

Thomas Faison's Will... In the name of god, amen I
Thomas Faison of the County of Northampton and State of North Carolina,
being weak in my body but in my sound sense and memory thanks to god
for the same do make and Ordain this my last will and Testament as
follows (which is to say) 1. First. I give unto my beloved Son Sterling Fai-
son two dollars to him and his heirs forever. 2. Second. I give unto my
Son Richard Faison two Dollars to him and his heirs forever. 3. Third. I
give to my daughter, Jincy Luthor all the personal Estate which I give
to her and her Son Potmon Luthor to her and her heirs forever which
property is now in the hands of Kincheon Luthor. 4. Fourth. I give unto
my son James Faison all the lands which I have on both sides of Cogroog
Swamp supposed to be four hundred and eighty two acres more or less
after my death to him and his heirs forever and as for the balance of
my Estate both in Town and Out my will and desire is that my just
debts should be paid and the remainder if any should descend to my son
James Faison and his heirs forever and I do hereby nominate and ap-
point James Faison my whole and sole Executor to this my last
will and Testament on witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and sealed my seal this 11th day of November 1824.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the
presence of us —

Everl Sancull & Willdy Hasty his ^{mark} mark Thomas Faison Seal
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Northampton County, December Court 1824. This last will
and Testament of Thomas Faison deceased was exhibited to this Court
and proved in due form of law by the Oaths of Everell Sancull
and Willdy Hasty Subscribing witnesses thereto. Whereupon James
Faison the testator in said will named was qualified as the law
directs. Ordered that said will be certified & recorded

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James Bainford's Will. I James Bainford of North-
ampton County and State of North Carolina being of sound mind and
memory but weak in body to make and Ordain this my last will &
Testament in form and manner as follows. — Item I give to my
two Sons Joshua and Benajah Bainford all the lands wherein they
and my son James & Bainford now live to be divided in equal
shares between themself and if they cannot agree to get two
Friends

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Shares to make the division to them and their heirs forever after
Mother uses Estate to give up the plantation whereon she now lives
until then James L Bainford has privilege to remain where he
now lives. — Item I give to my daughter Angeline Patterson the lands
where she and her husband Paul Patterson formerly lived down to Pecky
Harding's Spring Branch Crossing a small stone Bridge thereon to
Calders Branch supposed to be 120 acres and two hundred Dollars to
her and her heirs forever. Item I give to my Son Micajah Bain-
ford the tract of land whereon he now lives & two hundred Dol-
lars to him and his heirs forever. Item I also leave in the hands
of my Son Micajah Bainford & Paul Patterson three hundred forty
four Dollars to be administered to the wife of my Daughter Rebekah
Parker as they may think best and in Case it is not exested
in her rules to equally divide amongst her Children at her death
as I have given her one hundred & fifty six Dollars heirs free
Item I give to my Son James L Bainford the land and plan-
tation whereon I now live after the death or marriage of my
wife and so soon as she may think proper to give up her rights
in said land held for four hundred acres to him and his heirs
forever. — I bind to my wife the plantation whereon I now live
which I have left to my Son James L Bainford after the death
or marriage of my wife or so soon as she may think proper to
give it up. I also bind her one gig & harness as many beds &
such furniture and as many Horses and Stock & Grane Rocke
as she should use and one thousand Dollars so long as
she remains my widow to support her on and if she should
marry to have one feather bed & persional & one hundred Dollars
and apoint my sons James & Benajah Bainford Trustees to
do that their Mother has asked done her & if the property &
money that I have left my wife should not be used in her life
or so long as she remains my widow my will and desire is
that it be equally divided between my children & my wife
and desire is that the Residue of my Estate both real and
personal be equally divided between my children except
what I gave away by word of mouth — my wife and I furnish
ourselves