

In The Name of God Amen, I Patrick Duffey of
 The County of Down and State of North Carolina -
 Former being in perfect health of body and of perfect
 mind and memory thanks be given to God calling to
 mind the mortality of my body and knowing that
 it is appointed for all men once to die to make and
 ordain this my last will and Testament: that is
 to say principally and first of all, I give and
 bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God
 that gave it, and my body I recommend to the
 earth to be buried in decent Christianian burial
 at the discretion of my Executors, nothing doubting
 but at the General Resurrection I shall receive ~~them~~
 again by the mighty power of God, and as touching
 such worldly estate where with it has pleased God
 to bless me in this life, I give demise, and dispose
 of the same in the following manner and form.
 First I give and bequeath to my dear beloved
 Wife all my household furniture, also a bond of
 twenty hundred and money due me by William
 Matthews Miller also two cows and calves and more.
 During her life, also one negro which was deval to
 be at her own Disposal at Death.
 Also I give and bequeath to my only son William whom
 I likewise constitute, make and ordain the sole exe-
 cutor of this my last will and Testament, all and
 singular my lands, tenements, and Tenements by
 him freely to be possessed and enjoyed. Also all the
 Remainder of my cattle and horses, also one negro
 called named Bob, and so hereby utterly Disavow
 Revoked, and do annul all and every former

Testaments, will legacies bequests and Executors by
 me in any wise before now written and bequeathed testif-
 ing and confirming this and no other to be my
 Last will and Testament in witness whereof I have
 hereunto set my hand and seal this second day of
 November in the year of our Lord one thousand
 seven hundred and eighty one.

Signed, sealed, published, pronounced
 and Delivered by the said Patrick
 Duffey as his last will and
 Testament in the presence
 of us who in his presence
 and in the presence of each
 other have hereunto subscribed
 our names -

Benjamin Boyd
 William Duffey
 Prudence)

Patrick Duffey
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