

In the name of God Amen. I Samuel Wilkins of
Newblenburg County in the Province of N^c Carolina
being very sick & weak in body but of perfect mind
& memory thanks be to God, calling unto mind the
mortality of my body & knowing that it is appoint-
ed for all men once to die, Do make & Ordain this
my last Will & Testament, that is to say principally
& first of all I give & recommend my soul into the
hand of Almighty God that gave it & my body
I recommend to the Earth to be buried in decent
Christian burial at the direction of my Executors
nothing doubting at the General Resurrection
I shall receive the same again by the mighty
Power of God, And as touching my worldly
estate where with it has pleased God to bless
me in this life I give demise & dispose of the
same of hand that Lyeth with William Terry &
Fifty Three pounds fifteen shillings virginia money
& likewise a bond of one hundred & eighty pounds
virginia money & three years interest upon Col.
John Clark, & all book debts to be Equally
divided to my son John Wilkins & Jonathan
Wilkins & John Anderson & likewise one year
old Colt unto Jacob Wilkins branded SW-
& one black Stallion Colt branded SW unto Susan-
Anderson, And likewise I give further to my son
Jonathan Wilkins my blue suit of clothes, great
coat, shoes stockings, And to my cousin Samuel
Wilkins I do give one bay horse branded 78 &
likewise two mares & one horse the Brown mare
branded RT & the brown mare branded with a swivel
thereup & SW & the bay horse branded SW. And all
my better moveables that is at John Wilkins

To be sold & Equally divided between John Wilkins
 & Jonathan Wilkins & John Anderson, such &c. &c. &c.
 utterly disallow & revoke, disannul all & every other
 former Testament, Wills & Legacies whatsoever In
 Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal
 this the 2^d day of December in the Year of our Lord 1763
 Signed, sealed, published & pronounced & declared
 by the said Samuel Wilkins as his last will &
 Testament in the presence of us who in his
 presence & in the presence of each other have
 hereunto Subscribed our names -

John Thompson }
 Robert Humphreys }

Samuel Wilkins



In The name of God Amen. This 23^d day of September
 in the Year of our Lord 1771 I William Madalington of the
 County of Mecklenburg being sick & weak,
 in body but of perfect mind & memory Thanks be given
 to God, Therefore calling to mind the mortality of my
 body & knowing that it is appointed for all men once
 to die, Do make & Ordain this to be my last will &
 Testament, that is to say principally & first I give &
 recommend my Soul into the hands of God that gave
 it; & as for my body I recommend it to the earth to be
 Buried in a Christian like & decent manner 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 as touching
 such worldly Estate whereunto it hath pleased
 God to bless me in this life I give & dispose of
 the same in the following manner & form -
Imprimis I leave the whole disposing & Management
 of my Estate in my wife Elizabeths hand Hoping in