

in the name of God Am. Jeremiah McCafferty of the County of Mea
+ State of Carolina Merchant being 1979 sick & weak in body, but
of sound mind & memory, thanks be given unto God; calling unto mine
the mortality of my body & knowing that it is appointed for all men to
die, Do make & declare this my last Will & Testament; that is to say
principally & first of all, I give & recommend my soul into the hands of
Almighty God that give it, and my body I recommend to the earth to
be buried in a decent Christian Buriall at the discretion of my
Executors: Nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall
receive the same Again, by the mighty power of God, and trusting
that he will restore to me all that I have lost, & that he will bless me in this
life, I give, devise, & dispose of the same in the following manner & form
to wit. I give & bequeath unto my beloved & honored parents the
sum of five hundred Pounds Sterling each - That I give & bequeath
unto my beloved sister Agnes McCafferty my Negro Girl named Anna
and five hundred pounds Sterling. That to my nephew James
McCafferty I give & bequeath the sum of three hundred pounds Sterling
That to my beloved son David McCafferty near the head of New river
Orange County, I give the sum of five hundred pounds & Carolina Currency
That to William Hugh McCafferty I give the sum of three hundred pounds &
Carolina Currency to be paid at my decease. - Also I do likewise
hereby constitute, make & appoint my beloved Brothers William
& James McCafferty the sole Executors of this my last Will & Testament
& Heirs of all & singular my lands, Tenements, & Possessions Real &
personal after the payment of the before mentioned Bequests & my
Lawful & Just debts; - And I do hereby utterly disallow revoke
& annul all & every other form or Testaments, Wills, Legacies
bequest, & Executions by me in anywise before written, be it made &
bequeathed, Ratifying & confirming this and no other to be my
last Will & Testament. The Witnesses whereof I have hereunto set my
hand & seal this 31st day of January in the Year of our Lord 1778
Signed sealed & declared in the presence of us, who in
witness hereof in the presence, each other have
hereunto subscribed our Names

James McCafferty

William Pullen

Robert Scott

Jeremiah McCafferty

