

In the sacred name of God Amen.

The twelfth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty one, I Roger Moore of Brunswick County in North Carolina, planter, being very sick, and weak in body, but of perfect mind and memory, do make and ordain this to be my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following.

My will and desire is that my Executors and Executors hereinafter named, do as soon as possible after my decease, pay all my just debts. I give devise and bequeath to my well beloved wife Mary all my estate real, personal and mixed of what nature or kind soever, to her and her heirs forever, and I do hereby nominate and appoint my said wife Mary, Executors, and Mr James Walther, Mr Thomas Allen and Mr William Watters Executors to this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Roger Moore the Testator, as and for his last, Will and Testament, in presence of us the subscribers

Roger Moore (Sene)

W. Hill

Clara Nash

Eliz. Nash

State of North Carolina } Wilmington Superior Court,
New Hanover County } May Term 1782

The within last Will and Testament of Roger Moore late of Brunswick County deceased, was exhibited by the Executors therein named, and the due execution thereof was proved in open Court by the oath of Will: Hill one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who likewise deposed, that he saw Blen Nash and Elizabeth Nash sign their names as witnesses thereto in the presence of the said Testator, who at the time of the execution of the said last Will and Testament appeared to be of a sound and disposing mind and memory. At the same time Mary Moore the Executrix therein named qualified as Executrix of the said last Will and Testament in due form of Law. It is therefore ordered by the Court here, that the Clerk of the County Court of Pleas and Quarter, Sessions for the County of New Hanover, do record the said last Will and Testament in his office, and thereupon issue letters testamentary to the said Mary Moore a copy of the said last Will and Testament, according to the general Act of assembly, in that care made provided.

John Lillingston. Clk