

In the name of God Amen! I William Pack son
of the County of Rowan & State of N Carolina, being very
sick & weak in body but of perfect mind & memory thanks
be given to God, calling to mind the mortality of my body
& knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do
make & ordain, this my last will & test: that is to say prin-
cipally & first I give & recommend my soul into the hands
of Almighty God who gave it, and my body to the earth to
be buried in a decent christian burial, at the discretion of my
executors, nothing doubting but at the general resurrection
I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God
& as touching such worldly estate, whereunto it has pleased
God to bless me in this life, I give devise & dispose of the
same in the following manner & form.

1st I give & bequeath to Johanna Pack my dearly beloved
wife, one hundred acres of land with all the improvements
belonging to the same, and all the rest of the moveable estate
then during her life or widowhood.

I give & bequeath to my beloved son Azariah Pack fifty
acres of land including the improvement where I now live
and likewise twenty five silver dollars to be at his will &
disposal forever.

3rd I give & bequeath to my son Reason Pack fifty acres of
land joining where he now lives to be at his own will & disposal
for ever.

4th I give & bequeath to my son Joseph Pack fifty pounds
hard money to be raised out of my estate, in two years
& saddle to be at his own will & disposal for ever.

5th I give & bequeath to my two daughters, each of them
one hundred silver dollars to be taken out of my estate
after my wife's decease or widowhood.

And lastly of all I give & devise to my youngest son William
Pack after his mother's decease the land & all the rest of my
living, after all just debts are paid, to be at his sole will
& disposal for ever. This I give to my wife & my two sons
namely William & Azariah Pack, whom I likewise constitute
make & ordain, my sole executors of this my last will & test.
I do hereby utterly, disallow, revoke & disannul, all & every former
testaments, wills, legacies, bequests & executors, by me in any
ways before, named, written, & bequeathed. Ratify & confirm
this my last will & test: In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand & seal this third day of January 1800.

Signed, sealed, published, pronounced,
Declared by the sd Wm Pack as his
last will & test in the presence of us William Pack
Jesse Adams, Elijah Seatch.

In the name of God Amen! I Henry Thifon
of Rowan County in the State of N Carolina, being very
sick & weak but of perfect mind & memory thanks be given
to God. Calling to mind the mortality of my body & know-
ing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make &
ordain this my last will & test, that is to say principally &
at first, I give & recommend my soul into the hands of
mighty God who gave it, & my body I recommend to the
earth to be buried in a decent christian burial at the dis-
cretion of my executors, nothing doubting but at the general

resurrection I shall receive the same again through the mighty power of God, & as touching such words by estate wherewith it had pleased God to bless me, in this life, I give demise & dispose of the same, in the following manner & form.

1. I give & bequeath to Ann my beloved wife all my lands & tenements, where I now live, during her single life, together with all my household goods & moveable effects, also I give to my beloved wife two cows & calves, to have choice of the whole flock & after her single life, all the household furniture to be equally divided between my wife & my two daughters Susanna Phifer & Elizabeth Phifer - Also I give to my well beloved daughter Susanna one mare colt one year old, & also my beloved daughter Elizabeth to have the first foals of the said colt. And also I give to my daughter Susanna one heiffer. - Also I give to my beloved wife my bay mare & my son Martin to have the first foals of the said mare & my son John H. to have the next foals of the said mare. And also I give to my beloved wife, six hogs & one sow & one plough & year.

Also I give to my beloved son Martin Phifer 195 acres of land more or less, it being the tract of land where I now live & after my wife single life, said plantation to be rented out, for the use of my son Martin Phifer.

Also I give to my son H. Phifer 101 acres of land more or less, it being the place where John Link formerly lived, and all the rest of my personal property to be sold by my executors to pay my debts.

And also I give Henry Gibler & Matthew Howard executors

6. I give demise & bequeath in case my wife, who appears pregnant should bring forth a living child, if a son to have the remainder of my land lying south, of the land aforesaid bequeathed to my son Hugh & the one sixth part of my moveable or personal property & shooting equal to my son Hugh & if a daughter, the same share & share alike with my other child & my personal estate to him or her their heirs & assigns for ever.

7. I will & devise that in case my wife, should not bring forth a living child a male, that the land aforesaid mentioned to be given to my dearly beloved wife Ilean & to my well beloved children Margaret, Mary & Ilean to them their heirs & assigns for ever.

8. I will that my Smith tools & still & vessels & what of my stock my dearly beloved wife & my other executors think reasonable to her & not convenient for her, to keep, to be sold & the money arising from the sale thereof to be equally divided, to all my children & if Negro Will should prove stubborn to be sold & the money arising from the sale thereof to be divided to my children likewise.

9. I make & ordain my dearly beloved wife Ilean, my loving bro Hugh Phifer & James Gibson executor of this my last will & I do utterly disallow & revoke all former wills by me made certifying & confirming this as my last will & test. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day & year first written

Signed, sealed, published in presence of

Robert Cochran
Jacob Binning
Sam Houston

John Parks