

In the name of God Amen, I Elijah Sibley of the State
of N. Carolina in the County of Orange being sick in body
but of perfect mind & memory do call to mind the mor-
tality of my body knowing it is appointed for man
to die. First I write my will to have and to hold my
First I will bequeath unto my wife Elijah Sibley
my plantation whereon I now live with all the house
hold & kitchen furniture, and all my books, and three
negroes to will Charles, Leah & Rose including the natural
life & at her death the property to be equally divided
between my two youngest sons William Sibley & James
Sibley; also I will that my Son John H. Sibley has one
hundred acres of land whereon he now lives including
his improvements, also I give unto my son Alexander
H. Sibley one dollar it being his part, also I give unto
my daughter Mary twenty five dollars it being her part
also I will my Son Elijah H. Sibley one dollar it being
his part, also I will the heirs of Benjamin Sibley one
dollar it being their part in full of my brother Also I
will my daughter Elizabeth Hales one dollar to wit age
it being her part in full of my brother Also I will my
daughter Gabby Sibley the wife of Leonard Sibley one
dollar it being her part of my total.

First I nominate my Son Gabriel Sibley as my executor
to act upon all my estate as Agent for my wife and
Guardian for my two Sons William H. Sibley & James Sibley
And this & this only to be my last Will & Testament
whereof I have hereunto set my hand & signed my self
this the 11th day of September 1831.

Signed in the presence of us
Mathew Riddle
Philemon A. Bibby

Elijah Sibley

State of N. Carolina in Mecklenburg County Oct 11th 1828
 before me of God before I make this and of the State
 County of consideration of sound mind & memory Do make
 & publish this my last Will & Testament in manner &
 form following viz I resign my soul to God who gave
 it to my body to the dust to be buried at the discretion
 of my Executors; and touching such worldly Estate
 as it hath pleased God to bless me with in this Life I
 dispose of in the following manner & form.

1st I give & bequeath to my son James Fletcher under the
 whole of my plantation whereon I have containing
 about three hundred & Twenty acres to him his Heirs
 and forever - subject nevertheless to a decent sup-
 port for daughter Abrilia Fletcher, which I mean
 to be capable of managing her own affairs. Also a
 negro boy named Lewis, before our bed & furniture
 I allow to the above named James Fletcher

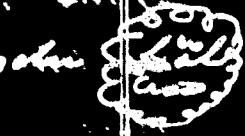
2nd I give & bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Lamphester
 my negro girl Mary which she has in her possession also
 a girl named Julia sister to Mary upon marriage -

3rd I give & bequeath to my son Lyon Fletcher one
 negro boy named Austin which he has in his pos-
 session, also one boy named Burton together with our
 bed & furniture -

4th I will & bequeath to my daughter Sophia Fletcher
 my negro girl named Matilda & a boy named Jack
 also a negro girl named Venus & a negro girl named
 Isela Lithuania our bed & furniture -

5th It is my will & pleasure that the whole of the remainder
 of my property not yet settled be sold at the discretion
 of my Executors, and all Money on hand or else due
 or becoming when be applied to the payment of my
 just debts, and the balance if any to be equally

divided amongst my four children viz. Cyrus &ch
Alexander, Isaac Alexander, Elizabeth Campbell &
Sophia Alexander & Leah Dorothy. Nominate constitute
& appoint my son Isaac Alexander, John Campbell
& James Wilson Executors of this my last Will & Testament.
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand &c.

Seal the day & year above written :
Elias Alexander Leah Alexander 
Marcus T. Kennedy

In the Name of God humerly I John Davidson of the
County of Northumberland & State of N. Carolina having
grown old & infirm, but of sound mind & memory & willing
to mind the mortallity of my body knowing that all
men must die, do make & ordaine this my last Will
& Testament to witness I recommend my soul to God who
gave it, & my body to the Earth, not doubting but I
shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God.
And as Touching such worldly estate as I have been
blessed with in this life. I will give & bequeath & dispose
of in the following manner - In the first place
I Give & bequeath unto the Children & Heirs of Rebecca
Braxton, and to the Children & Heirs of Isabella Graham
Desir'd all that I have hitherto given them in the life
time of my said two daughters, and as I have been the
means of fixing them in a better lot than I can
any other of my children Therefore I think it a duty
I owe to the rest of my children not to give them
any more believing that they will be therewith content
Item I give & bequeath to my my beloved daughter
Mary McLean all the property that I heretofore
given her & also a Negro Girl named, Elisha about
Three Years old the daughter of my negro woman