

January 29th 1838

In the name of God amen, Sarah Wilson of the State of North Carolina and County of Lincoln being weak of body but of sound mind & memory. Blessed be Almighty God for the same. Wishing to settle my worldly concerns. have made this my last Will in the manner following viz

In the first place It is my will & desire that my Immortal soul return to Almighty God from whence it came & my mortal body be decently Buried.

In the next place It is my will that my Dress & Hackel be left to Sarah Wilson Junr. It is also my Will that two Quilts two Blankets four Sheets One Counterpane three pillow Slips & One bed be left to Eliza B. Wilson.

It is my will that my pewee ware be left to Eliza Wilson. It is my Will that my Tea Ware & two washers & two tumblers be left to Mary Wilson Junr. In the next place I allow my Cupboard to Priscilla R. Wilson. It is my Will that my sugar Dish & C. my Churn & Smoother Iron be left to Thomas M. Wilson.

In the last place It is my Will that John R. Patterson should execute

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This my last Will & only Will & I now
revoke all former Wills whatever and make
this my only Will all former Wills to the
Contrary signed & sealed this 5 day of May
in the Year of Our Lord One thousand
Eight hundred & thirty seven Sarah Wilson
Att: L. W. Wilson Secy.

In the name of God amen.

I Henry Carpenter of the County of
Spartan & State of North Carolina being of
sound & disposing mind & memory and
knowing that it is appointed unto all men once
to die and wishing to dispose of the property which
it has pleased God to bless me do hereby make
this my last Will & Testament in the manner &
form following by First my Spirit I give into the
hands of my Creator who gave it to my body
to its Mother dead to be buried in a decent &
Christian like manner at the discretion of
My executors,

Second To my son Solomon Carpenter I give
the plantation where on I now live lying on Black
Creek joining lands of David C. of the County of
Johnston & others. Containing something upwards
of two hundred acres. It being all the land I own
in the world that I wish to give to my son