

name *Leah* & her increase also one negro boy named *Pemey*
 Item I bind unto my daughter *Uriah* *Cannell* the use
 of one negro woman named *Henah* & her increase during
 his life & at her decease I give *Uriah* *Thigmath* the said
 negro woman *Henah* & her increase apportion to be equally
 divided between or amongst her children,

Item I give devise bequeath unto my Grand son *Joseph*
Brattle son of *John Brattle* the Land & plantation
 wherein the said *John Brattle* now containing two
 hundred acres more or less bounded on an agreed
 line already made also one hundred acres of land
 adjoining my son *Joshua*'s land an agreed line
 already made and joining *Charles Bryan* *Stinson*
 also fifty acres of land I purchased of *John*
Herry according to the most known & respected
 bounds thereof also one negro girl named *Jane*
 and her increase to him his heirs & assigns forever

Item I give devise & bequeath unto my Grand daughter
Abigail *Brattle* one negro boy named *Davy*,

Item I give unto my Grand son *John Brattle* one negro
 girl & her increase named *Patt*. Item I give unto
 my Grand daughter *Margret* *Brattle* one negro
 girl named *Rebeckah* & her increase. Item I give
 devise & bequeath unto my Grand son *Drury* *Brattle*
 one negro boy named *Sham*. Item I give unto
 my daughter *Elizabeth* *Brattle* one negro woman
 named *Jessie* & her increase hereafter

Item I give devise bequeath all the remainder of my estate
 that is not in my will given away to be equally divided
 between or amongst my children namely *Leah*
John, *Abraham*, *Isaac*, *Joshua*, & *Drury* *Bap*. *His*
carp *Madew*, *Cannell*, and *Elizabeth* *Brattle* between
 to them their heirs & assigns forever.

Item I do hereby Ordain constitute & appoint my estate
 friend *John Hunt* my son *John Bap* and *Richard*

Vial my whole estate Executors of this my last
 will & testament hereby disavowing & making null
 & void all former wills & testaments by me heretofore
 made & this only to be my last will & testament, In witness
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this four
 teenth day of June One thousand seven hundred
 & seventy seven.

John Bap & a seal
 signed by the publisher & declared by the testator to be his
 last will & testament in presence of
Thomas Hunt, *Wm* *Deane*

Moses *Haw*, *John* *Lawrence*.

Northampton County Sept Court 1777.

The preceding will of *John Bap* was exhibited in Court
 proved by the oath of *Wm* *Deane* one of the subscribing
 witnesses, testified at the same time *Wm* *Knott* & *David*
Spicer as above ordered to be certified & the said
Test of *John* *Brattle* C. C.

John Boykins Will

In the name of god I shew *John Boykins* of
N. Carolina in *Northampton* County being in perfect
 sense & memory do and Ordain this my last will & testament
 in Ordinance as follows.

Item I give & bequeath unto my son *John Boykins* the
 plantation he now lives on the land I bought
 of *Thomas* *Shank* the land lying between the two
 tracts of this side to him and his heirs forever.

Item I give & bequeath unto my son *Barrell* *Boykins* he
 now lives on and all the lands belonging to it now a
 survey of land joining of the land that he lives on
 and bounded on the South side and *Shank* in a
 plantation I bought of *Charles* *Langhorne* lying
 in *Carter* *Hole* to him and his heirs forever.

Item I give & bequeath unto my son *John* *Boykins* the
 plantation I now live on after the death of

My wife Sarah Byghian and a New Survey that
he now lives On to him & his heirs forever

Item I give & bequeath unto my grandson Robert Byghian
the plantation my son Jeremiah Byghian lives
On and all my Land On the west side of deep
River lying and joining on the said plantation
to him & his heirs forever

Then I leave thirty pounds force law a new Money to
pay for the taking Out of these Wills Out
of the office

Item I leave the use of three negroes to my loving
wife Sarah Byghian viz. gale melle Put
during her natural life or widow hood and after
her decease the said negroes to be equally divided
among my five children and grand son viz.
Sally Russell John Harriet Sarah & Robert

Then I give to my grandson Robert Byghian One negro
girl named Peg to him and his heirs forever

Then I give and bequeath unto my five children and
grandson three negroes viz. Sally Jennings and
Cassius to be equally divided amongst them

Item I leave all the remainder part of my estate
viz. my House hold goods money cattle hogs
horses & manes & sheep and every thing else
I have let it consist of what it will
to be equally divided amongst my five
children and my loving wife and grand son
And I do appoint my son John Byghian
Benjamin Harrison and Thomas Jordan
my Executors of this my last will & testament
Witness my hand & seal this twelfth day
of Apr. One thousand seven hundred & seventy
two

Test Thomas Brantly John Byghian & Abner
James Brantly Martha ^{his} Brantly
Hampton County Decr 2nd 1772

The foregoing will of John Byghian was Exhibited
in Court proved by the Oath of James Brantly
and Martha Brantly two of the subscribing witnesses
thence at the same time John Byghian Thomas
Jordan and Benjamin Harrison qualified as
Ex. Order to be signed and recorded
Jeddy Siph. Thornton Clerk

John Mitchels Will

In the Name of god among the Twenty sixth day of
October in the year of Our Lord 1772 I John Mitchell
lives in the County of Northampton being sick
& weak in body but of perfect mind and memory
thanksgiving unto God for the same and calling
to mind the mortality of my body and knowing
that it is appointed for all men Once to die: do
make and Ordain this my last will and testament. that
as to my property and part of all I give and
recommend my soul unto the hands of God that spare
it me and for my body I recommend it to the
earth to be buried in a Christian like and decent
Manner at the discretion of my Executors and
all touching such worldly goods as it has pleased God
to bless me in this life I give and dispose of
in Manner and form following that is to say
in the first place I bid to my dearly beloved wife my
whole living Stock & Block during her life

Then I give and bequeath unto my beloved Son William
Mitchel after the death of his Mother Elizabeth
Mitchel the improvements whereon I now live cattle
and hogs and all the house hold goods list of
what sort or Quality I own and I appoint my
loving wife Elizabeth and my son William Mitchel
my whole and sole Executors in writing whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and seal this