

State of N. Carolina In the name of God Amen
James County

I James McDaniel of the County and State aforesaid being weak in body but of perfect sound mind and memory blessed be God do this 31st day of May in the year of our Lord Christ 1809 make & publish the my last will & Testament in manner & form following (Viz)

First, I give unto my son William McDaniel three pieces of land namely one deed from General Miller one from William Smith here and one from Rindon McDaniel to him his heirs and assigns for ever

Item, I leave unto my dear beloved wife Rachel all the lands that was left to me by my father while during her natural life

Item, I give unto my grand son Deane McDaniel all the lands that was left to me by my father after the death of my wife and I leave to her without issue I give the land left me by my father to Margaret Brown and Susanna Gilbert here to be equally divided among them

Item, I give unto my son James McDaniel the Dratton place and all the land on the South side of the road and on the North side of Crooked run to him his heirs and assigns for ever

Item, I leave all the land on the South side of Crooked run to be sold by my Executors Item, I give unto my son Rindon McDaniel all the land on the North side of the Strait road giving him his own land to him his heirs and assigns forever Item, I leave all my lands in Anson County to be sold by my Executors also two other pieces of land one being by John Wilk and the other being by Joseph Gilbert and all my land that is not willed to be sold by my Executors

Item, I give unto my dear beloved wife one Bay Mare by the name of Wall and one feather bed & furniture & one Cow & calf and one Sow & pig two Buckle dishes six plates two chairs one chest and one Table & two pots Item, And all the residue of my Estate to be sold by my Executors and after paying all my just debts I give unto my son Rindon McDaniel one thousand Dollars

Cash and the remainder to be equally divided among my five daughters and three grand children in manner and form following namely

I give to my daughter Mary and unto Mary McDaniel one share and Nancy Murphy one share and unto Margaret Brown one share and to Susanna Gilbert one share James Andrews Susanna Andrews and Mary Andrew one share if they arrive to the age of Twenty One

I hereby nominate constitute & appoint my son Rindon McDaniel and William McDaniel my two sons Executors to this my last will & Testament hereby revoking & disannulling all other wills by me heretofore made In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and Year first within written

Signed sealed published & declared by the Testator for and as his last will & Testament in presence of us who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses
James McDaniel
David Anderson Mary Murphy

James McDaniel
his Executor

State of N. Carolina James County Court August Term 1809

Then was the foregoing last will & Testament of James McDaniel deceased produced in open Court & read by the Court of James County and David Anderson two of the subscribing Testators thereto & ordered to be recorded At same time Rindon McDaniel & William McDaniel Executors thereof named qualified as such according to Law ordered that this Testamentary given accordingly

Wm. Rogers Clk

A True copy from the Original filed in the Clerk's office of James County
Wm. Rogers Clk

In the name of God Amen

I Mary Frazer of James County and State of N. Carolina being Very Sick & weak in body yet thank to God being of sound mind & perfect understanding do make & ordain this to be my last will and Testament in the following manner & form (Viz) First it is my desire that all my just debts and other necessary expenses be satisfied And I do will & bequeath unto my grandsons Elizabeth Matthews one hundred & fifty Dollars to be paid out of the money or note which I have sold my negre Sutton for at said Elizabeth Matthews arriving at the age of Twenty one year, I also will & bequeath unto my grandson Frazer Burnett one hundred and fifty dollars to be paid out of the money or note for said Sutton, It is my will also that my negre woman Doll be sold and the money be put at Interest and reserved for my grand Daughter Nancy Burnett and be paid to her when she arrives to Twenty one year of age or marries, It is also my will that there should be a sum of money equal to what said Doll shall sell for lived & raised out of my property not yet willed and paid to my grand Daughter Nancy Matthews when she shall arrive at Twenty one year of age or marries, I also will & bequeath unto my grandson Bishop Dudley one hundred Dollars to be lived & raised out of my stock and household furniture, I also will unto my grandson McDaniel Obedient my negre boy Jack to him & his heirs forever I also will unto my grandson Miriam Frazer Fifty Dollars to be raised & paid out of my stock & household furniture It is also my will that the residue & remaining part of my property not yet given & bequeathed be equally divided among my three children hereafter mentioned (Viz) Sally Burnett Elizabeth Matthews and James Frazer for them and their heirs forever, and I do hereby nominate and appoint