

102 As not having any Expectors to this my last Will and
Testament and now being in perfect health and Memory praise
God for it my Will and Desires is now & now hereby appropriate my
son James & Mary & my beloved Wife Martha Mary to be my
lawful Executors. As witness my Hand and Seal September the
fifteenth Day 1770

Sept 10th Aug 1770
John Kimbrough }
Mary Kimbrough } X
George & Mary ^{his} _{mark} Ell

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In the Name of God, amen I John McPeters of Rowan
County and Province of North Carolina being weak in body,
but of sound Memory (blessed be God) do make and publish this my
last Will and Testament in Manner following (that is to say)
First I give and bequath my Soul unto Almighty God he gave it
me and my Body to be decently buried at the Discretion of my
Executors. Item I bequath to my beloved Wife Mary four
Cows & their four calves likewise I give to my said Wife two
Mares viz. one bay Mare named Phasene branded on the near
leg with a W, and one bright bay Mare branded on the
near shoulder with a Buttick thus I do likewise I give to my said
Wife her Jewels, Periwinkle and all her wearing Apparell. Item I
give and bequath to my Daughter Margret one young bright
bay mare one year old branded on the near shoulder and Buttick
thus I do, Also I give and bequath to my Daughter Mary one
year old gray mare branded on the near shoulder and Buttick
thus I do, Item if it please God that my Wife is safely Delivered
of the Child that she is now with and if said Child should be
a man Child I give and bequath to said son the Tract of
Land on which I now live, and if the said Child should be a
woman Child I give that if aforesaid Tract of Land be
equally divided between my above said Daughter

share and share alike. Item I give my Plantation on which I
live to my Wife Margret Wooters to have and live upon until my
above said Daughter Margret Wooters comes of Age and no longer
she making no Waste or Destruction thereupon Item I order and
give that my lawful Debts be honestly paid out of the Remaining part
of my movable Estate & what ever is remaining of said Estate to be equally
divided between my Wife and three Children Share & share alike,
and I make and retain her my said Wife and George Lathrop my trust-
ty Friend sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament, in Trust
for the Intents & purposes in in this Will contained. In Witness whereof
I the said John Wooters have to this my last Will & Testament set
my Hand and Seal this 17th day of November 1770 signed sealed and
delivered in y^e Presence of us who were present at the signing and
sealing thereof

Wm Moore
Abm Dexter
David Wilson

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5. 17. 81. In the Name of God Amen this twenty sixth Day Decemb
in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy I Henry
McHenry of Newen County in the Province of North Carolina being very
sick and weak of Body but of perfect Mind & Memory Thanks be given
to God for the same calling to mind the Mortality of my Body & knowing
that it is appointed for all Men once to die do make and ordain this
to be my Last Will & Testament in these Words as followeth that is to say
principally I give & bequeath & recommend my Soul to the Hands of
God who give it and for my Body I recommend it to the Earth to be
buried in a Christian manner 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 And as touching the
Worldly Estate I do hereby bequeath & recommend to my Executors
the same as followeth in the first Part of my will