

Before articles I give to her other heirs for ever.

Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Francis Attherton one Negro Lad named Nelson, or so named little Arthur, one Negro woman named Mary, one do named Minna, one Negro boy named Stephen one do named Antong also it is my desire that she may have a horse Bridle saddle at about twenty five pounds value in gold or silver, also one bed, & furniture, the same to be delivered when she comes to lawful age or marriage, also I give the above to her other heirs for ever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Sfr Attherton all of lands that I am papered with containing one tract I bought of Barnaba Thomas one do I bought of Mr Cowper joining st tract which said tract the Court have now stands on also one tract I bought of Bannet Hill lying in 10th meadows, also one tract I bought of Mr Allen Jones lying in 10th Seconck meek containing three hundred & fifty acres, and also all of Negroes that I am papered with excepting. Item that I have heretofore given away viz. William Mary, Astor, James that I bought of Sumner Wymen Duke, John, George Bob, Auston, Jeffery, Aaron Sayras, that I bought of Mr Wm Tencher & Will that I bought of Mr Vaughan, Grace Long, Simon & Simon, Smith, Amy Cherry, Cate Now, Charlotte, and all of rest of my whole Estate stock of all kinds bands notes debts dues & demands of any kind whatsoever. It is also my desire that my debt be paid out of the Estate, left in or claims of whatsoever is that my wife should be handsomely maintained out of the remaining part of my son Sfr Attherton's Estate during her natural life, the above & legacies I give to my son Sfr Attherton his heirs and assigns forever. and I do hereby appoint

my wife Betty Attherton & John Dawson my sole Executors of this my last Will & Testament, signed sealed & delivered in the presence of us this 19th day of Aug 1787.

Teste

Sfr Attherton Esq

J Dawson

Mary Gilder

James Cotton

Edw Bryant

mark

Northampton County W. June Court 1787

This Will was proved by the Oath of

John Dawson & James Cotton at the

Samuel Attherton Esq

as an Executor. Ordered to be Certified & Recorded

E. Heyman Esq

William Edwards Will

In the Name of God Amen I William Edwards of Northampton County in the Province of North Carolina Being very Sick and Weak but of perfect Sound Sense and Memory But falling to mind that all men must die, I make this my last will and Testament In manner and form following First I bequeath my Soul to God that gave it and my body to be buried in a decent and Christian like manner as for my worldly Estate which it has pleased Almighty God to bestow me with in the following Manner viz

Item I give and bequeath to my son John Edwards four plates and a large dish one great Bitt and one feather bed & frame

Item I give and bequeath to my son Isaac Edwards four plates and one small Bitt one Bitt one chest one feather bed after my decease

Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Judy Edwards 4 plates and a horse

Item I give to my son Stuart Edwards five Shillings Proclamation money and no more.

Item I give to my daughter Mary Channel four Shillings Proclamation money and no more.

Now I give to my son John Edwards all the remainder
of my estate to him and his heirs for ever
and I do hereby appoint my son John Edwards my sole
and sole executor of this my last Will and Testament
In witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this
19 day of November 1775

Teste

William ^{his} Edwards ^{mark}

George Washburn

Michael Deloatch

Northampton County Sep. Court 1777.

This will was proven by Michael Deloatch at the same time
that Edwards qualified as Executor, Ordinance to be
Recorded. Teste Sep. Attestation CC

Benjamin Harts Will

In the Name of God Amen I Benjamin Hart
of Northampton County in the Province of NorthCar-
olina, at present being very sick and weak of body
But of perfect sound mind and memory thanks
be to God this for Calling to mind the mortality
of my body both Give and Bequeath my Goods
and chattels in manner and form following

Now I give and Bequeath unto my beloved Wife Mary
Hart all that part of my Estate that at my death
shall that I enjoy By marriage of her to her and
her heirs for ever.

I also give unto my beloved Wife Mary Hart my
Sonne Mores one Saw & eight Pepp Ten Barrels of Corn
to her and her heirs for ever.

I do constitute and appoint my beloved Wife Mary
Hart and Lawrence Smith my sole and sole
Executors of this my last Will and Testament
making void & Disannulling all Wills By me
heretofore made In witness whereof I have

heretofore set my hand and seal this twentieth day of
April Anno Dom. One thousand Seven Hundred and
Seventy Seven

Teste

Benjamin Hart

Salasam Emory

Hannover ^{mark} & Jordan

Sara ^{mark} Emory

Northampton County, 4 June
Court 1777
This will was proven by Salasam
Emory at the same time Mary Hart qualified as
Executrix Ordinance to be recorded.

Teste Sep. Attestation CC

James Turner's Will

North Carolina Northampton County

In the Name of God Amen this 23^d day of September 1775
I James Turner of the County & Province of North Carolina
being sick in body But of good sound memory thanks be to almighty
God for it Calling to remembrance the uncertainty
this Estate of this transitory life and that all flesh must
return to Death when it shall please God to call do make
Constitute ordain and this my last will and testament
In manner and form following Revoking and annul-
ling by these presented all and every testament and
testaments Will & wills heretofore by me made and
declared either By word or writing and this to be
Taken only for my last will & testament and none other
I give & Bequeath unto my son Harmon Turners the sum of
five Shillings I give & Bequeath unto my Daughter
Martha Lewis & Mary Warder & Sarah Henness
Ten one negro girl called a Phillis to be divided equally
among them & if when the Children come to age if
they cannot agree the negro must be sold
I give & Bequeath unto my Daughter Susan Howell
the sum of five Shillings I Bequeath unto my son