

State of North Carolina
Mecklenburg County In the name of God Amen

I James Young of the County
& State aforesaid being of declining years
But of sound mind & memory do make
& constitute this my last will & Testament
in the following manner to after my death
& burial & all expenses paid let it be done
in decays. Then I wish all my just debts
paid. On the next place I bind give unto
my three grand sons children of my eldest
daughter formerly that Morrison Burton Hood
the sum of forty dollars to be equally
divided between Alexander Hood James
B Hood & John Hood my grand sons
Then I allow my grand daughter Eliza Brown
to be paid out of my Estate the sum of
fifty five dollars as a debt due her
Then I give to the said Eliza Brown &
daughter of my daughter Mary the sum
of fifty dollars more out of my Estate —
Then I give to my daughter Eliza and third
daughter the sum of forty dollars to be paid
to her or her heirs out of my Estate —
Then I give to my son Elias the sum of
forty dollars in like manner &c. —
I think I give unto my daughter Jane my
fourth daughter the sum of thirty dollars
& no more as she has caused me a burden
of trouble &c. Then I give unto my grand son
Henry ~~Young~~ the sum of thirty dollars
& no more. Then I give unto my son
James Young the sum of forty dollars &c.
Then I give to my daughter Mary Young the

sum of fifty dollars &c. Then I give to my
Son Robert H Young the sum of one hundred
& thirty dollars. Then I give to my daughter
Peggy Lincoln the sum of one hundred &
thirty dollars with an good bed & good linens
two infals - I thank you to my daughter
Hannah Lincoln the sum of one hundred
& fifty dollars with an good bed & good
furniture infals - And after all infals is
paid to the balance of my estate I give
unto the four youngest sons James Young
Philip Young Robert Young Peggy Lincoln.
Hannah Lincoln her Ninety dollars to
be equally divided between the above
named four youngest sons and if there is
there should be any balance after that
for it to be equally divided between every
one of my heirs - Beings of Anna
Maria & myself & this my last will & testamant
and I direct the Worthyfull Board of Trustees
to receive it as such - And for the carrying
the same into execution I do appoint my
friend Wilson Park as my true & lawfull
Executor and I desire that friend W. Park
to be guardian for my youngest daughter
I have sealed & confirmed in the presence
of us this 10th day of June 1853
John Barker James Young
Wilson Park Test