

In the Name of God. Amen

This 15th day of August 1782 I Samuel Hillhouse
of the County & town ship Rowan former being very sick
of weak in body but of perfect mind & memory thanks
be to God almighty to mind the mortality of my Body &
knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do
make this my last will & Testament that is to say pre-
cipitally & first of all I give and recommend my soul
into the hands of God that gave it and my Body recom-
mend 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 our
wordly Estate as where with it hath pleased god to bless me
with in this life I give devise & dispose of the same in
the following manner & form First I give & bequeath
to my dearly beloved wife three cows & her mare
& saddle & all the necessary furniture the bed her bed &
bed clothes and spinning wheel and her maintenance of the
land her life time. Secondly I leave & Bequeath to my
loving Son Sampson the third of the land the plow & plow
Iron's malle & wedges and one Cow Thirdly I leave &
Bequeath unto my loving Son Robert the third of the
land he now has or forsoothly I leave & bequeath unto
my loving son Samuel the third of the land I now
leave on with houses & improvements and three cows
This man & Catt. fourthly I leave & Bequeath to
my loving Daughter Ann one white mare sixthly
I leave & Bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth her
mare & saddle & three cows & her bed & furniture

Seventhly I leave & Bequeath unto my daughter
Martha five shillings hard money. Eighthly I leave
my loving wife Hillhouse and Jas^r Martin to be my
whole Executrix of this my last will & Testament to their
fullty to be disposed of the Legacies & Do utterly disallow
revoke & disannull all my other former testaments
wills legacies bequests & Executors by me in any wise
before named willed and bequeathed ratifying & Confirming
this & one other to be my last will & Testament in writing
whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 15th day
of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven
hundred & Eighty two signed sealed & published as above
declared by me Samuel Hillhouse my last will
& Testament in the presence of us in his presence

In the presence

of each other have
here subscribed
our names

Jonathan Williamson X
William Williamson
Margaret Williamson Jr.
mark

Samuel Hillhouse
mark

In the Name of God. Amen I Peter Warlow
of Rowan County in North Carolina being sick
but of perfect mind & memory thanks
be given unto god almighty who made my
body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die
do make and ordain this my last will & testament
that is to say Principally & first of all I recommend
my soul

my soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it and
my body to the earth to be buried in a Christian manner
into the worldly estate I will & positively order all my debts
to be paid first I give & bequeath to my dearly beloved
wife Elisabeth Catherine all the goods & chattels and personal
estate whatsoever I do give & demise to my wife all
my lands & tenements and all the other appertinences
thereunto belonging as long as she lives and bears my name
but if she should marry again she is to have the third
of the estate but when she dies the whole of the estate
is to be divided among my dear children
Secondly & lastly I do make & constitute my
wife Executrix of this my last will & testament
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
Seal this 25th day of July in the year of our Lord
1710 signed sealed published
Honoured & declared by this

Peter Marlow

Peter Marlow as his last will &
testament in the presence of us who
in this present and in the presence of each
other have subscribed our names

E. J. O.

In the name of God Amen the 8th day of April
in the year of our Lord God 1710 I Samuel Stevens

North Carolina in the County of Roan gentleman being very sick &
weak in body but of perfect mind & memory thanks be given unto
God for calling unto mind the mortality of my body & knowing that
is appointed for men going to die do make & ordain this my last
will & testament (that is to say) principally & first of all I give &
recommend my soul into the hand of God that giveth it and for my
body recommend it to the earth to be buried in a Christian like decent
manner at the direction of my executors not doubting at the
General Resurrection I shall receive the same again eternally
by the mighty power of God and as touching such worldly
estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this life I give Davis my wife
in this life I give Davis my wife in the following manner & soon First I give to my Brother John my
Land which contains 400 acres & likewise my late deceased
sister Sarah's Daughter Anna left by will 5000 continental
money & I leave the rest to be stek by will to be equally divided
between my two brothers eldest sons & Thomas Pennington
Daughter left by will to Thomas Pennington my first
gun & silver nebbecula & counts Andrew Bellwir Dagen
of the trust to John Stevens & left by will my late deceased
sister Anna freely to be possessed & enjoyed & do also
by disallow H. Lawrence & disannul all and every
other former will & testament with all legacies bequeathed
and Executors by me in any ways before this con-