

and Seal this twelfth day of April in the year of our Lord 1773
 The interlineament between the sixteenth and seventeenth lines
 Signed, Sealed, delivered, pronounced in the
 presence of us, who in presence of James
 Carson, subscribed our names as Witnesses

James Carson 

John Gardiner
 Jack Brown
 Michael Brown

Elizabeth Shappi Last Will, Vide the Original in Detach

In the Name of God Amen.
 1775 } I William Douglass of Rowan County in
 the presence of North Carolina being sick in body but thanks be
 to God being in perfect mind and Memory do make and ordain this
 my last Will and Testament. First I recommend my soul to God who
 gave it me. (and my body recommend to the Earth, to be buried
 at the discretion of Recusors, nothing Doubting but at the last
 day it shall be raised again. And as touching my worldly
 Affairs I have bequeathed unto my lawful and beloved wife
 Mary her life and dower on the plantation and in the House now
 lived in during her natural life, (and a moveable estate
 I allow to be sold according to Law, which I leave to her except her
 debts, which I leave to my daughter Elizabeth. And I have
 bequeathed unto my beloved Sons David and Solomon
 now living to be divided equally between
 equal part of all expenses accruing on death
 twice or may be spent I also allow my
 wife and her heirs only have

born. At coming of my heirs, means & unto my grandson William Douglass one third of the
 I should having a white man and Tail, unto my grand daughter Mary in several tracts of land
 higher could and and this twenty I have bequeathed to my beloved wife Mary all the money now due
 to my estate after all my lawful debts paid & and last of all I constitute my wife
 Mary Son Solomon to be the Executors of this my last Will and Testament, hereby discharging her
 making void all former Wills and Testaments, as witness my hand and Seal this first day
 of September 1773.
 William Douglass
 John Douglass
 James Hare

William Douglass
 Mark

May Court 1775 } In the Name of God Amen this first Day of
 January in the year of our Lord 1775. I John Holmes
 Do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament that it is to
 say firstly and first of all I recommend my soul into the
 of God that giveth and for my body I recommend it to the Earth
 to be buried in as a Christian like and Decent Manner at the
 Discretion of any Executors Nothing Doubting but at the General
 resurrection I shall receive the same by the mighty power of God
 and as touching my worldly Estate if it hath pleased God
 to bless me with in this life I give Devise and dispose of the
 same in way and Manner following Viz.
 I give it my will and Devise that in the first place that
 all my Debts and funeral Charges be paid and satisfied and I
 allow twenty pounds to be paid to Logan and Surpise, William
 De Goria and thirty Shillings to Widow Boyd and or near Mrs
 Dutty Boyd in interest and I allow my wife ~~the same~~
 to discharge her Duty to her daughter Elizabeth in giving her
 part as well as any of the Girls & I allow the same to my
 Wife and the two Boys William and Richard During her life
 & at her Death to be equally Divided according to quantity of living
 and at her Death I allow her part to be equally Divided between
 the two & I allow my Wife Hannah and Richard &
 and Ebenezer & I allow my Debts if paid