

99. In the name of God Amen. I George Willard of Stokes County and State of North Carolina This tenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Eighteen being weak in body but of sound mind and memory do make and ordain this to be my last will and testament.

1st I will that all my just debts and funeral charges be paid out of my out standing debts and move able Estate 2nd I will that my beloved wife Susanna possess and enjoy my home and plantation lands and improvements wherein I now live during her natural life or widowhood I will and bequeath unto my beloved wife during her life one horse valued at twenty Dollars and two cows and a good feather bed and furniture and two silver dishes six pewter plates and pots one oven six cups and saucers six knives and forks 3rd I give and bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth although she has had a good portion one dollar 4th I give and bequeath unto my daughter Catharine one dollar 5th I give and bequeath unto my son George Willard one dollar 6th I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary one dollar 7th I give and bequeath unto my son John Willard one dollar 8th I give and bequeath unto my daughter ^{Ann} ~~Elizabeth~~ one dollar 9th I give and bequeath unto my daughter ~~Elizabeth~~ ^{Barbara} one dollar 10th I give and bequeath unto my daughter ~~Elizabeth~~ ^{Barbara} one dollar 11th I give and bequeath unto my daughter Jude one dollar 12th I give and bequeath unto my daughter Hannah one dollar 13th I give and bequeath unto my daughter Susanna one feather bed and furniture one cow and calf one pot one oven one spinning wheel 14th I give and bequeath unto them all my lands and improvements to be equally divided amongst them To them and their for and assigns forever and whatsoever is more of my moveable Estate they shall be divided equally among each of my children and lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint my beloved wife Susanna and my son David Willard Executors of this my last will and testament Feary the same into effect and I do hereby utterly revoke disannul and make void all former wills and testaments by me at any time made heretofore make ratifying confirming and establishing this to and no other to be my last will and testament In Witness whereof I the said George Willard have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the year and date above written

Signed sealed published and declared by the said George Willard the testator to be his last will and Testament in the presence of us the subscribing witnesses who were present at the time of signing and taking thereof
Jacob Willard
John Fraser Jurat

George Willard
man

Stokes County December Term 1822 93

The execution of the Last will and Testament of George Willard deceased of which the foregoing is a true copy was duly proven in open court by the oath of John Fraser & ordered to be Recorded

W. H. Moore C. C. &
J. B. D. Colville C. C. &

In the name of God Amen
I the undersigned of Stokes County North Carolina being of sound mind and perfect memory and understanding do hereby make and ordain this to be my last will and Testament hereby making all other heretofore by me made verbally or written
1 I will that Executor hereafter named shall pay all my just debts
Funeral Expenses be out of the Estate I shall have in my hands at my death
2 I will that all the children which my late wife took to me by marriage to wit Peter Francis Benjamin Francis Catharine Susan now wife of John H. Lunsman & my daughter Mary Lunsman shall and every one of them have their & there share of all the Estate by me owned & whereas I did after the death of my beloved wife out of my own free will & desire make sale of my household & the greater part of my furniture & provisions on hand & did after the collection of the money due me as well from said sale as otherwise make an equal division between the above named children Maria Lunsman Benjamin Francis Catharine Susan Elizabeth & John H. Lunsman & Peter Francis and have received from them their several notes on witness now therefore now therefore that I may be honestly satisfied I will that all these notes shall be delivered up to the heretofore mentioned children and thence there remain any interest due on the notes it shall be noted be settled of them and if the said children should appear that all the children had not paid equal interest to me then and in that case my Executor shall demand the interest of them in writing to make it equal so that each child shall have paid interest alike at my decease
3 I do by this will declare that the above that the above named division in my life time & the sale by me made were done out of my own free will without any constraint whatever
I do appoint and ordain my worthy family Joseph Brown and John H. Lunsman both of Stokes County my Executors of the

My last will and Testament to have full power to be and my
property Equal by making either privately publicly or by
valuation of property

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed my seal this 21st day of February
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and a nineteen
Signed sealed and
declared by the testator to be
his hand and seal.

Henry Candman

Thomas Wolford

Samuel Wolford, Esq.

Stokes County March Term 1833

The last will and Testament of Henry
Candman of which the foregoing is a true copy was duly
proven in open Court by Samuel Wolford an a order to
be Recorded

M. O. Moore
By Wm. L. G.

To all whom these people to whom these may come
know ye that I Joseph Mendenhall of the County of Stokes
and State of North Carolina having to mind the mortality
of my body knowing that it is appointed for all men once
to die and being desirous to settle some worldly property
which I deem to dispose of in the following manner

First of all I desire that all my debts duly together with my
funeral expence be discharged by my Executor

Then I have unto my beloved wife Elizabeth her riding mare
saddle & bridle two cows two beds and furniture on hand
of drawing table and one half of the kitchen and a cupboard
furniture and her support out of the produce of the plantation
as long as she shall remain my widow

Then also it is my will and desire that my four daughters namely
Phebe Willing Sarah Nancy Phebe Wilson Elizabeth Wilson
and Mary Thelby shall have each her share one fifth each
each and every one of them to be paid to them by my
Executor

Also I have to my three Grandchildren namely Deborah
Joseph and Mahel Mendenhall children of my daughter Susan
the sum of fifty dollars each

And further it is my will that my plantation be sold with my
movable property and the money paid as before directed and
the residue of my Estate go to my son Esau whom I wish
to take due care of his mother and provide every thing
necessary for her comfortable support

And lastly I do hereby to give my estate and appoint my
beloved wife Elizabeth & my truly son Esau whom I wish
to be my Executor hereby ratifying and confirming this and
no other to be my last will and Testament in manner and form
aforesaid In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this
24th day of the 7th Month 1832

Signed sealed and acknowledged to
be my last will and Testament
in the presence of

Nathan Pike Esq.
John Patterson

Joseph Mendenhall

Stokes County March Term 1833

The last will and Testament
of Joseph Mendenhall of which the foregoing is a
true copy was duly proven in open Court by Nathan
Pike and order to be Recorded

M. O. Moore
By Wm. L. G.