

Samuel Masters Will

In the Name of God Amen Samuel Master of Northampton
 in County and State of North Carolina being very sick at
 present and of perfect Mind and Memory thanks be to Almighty
 God for it and believing he must die the Mortality of my Body
 and knowing that I must Die do make and adduce this my
 Last Will and Testament in form following

I do recommend my Body to the ground to be Buried in
 a good Christian Burial in form and my soul I commend
 to God that gave it and as touching all such worldly
 Estate as I both please God to help me with.

I give and Bequeath in Manner and form following (First) —

I do desire that all my just debts should be paid and after that
 shall be my Loving Wife Elizabeth Master all my land and
 Plantations which I now have with all the Remainder of my Estate
 During her Natural Life and after her Death I give my Land
 and Plantations to be equally divided Between my three sons (Second)
 William Master, My Master & William Master, and after my Wife
 passed all the Remainder part of my Estate shall be equally
 divided amongst all my Children Lawfully Begotten of my
 Body and further be recommended and appointed John Davis and
 John Davis to be my Executors to this my Last Will and Testament
 In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the
 17 day of December 1805 and Eight hundred and five

John Davis
 Single Daughtery
 Eliza Pope
 Mary

Samuel Master
 Northampton County N.C. Decr 1805
 Then the above Will was pronounced by
 Judge Daughtery at some time after the above
 as Executor to the above Will subscribed and
 to be Read by the Court

Jacob Burns Will

In the Name of God Amen I Jacob Burns of Northampton County
 and State of North Carolina being sick and of perfect Mind
 and Memory knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to
 Die do make and adduce this my Last Will and Testament in form
 following I do commend my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my
 Body to the Priest to be buried in a Christian like Manner at
 the direction of my Executors and as touching my worldly Estate which
 with the help of the Lord and the Blessing of God I give and bequeath
 in Manner and form following

I do give the whole of my Estate to my Loving Wife Elizabeth
 Burns during her natural Life as Widowhood after her death
 I give and bequeath to my dear son Jacob Burns five
 Shillings I give to my dear son Henry and my dear daughter
 the sum of five shillings

I do give and bequeath unto my friend John Davis
 all my Land and Plantations which I now have with all the
 and his heirs forever — I give unto my friend John Davis
 and his heirs forever by the name of Elizabeth and all her
 heirs to have and his heirs forever

I do give and bequeath to my friend John Davis
 the sum of five shillings and all such personal property which
 goods and personal effects of mine which I have and
 all other personal effects that belong to me to have and
 his heirs forever

I give and bequeath all other Wills by me made but I give my friend
 John Davis my Wife Elizabeth Burns my child and all my
 friends and all my friends and all my friends and all my friends
 the day of 1793

John Davis
 John Davis
 John Davis

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