

John Evans Will.

In the Name of God, Amen I John Evans of Northampton County, North Carolina being of sound and perfect Mind and Memory thanks be to God do this Twenty fourth day of July in the Year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and one make and Publish this to be my Last Will and Testament in Manner following —

First, My Will and desire is that all my just Debts be paid before to my dear Wife, Evans five Pounds on each to Eleath her School her, also have sufficient to Purchase her a Piece of Furniture, such a one as my Executors may think proper, also one Chest and all my Clothing, one brass Bed, one Pan, one Iron Stove, one Iron Bed Stairs to her she have power —

Second, My Will and desire is that my Executors sell my Land wherever her land, also all my Estate both Real & Personal to the Highest Bidder for Cash as they may think proper and after Paying off all my just Debts & the charges before give away the Balance of the Money among from this Date to be Equally Divided among my four Children (James) Willy Evans, Marster Evans, Dolly Perry, John Evans & Peter Evans.

Third, My Will and desire is that if in case my dear Wife should die before he arrives to lawful age or Manner that my Daughters Dolly Perry have half of all his Estate the other half to be Divided between Willy Marster and John Evans to them & their heirs forever. Lastly I hereby make and assign my worthy Trustee James McClark, and my Son-in-law John Perry Executors to this my Last Will & Testament. In Witness whereof this said John Evans have hereunto set his hand and Seal this

this the day and Year first Written —
Before Public Publishing and Delivered by the said John Evans his Testator, as his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us our Parents at the Town of Wapping

James C. Farrell
Edward Cook
John C. Whaley

John Evans
Mark

Northampton County, North Carolina August 2nd 1801

That this above Will was proved in Court by Edward Cook one of the Subscribing Witnesses thereto and to be certified and Recorded. At the same time the Jury qualified as Jurors
Test Wm. T. Tarrant D. C. J.

Peter Stewards Will

In the Name of God, Amen Peter Stewards of Northampton County, and State of North Carolina being of sound Mind and Memory thanks be to God do this 1st day of August 1801 knowing that it is appointed for all Mankind to Die do make this my Last Will and Testament in Manner following —

First I leave unto my dear Wife all my share during her life have my Horse called Roger and Chandler and one Adam Shag and his wife, furniture all my Books and my Bed during her life and after her Death to be Equally divided among my Children —

Second I leave unto my Wife fifteen Dollars and a different Quantity of goods as she shall think proper for her use. I likewise give unto my Children all the remainder of my Estate to be equally divided among them except my good Child Lewis Stewards which it is my desire shall have an equal share with the Children. And to Lewis I give the Shilling, Plow and other things. I do likewise constitute and appoint James Stewards my Executor to this my Last Will and Testament. Appointed this 1st day of August 1801. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set this 30. 1801. Peter Stewards