

George Andrew

In the name of God Amen. I George Andrew of Rockingham County and State of North Carolina being weak of body, but in perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God for it calling to mind the mortality of the 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 to God that gave it and my body to be buried in a decent Christian manner at the discretion of my executors not doubting but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same by the mighty power of God and as touching such worldly estates wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me with.

I do leave and bequeath in the following manner I do leave and bequeath to my dearly beloved mother Esther Stratton all my property and estate for her use and for her to dispose of as she pleases during her natural life and if there is any of my estate that my mother has not disposed of in her life I do allow it to be equally divided between my two brothers William Andrew and Mark Andrew I do hereby ordain my beloved mother Esther Stratton the sole executrix of this my last will and testament all my property and estate in witness whereof I have set my hand this first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and six

Witness present

Charles Moore

J. Break

State of North Carolina May Session 1806
Rockingham County The within last will

and testament of George Andrew was duly
proven in open Court by the oath of John

George Andrew
Mark

Book and on motion ~~ordered~~ to be recorded.

Test Robt Hallaway C. C.

Michael Caffer

In the name of God Amen.

I Michael Caffer of the State of North Carolina Rockingham County; Being of sound and perfect mind and memory (and blessed be God) do this the twenty third day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four, make and publish this my last will and testament in the manner following that is to say First, I give and bequeath to Margeret Caffer my dear beloved wife during her life the plantation on which I now live; and a negroe fellow named Isaac, and one the choice of my horses besides a child's part of all the rest of my moveable property: which at her death shall be sold except the plantation (and equally divided between the whole of my children, which plantation shall fall to my son Michael Caffer at his mothers decease, unless he should marry during his mothers life which in such case he shall have the liberty during his mothers life to cultivate so much of said plantation as shall be equal to his mothers subsistence during or respecting cultivation.

Item I give and bequeath to Sophia Caffer one best Bridle and saddle to the amount of one hundred dollars or one hundred dollars in cash.

Item I give and bequeath to Mary Caffer one best bridle and saddle to the amount of one hundred dollars or one hundred dollars in cash.

Item I give and bequeath to Robt Caffer a certain