

Sarah Hayes Will

In the name of God amen I Sarah Hayes of the State of North Carolina in the County of Northampton being at this time in a low State of health but of good disposing mind and memory knowing it is appointed for all men to die and willing to make my will and dispose of my estate in the following manner. First of all I recommend my soul to almighty God that gave it me my body to be buried at the discretion of my executor my funeral expenses I wish to be paid

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Meriah Hayes two feather beds two Basons and three plates two Bow and Calves one hunting saddle four head of Sheep six head of Hogs one Iron pot one small flying pan one Case of Colles one pair of small shulspades and (See post).

Item I give and bequeath to my Grand daughter Fanny Hayes one young Cow with you and bequeath to my Grand son John Hayes and my Grand Daughter Fanny Hayes one feather Bed three Basons and four plates one feather bed and furniture likewise one pair of Chest to be equally divided between John Hayes & Fanny Hayes

Item I give and bequeath to my Grand Daughter Fanny Hayes two head of Sheep and four head of Hogs one pair of flint Stone one Iron pot to her two heirs

Item I give and bequeath to my Grandson John Hayes six head of Sheep three head of Hogs also one Horse saddle & Whip likewise to him and his heirs forever

Item I give and bequeath to my Grand Daughter Sally Evans one Brown saddle and bridle six head of Hogs two head of Sheep and Iron pot rack

Item I give and bequeath to my Grand Daughter Mary Hayes one young Cow my desire is that the remainder of my estate not mentioned in the will may be equally divided between Meriah Hayes Fanny Hayes John Hayes and Sally Evans. I do hereby nominate and appoint William Matheson Jr. and James Matheson son Executors of this my last Will confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal this 18th day of April 1795.

Sarah Hayes Lachal

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Test John Matheson
James Matheson
C. T. Tanner
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Northampton County N.C.
June Court 1795.

Then this Will was proved

by the Oath of John Matheson one of the subscribing witnesses therein whereupon William Matheson & James Matheson the Executors therein named was duly qualified and to be certified & recorded. Witnesses C. T. Tanner

Burwell Boyakins Will

In the name of God Amen I Burwell Boyakins of the County of Northampton and State of North Carolina being sick and weak but of perfect mind and memory make be gives unto God calling unto 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 is to say principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of almighty God that gave it and my body to the earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial at the discretion of my executor 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 wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form

First I give and bequeath to my beloved sons John Boyakins and Arthur Boyakins to be equally divided between them all my land and premises to them and their heirs forever I also give to my son John Boyakins two Negroes Sam and Sin one feather bed and furniture one Horse one Bow and Calf to him and his heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my son Arthur Boyakins two Negroes Peter & Linder one feather bed and furniture one Horse one Bow and Calf to him and his heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my beloved Daughter Mary Boyakins two Negroes Tim and Sere one feather bed & furniture one Horse one Bow and Calf to her and her heirs forever.

I do hereby nominate constitute and ordain my son John Boyakins and Littleberry Smith Executors of this my last Will and Testament making and annulling of all other Wills before by me made ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I the said Burwell Boyakins have hereunto set my Hand and Seal this twenty-

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twenty-sixth day of December in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety four

Signed, Published, and declared
by the said Samuel Boykin
as his last Will and Testament
in the presence of us

Samuel Boykin & Seal

Northampton County Lt.
June Court 1795

Cordal Dupree
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Francis Dols.

This Will of Samuel
Boykin du Es was proved by the Oaths
of Cordal Dupree & Francis Dols
whereupon Littleberry Smith one of
the Executors therein named was duly
qualified. Ordered to be certified &
Recorded

Witness
E. Haynes 667

Kindred Skinner's Will

In the name of God Amen I Kindred Skinner of
Northampton County and State of North Carolina being weak
in body but of sound mind and memory thanks be given to
Almighty God for the same and calling to mind the mortality
of our nature and that it is appointed for all Men once to die
I make and ordain this my last Will and Testament, I first
Give and bequeath my debt to the hands of him who gave it
hoping for acceptance the merits of our Lord Jesus Christ
and as my worldly estate I give and dispose of them in the
following manner.

Item I give and bequeath unto my well beloved Wife Judith Skinner one
Bed and furniture one Chest one mare called Luff to her and her
Heirs forever.

Item I lend to my beloved wife Judith Skinner the use of all my lands
together with the plantation wherein I now live as also all my
Negroes hereafter named to wit Peter, Hans, Peter, Capt. York, Omer,
Beaser, Simon, Ben, Richard, Mary, Ann, Rebecca, Jeff, Chase,
Sarah, Bob, Moses, Nancy, Lucy, Silas, Nath, Beck, Hannah to
have my said wife for the purpose of raising my children until
they come of age or marries and whenever that shall happen my
desire is that they shall receive each their several legacies
hereafter given.

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Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Susan and Mary
the following Negroes named Simon, Morris, Chase, Silas and
one Bowler half to her and her Heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Sarah Skinner all my land
that I am possessed with after the death of my wife also five Negroes
named Peter, Jeff, Ann, Mary, & Bob one Bow half one bed
and furniture six powder plates to her and her Heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Rebecca Skinner five Negroes
named Sam, Beaser, Sarah, Hannah & Daniel one bed & furniture
one case of bottles to her and her Heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Mary Skinner five
Negroes named Capt. Ben, Isaac, Lucy, & Tom one bed and
furniture to her and her Heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Martha Skinner
seven Negroes named Peter, Rebecca, York, William, Mary, Beth
and half also forty pounds Virginia money to her & her Heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Grandson Benjamin Hare one
Negro girl named Beck to him and his Heirs forever.

Item My Will and desire is that after the death of I and my Wife
all the remainder part of my estate not before given or bequeathed
should be equally divided among my Children to them &
their Heirs forever. — I also nominate and appoint Isaac
(Capt. Jeff, Hare and Benjamin Hare) my whole and sole
Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and
disannulling all other Wills by me made declaring this
and only this to be my last Will & Testament whereof
I have hereunto set my Hand and affixed my Seal
this 21st day of October 1794.

Signed, Sealed, pronounced
and Declared in presence of

of N. Thompson
James Berry
Benjamin Hare

Kindred Skinner & Seal

Northampton County Lt.
June Court 1795

Then this Will of Kindred
Skinner du Es was duly proved by the Oaths of Benjamin Hare &
Nobelia Thompson. Whereupon Isaac, Jacob & Jeff Hare
were duly qualified as Executors thereof Ordered to be
certified and Recorded

Witness
E. Haynes 667