In the Name of God Amen This of March one thousand one hundred and and sixty I Moses Woods of Rowan County Farmer being very Sick & weak in Body but of perfect Mind & Memory Thanks be to God for the Same & calling to Mind the Mortality of my Body & knowing that it is appointed for all Men to die Do make and ordain this my last Will & Testament that is to say principally and first of all I give & recommend my Soul to God who gave it and for my Body I recommend it to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like decent 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 such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life I give devise & dispose of in the Manner & Form following that is to say in the first place I give & bequeath to Martha my dear beloved Wife a two year old pacing Mare bay coulered with Star also her Wheel & her Chest & one Bedding of Clothes and Body Clothes & Head Clothes And unto William my eldest Son I give my riding Saddle and the Gunn which he now makes use of and the Rest of my Effects is to be divided in four equal Parts amongst my dear Wife and my dear Children and I do hereby disallow revoke & disanul all and every other former Testament Wills and Legacys & Executors by me in any Ways before this Time named and now in this my last Will and Testament do nominate & appoint Martha my well beloved Wife & William my eldest & well beloved Son my Executor & Executrix and confirming this and none other to be my last Will & Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand & Seal the Day & year above and Sealed & Published & declared as his last Will & Testament in presence of

Moses Woods (Seal)

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Jacob Clark & his Mark

In the Name of God Amen, this eighth Day of September one thousand seven hundred and sixty three I Robert Woods of Rowan County Carpenter being very sick and weak in Body but of perfect Mind & Memory Thanks be to God for the same and 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 and Testament that is to say, principally & first of all I give & recommend my soul to God who gave it & my Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in a decent christian Manner at the Discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but by the almighty Power of God, at the general Resurrection to receive the same again and as touching such worldly Estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with, in this Life I give devise & dispose of in the Manner & Form following that is to say, In the first place, I give & bequeath to my Uncle Samuel Woods, all my young cattel & a Bull excepted of one two years old Heifer, and all my Stock, except my blue Vest, and mislen Hat, I give my Uncle my riding Saddel & Whip & two of my best Bibles & Testaments, I discharge him of all my Book Accounts, & one Dollar for his Trouble in Deeding my Land and a small Sarmon Book. I also give & bequeath to my Aut Sarah Woods my best Cow & my oldest Sept. Mare, I also give & bequeath to my Cosin James M'Culloch, my next best Cow, I also give & bequeath to my Cosin Woods, my next best of my Cows & my Trunk, I also give & bequeath to my Cosin Ruth Woods, one two year old Heifer, I also give & bequeath to my Cosin Margret Woods, my young black Mare, I also give & bequeath to Joseph Wapon, my blue Vest & mislen Hat, & one Bistole, I also give my Uncle Archibald Wapon, all the Ballance of my Book Accounts I also give to my Cosin Sarah Woods, my Bible & one pistole, I also give my Cosin Mary Woods one Pistole, I also give & bequeath to my Cosin James M'Culloch the Ballance of my Book Accounts, and I give to my Cosin James M'Culloch my Shotel & Razor. I also give and bequeath to Esther Brown my Land, on Grants Creek and my Land at the Lauriel Shadows which I allow to be sold out of my Estate, I also give & bequeath to Griffith Rutherford my Manor & my