the first of all I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Zilphia Tallon one feather bedstead and furniture

I give to my beloved daughter Zilphia Tallon three sows & sixteen pigs also fifty-five acres of land and six barrels of corn also four hundred pounds of bacon two pots & hooks one dutch oven and spider one parrel plate, three sheets and one loom and gear one pewter dish and ten pewter plates and fifteen spoons three small pewter basins and one gallon bacon and seven jugs and one sugar box and seventeen sitting chairs & seven joint bottles and one gallon bottle four earthen dishes and four axes and two hatchets and three grubbinhoes & seven weeding hoes two chests more one flax wheel and two wooden wheels one gallon picher two bowls and two tables one iron gridle and one tea kettle one one pan of flesh forks one meat stand and open headed barrel two pair of fire tongs and five trays and two iron wags and five washing tubs five spails and three piggins and two and one drawing knife and one gager one set of tea cups and saucers.

I give will and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Alex Warren fifty cents. Item 3 I give will and bequeath unto my beloved grandson Asa Tallon fifty cents. Item 4 I give will and bequeath unto my beloved granddaughter Sally Pearce fifty cents and all the residue of my property my desire is at my death should belong to my daughter Zilphia and I do hereby make publish and order my friend Richard Pearce executor to this my last will and testament revoking all former wills by me yet made in testimony whereof I the said William Tallon have here set my hand and seal the day and year first above written sealed in the presence

of Richard Pearce
William Tallon

William Tallon

This is the above will duly approved by the seals of the undersigned witnesses and assigned to be recorded W. B. Guy clk