

John Grants Will

In the name of God Amen I John Grants of Northampton County being weak in Body but in sound Mind and Memory (able to do this) of day of February 1813, make and Publish this my last will and Testament in manner following that is to say

First I give my soul to almighty God who first gave it and my body to be buried at the discretion of my friends

Second I do my desire that my beloved wife Mary Grant have the use of one half of my Plantation with my House and her and furniture and Dick one Table & Chair one half of the Kitchen furniture & two and a half and one and a half among her natural life and one year afterwards and after her death a marriage the above assets to my son Shadrach Grant and his heirs forever

Third I give and bequeath unto my son Shadrach Grant all my Lands to him and his heirs forever

Fourthly I give unto my Daughter Margaret Betty one and a half of my land and half

Fifthly It is my desire that my Grand Daughter Patsy Grant should have thirty Dollars to be raised out of my Estate if she shall be married a sum to support her and her children as to be paid in interest until then

Sixthly It is my desire that my Daughter Betty Jones have one hundred and fifty dollars to be raised out of my Estate

Seventhly It is my desire that the remainder of my Estate not given away should be sold and my just debt paid and the balance to be equally divided between my daughter Susan Kate Margaret Betty, Betty Jones my son Shadrach Grant & my first daughter Patsy Grant to them their heirs forever the hereby make & declare my friend William Grant Executor of this my last will and Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written

John Grants

In presence of
Abraham Grant
his
Thomas Robinson
Mark

John Grants (Seal)

Northampton County of September Court 1814

This will was proved in Court by the oath of Shadrach Grant at same time William Grant sworn into Court and testified as Executor to the above Will and to be satisfied & recorded Let

John Glovers Will

In the name of God Amen I John Glover of Northampton County & State of North Carolina being weak in Body but of perfect Mind and Memory and willing to make this Testament of my body and bearing it is appeared for all then come to die do make and declare this my last will and Testament that is to say after all my just debts are paid

First I give to my beloved wife Patsy Glover one feather bed and furniture & chair, I give unto John Glover son of John Glover one Negro boy named Rayland to him and his heirs forever, I give unto my daughter Rachel Glover two Negroes Stephen Mark & John with their increase to her and should she die before she has a lawful heir as twenty one years old then the above named Negroes Stephen Mark & John with their increase it is my desire my wife shall keep the said Negroes during her life a widow and then to be equally divided between the above named

John Glover son of William Glover and Susan Glover last of all I bequeath my beloved wife and my brother John Glover my Executors of this my last will and Testament making all this bequest made by me & without which I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 10 day of December 1812

John Glover
Patsy Glover
Mark

John Glover (Seal)
Mark

Northampton County of December Court 1814

This will of John Glovers was exhibited into Court and was proved by the oath of John Glover, Executor to the bequest and recorded Let

John Glover (Seal)