

Adam Dellinger: Will

In the name of God Amen.

I Adam Dellinger of the County of Lincoln and State of North Carolina, being of sound and perfect mind and Memory, turned to God for his Mercy; But weak in body do this 5th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty five, make public and declare this my last Will & Testament in form and manner following: *Viz.*

1st I direct that all my just debts be paid
2nd I give and bequeath unto my well beloved wife Mary D. Derry during her widowhood all my lands and all my Stock of Cattle Hops & sheep, and my ~~House~~ and all my Household & Kitchen furniture, farming utensils, with everything that I possess. ~~that~~ during her widowhood but at her death or marriage the property is to be put up at public Sale by my Executor hereafter to be named and sold and Equally amongst my Children.

3rd And lastly I bequeath and direct that my worthy Brother John H. Dellinger be my Executor.

4th This is my last Will and Testament and no other. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal.

Signed Sealed and delivered
in the presence of

James Brown Jurat
J M Beaman Jurat

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