

I do give & dispose of in the following manner & for
 Impromiss I give & bequeath to my dearly beloved wife
Rebecca Stinson after my first debts being paid one half
 of all my worldly Estate say everything I do excepted & be-
 lieving deceased this life this said half to be equally divided
 between my two daughters Elizabeth & Lydia Stinson
 I give & bequeath to my brother Michael Stinson I will
 all my working tools his share being to his sister debt
 five pounds each. I give & bequeath to my brother
Michael Stinson all my clothing & twenty five
 dollars now in the care of his sister John Stinson & the
 remainder of my Estate to be equally divided between
 my brother Michael Stinson & his sister
Lydia Stinson, and I do constitute make & ordain
James McComb & James Steffers my sole Executors of this
 my last will & Testament And I do hereby utterly dis-
 allow revoke & disannul all & every other will before
 named written & bequeathed, Relinquishing & confirming this to
 no other to be my last will & Testament. In witness
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day &
 year above written signed sealed, published, pronounced
 & declared by the said Hugh Stinson as his last will
 & Testament in the presence of us the Subscribers
 Witnesses Robert Wells } Hugh Stinson 
John Stinson }

In the name of God Amen I Robert Stewart of the
 Carolina Merckburg County being very sick & weak
 in body but of perfect mind & memory of sound judg-
 ment, do make & appoint this my last will & Testament
 I give & bequeath my soul to God my Maker & my body
 to the earth from whence it was taken in full assurance
 of its Resurrection at the last day by the
 Almighty power of God my maker As for
 I desire it may be without pomp or state be

at the discretion of my dear wife & Executors hereafter
mentioned. As for my worldly Estate which it hath
pleased God to bless me with I desire it may be given
after my deceased Parents & first debts are paid as follows
Viz I give & bequeath to my beloved wife the Plantation
whereon I now live, her life time & at her decease to my
beloved son William Stewart his Heirs & assigns forever
Item I give & bequeath the half of my land lying on Swanton
Side South the upper end of the Survey to my beloved
son James Stewart his Heirs & assigns forever & the remain-
der of said tract to be sold & the money arising from said
sale to be applied in paying my debts, I bequeath to
my beloved wife all my household furniture & plate
& gear & a Room where & a brown Horse & two cows & the
largest of my Bulls, And the remainder of my Estate after
debts are paid to be equally divided among my four
daughters Viz Agnes, Elizabeth, Margaret & Jane Stewart
And do hereby constitute & appoint my beloved wife John
Stewart & my dear friend James Houston as my Executors
to this my last will & Testament. Given under my hand
& Seale this 25th day of September 1777

Witness

Henry Dames

Hugh Houston

Robert Stewart

In the name of God Amen, I Henry Supreme of the County
of Rockland & State of N. Carolina being very weak of body
but of perfect memory & mind Thus be given to God calling
to mind the mortality of my body, knowing that it is appointed
once for all men to die do make & publish 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 gave it. Secondly my body to be buried into the earth
in a decent & Christian manner at the discretion of
my Executors without any meddling but the general Resur-
rection & shall receive the same again by the mercy of