

Elijah Hendron to them & their heirs forever = & if either of the above mentioned sons, die without any heirs lawfully begotten the above land to fall to the surviving son of the two above mentioned & his heirs forever. = And my will & desire is that my two negroes Deler & Hager to be sold to the highest bidder of my children with twelve months credit given from the day of sale & the money arising from the sale of the two negroes to be equally divided amongst all my children, except my son W^m Hendron who is to have no part -- I give & bequeath to my son W^m Hendron the sum of five pounds current money of N^o Carolina to be paid in twelve months from the proving of this will - & no more of my estate = I also give & bequeath to my beloved son Elijah Hendron one feather bed & one cow & calf & one Iron pot or Dutch oven of three or four gallons size :- I also give & bequeath to my beloved daughter Nancy Hendron my loom & all the staves & every other of the other gears hereunto belonging - I also give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Rosina Adams one cow & calf - I give & bequeath to my son Elijah Hendron one horse creature to be worth twenty pounds currency & one horse creature to my son Oliver Hendron of the same value & two Killable Hogs. - And all the rest & residue of my estate to be sold on twelve months credit & the money arising of such sale, to be equally divided between all my children except my son W^m Hendron as aforesaid - And I do by these presents constitute, ordain & appoint my beloved son Oliver

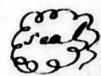
Hendron & my trusty friend Basil Gaither my whole & sole executor of this my last will & test: - Revoking & making void all other wills heretofore by me made - but ratifying & confirming this & no other to be my last will & testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 23rd Day of Septbr: A.D. 1788.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged & pronounced in presence of

Stephen ^{his} Roland

William Whiteaker.

James Roland jun.

John Hendron 

In the name of God Amen! I Margaret Hendrick widow & Relict of Peter Hendrick dec^d being sick & weak in body but of perfect mind & memory calling to mind the frailty of nature Do make & ordain this my last will & test: in manner & form following.

Item I give & bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Hendrick my bed & furniture & all my wearing apparel, one heifer, & one cow & her wheel where she is accustomed to spin on - & the rest of my estate after paying my son George Hendrick a sum of money which he has paid for me I desire should be equally divided between my three youngest children to wit: Francis, Elizabeth & Adam Hendrick. -

I also constitute make & ordain & appoint Jacob Hendrick executor of this my last will & test: to see that my last will executed in an ample manner & further to see, to give

the above named children so much shooting, as may be requisite in witness whereof I have, set hereunto my hand & seal this 14th Day of July 1800.

Signed & sealed in the presence of

Chas. Strange jun.
Jacob Miller
Peter Sheardrick

Margaret ^{her} Sheardrick ^{Seal}
mark.

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In the name of God Amen! N. Carolina Rowan County a woman being very sick & weak in body, but sound in memory, knowing that I was destined to die, do recommend my soul to God, who gave it, & my body to be buried in a christian like manner, at the discretion of my executor & concerning my worldly estate, wherewith it had pleased God to bless me, I dispose of in the following manner, to wit: The first of all I give & bequeath unto my beloved mother Elizabeth Gaither, one half dozen earthen plates, ditto of cups & saucers & punch bowls, one white pitcher one half dozen knives & forks, for chairs one tin coffee pot & all the rest of my estate to be sold at the direction of my executor. Item after all my just debts are paid, I give to my beloved daughter Elizabeth Howard my small chest with all my cloaths together, with a good cloak & saddle & the money arising from the rest of my estate to be equally divided between my beloved daughters Elizabeth Howard & Lillian Howard. I Margaret Howard do constitute & appoint my cousin Mr. W. Gaither, my

executor to this my last will & test; & likewise guardian to my children. I do acknowledge this to be my last will & test: revoking all other by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 2^d Day of October AD: 1804.

In presence of
Beal Lamy
John Gaither.

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Margaret ^{her} Howard ^{Seal}
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In the name of God Amen! The 30th Day of August 1789. I Daniel Hunt of the County of Rowan & State of N. Carolina Doctor, being very sick & weak in body, though of perfect mind & memory thanks be given to God, therefore 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 principally & first of all, I give & recommend my soul in the hand of almighty God, that gave it & 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 wherewith it had pleased God to bless me in this life, I do give demise & dispose of in the following manner & form. Improvis I do give & bequeath to my beloved wife Susan Hunt, my dwelling house & the one third of the benefit in the shared land, likewise all my household goods, except such as shall be hereafter mentioned to be at her disposal as long as she remains a widow, likewise I do give her