

in writing, Attesting & confirming this & no other to be last will &
testament. In witness whereof I have set my hand & seal this 3^d
day of May 1796—

signed, sealed, published & declared by this said
Gideon Thompson as his last will & testament
who in his presence & in the presence of each other
subscribed our names as witnesses

William Lawing

Adam Todd

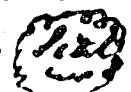
Ezekiel Alexander

Gideon Thompson



In the name of God Amen. I John Todd calling to mind the
Uncertainty of Mankind & that it is allowed to all men can take
and afterwards comes the judgment. I give my soul to God that gave
it. 1st I leave my body to be decently buried at the direction of
my Executors—2^d I leave all my worldly estate to be honestly
paid—3^d I leave my dear & beloved wife Margaret Todd the one
third of all my effects at my decease & her living while she lives
off the land & to live with my son Joseph Todd. 4th I leave all the
other two thirds of my effects to my son Joseph Todd & all my
lands, houses & improvements to my son Joseph Todd. 5th only ten
shillings to my son William Todd it completing his full share
6th I leave ten shillings to my son James Todd it completing
his full share. 7th I leave 10th to my son Hugh Todd Decided chil-
dren it completing their full share—8th I leave ten shilling
to my son John Todd it completing his full share. 9th I leave
ten shillings to my son Adam Todd it completing his
full share. 9th I leave ten shillings to my daughter Polly
Todd it completing her full share, 10th I leave ten shilling
to my daughter Hannah ~~Lighter~~ it completing her full share
11th I do hereby disavow & disannul & revoke all other wills
or wills heretofore & this to be my last will & Testament 12th
I leave my wife Margaret Todd & my son Joseph Todd to be my
executors & I do hereby Attest & confirm to set my hand & seal this
28th day of March 1795.

John Todd



In presence John Johnston & John McIlwain

61² In the name of God amen, I William Todd of the County
 of Northampton & State of N^c Carolina, being weak in body
 but of sound mind & memory, knowing that it is ordained
 for all men once to die, do make & constitute this my last will
 & Testament in the form & manner which follows viz
 My soul I commit into the hands of Almighty God that gave
 it me, And my body into the dust from whence it came to
 be buried in a decent Christian burial at the discretion
 of my Executors, And my worldly Estate that it has pleased
 God to bless me with I dispose of in the following manner
 Item It is my will that this plantation on which I now live, con-
 taining one hundred & thirty acres be & the same is hereby
 given & bequeathed to Silas Todd my grandson agreeable to my
 obligation to the said Silas Todd bearing date 7th of February 1826
 Item It is my will that the remainder of my property be sold at public
 sale & the money there arising after paying all my debts & funeral
 expenses be equally divided between my lawful heirs viz
 Peggy Todd, Ann Dixon, George Todd, James Todd, Thomas
 McGinn, The heirs of Joseph McGinn & Abby Neale, Overseeing
 all former wills by me heretofore made, It is my will that
 George Todd & James Todd be my Executors to this my last will
 and Testament

Signed ^{Hand} in the presence of

Isaac Fraser }
 Hugh Neale }

William Todd 

In the name of God amen. I Violeta Peltier of the County of
 Northampton & State of N^c Carolina, being in sound mind &
 memory do this 24th day of June 1828 make & constitute this
 my last will & Testament in manner & form following.
 As to such worldly property as it hath pleased God to bless me
 with I allow to be divided as follows, All my negro property to
 be hired out as will Stephen my son some of age, and all my other
 property such as stock household & kitchen furniture & other per-
 sonalty pertaining to the estate to be sold by my Executors, & all my