

86. I give & bequeath unto my daughter Pessilla one Bed & Furniture and one chest of drawers. And my will is that each of my three daughters last above mentioned should have one cow & calf paid to them by my son Edward (with whom I wish them to live as long as it may be agreeable to all parties) either when they marry, or when they choose to leave this. I give & bequeath unto my son Edward all the remainder of my estate, not already mentioned, after my funeral expence, all my just debts & the legacies above particularised, are paid & settled out of it.

Lastly, I hereby nominate & appoint my two sons John & Charles joint executors of this my last will & testament & in testimony of the authenticity of the whole & every part of the same, do hereunto set my hand & affix my seal this Day & year above written.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged to be the last will & test. of John Moore before
 & in the presence of us.

Peter Dunn jun
 Margaret Barth.
 Seth ^{his} & Hutson
 mark.

In the name of God Amen! I Moses Miller of N. Carolina Rowan County being through the abundant mercy & good refts of God, though weak in body, yet sound of mind & memory do constitute this my last will & testament, & desire it may be received by all as such: I most humbly bequeath my soul to God, my maker, beseeching his most gracious

acceptance of it through the all sufficient merits & mediation of my most compassionate redeemer Jesus Christ, who gave himself to be an atonement for my sins, and is able to save, to the uttermost, all that come to God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them, & who, I trust, will not reject me, a returning penitent sinner, when I come to him for mercy; In this hope, & confidence I render up my soul with comfort, humbly beseeching the most blessed & glorious Trinity, one God most holy, most merciful & gracious to prepare me for the time of my dissolution, And then to take me to himself into that peace & rest, & incomparable felicity, which he has prepared for all that love & fear his holy name Amen. Blessed be God. I give & bequeath my body to the earth, from whence it was taken, in full assurance of its resurrection from thence at the last day: As for my burial I desire it may be decent, without pomp or state, at the discretion of my dear wife, who I doubt not, will manage it with all requisite providence. As to my worldly estate I will & positively order, that all my just debts be paid. Item I give to my dear & loving wife all my household furniture as long as she shall remain my widow, and after her death or marriage to be equally divided between my three daughters Elizabeth Abigail & Fanna to them & their heirs forever. And after my decease the remainder part of my estate to be sold at public sale & the money with all other rights to me belonging to be put to usury & equally divided between my three daughters, as they arrive to the age of eighteen years, and the interest of the moneys to go for the maintenance &

88.
& shooting of my three daughters at the discretion of my next,
hereafter mentioned. An I do hereby constitute & ordain my
good friends William Miller, & Richard Fenn executor of
this my last will & test: Trustees for my wife & children
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this
21th day of May & second year of independence. 1778.

Witness John ^{Chapman} ~~Donnan~~

Ezekiel Baird
Will^r Miller

X Moses Miller 

In the name of God Amen! I James Macay of the County
of Rowan & State of N. Carolina being weak in body yet
of sound mind & memory thanks be to God for it & calling
to mind that it is appointed for all men to die & considering
the mortality of my body, do make constitute & ordain this to
be my last will & testament that is to say principally & first
of all I give & recommend my soul into the hands of that God
who gave it & for my body I recommend it to be buried in a Chris-
tian like manner at the discretion of my executors hereafter to
be named, nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I
shall receive it again by the power of almighty God & as
touching such worldly property as it has pleased God to
bless me with in this life I give with & dispose of it, in the
following manner that is to say.

I give & bequeath to my beloved wife Esther Macay my
bed & furniture together with her right of dower in my lands
as reserved in a Deed of conveyance which I made to my son
Wilson Macay, as will appear of record.

89.
1/ I give & bequeath to my son Lorance Macay five shillings
sterling if legally demanded & my Clock, he paying to my son
James forty dollars twelve months after my decease

3/ I give & bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth wife of Radford
Ellis one negroe wench named Jane one feather bed & furniture
two cows & one womens saddle now in the possession of her
husband Radford Ellis.

4/ I give & bequeath to my son John one Negroe slave named
Peter & a mare & saddle which he has sold. —

5/ I give & bequeath to my daughter Sarah wife of Robert
McKie one Negroe named Sylvia one feather bed & furniture
one cow & calf & five pounds of money

6/ I give & bequeath to my daughter Anne wife of Henry Lottan
one Negroe girl named Amy & one feather bed & furniture &
one sorrel horse now in the possession of her husband & five
pounds in money.

7/ I give & bequeath to my son Wilson two Negroes, one
named Henry & the other Lucy & one feather bed & furniture
all which are in his possession he performing the covenant
for which I have his obligations respecting his brother David
& sister Hannah & James his brother.

8/ I give & bequeath to son James one negroe girl named
Biddy & one bed & furniture after my decease & all the
residue of my moveable property after my just debts &
legacies before mentioned, are paid, except one negroe man
named Tom which I give & bequeath to my son Wilson.

9/ I give & bequeath to my son Daniel one negroe girl
named Patty which said girl is to remain in the possession
of my daughter Anne from the time of my decease till my
son Daniel is of age.