

160 Know all men by these presents that I Paul Starbuck of Stokes County
& State of North Carolina being of sound & disposing mind & memory to make
and ordain the my last will and testament in manner & form following
That I will that my just debts & funeral charges be paid within convenient
time after my decease by my executors hereinafter named

2^d I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Hephzibah Starbuck all the property
that she possessed before I married her and brought into my family when she
became my wife also one more gray cow & six silver spoons & my walnut table
to her & her heirs for ever - and further I bequeath to my wife above named
the use and profits of the farm or plantation on which I now reside which
I bought of Isaac Smith also my farming tools & household furniture and
such other moveable property as may not herein after be disposed of during
her widowhood but in case she should marry again then to revert back to my
estate to be disposed of as therein after directed

3^d I give and bequeath unto my grand daughter Delfina Smith one feather bed
& furniture & ten dollars in money when she arrives at the age of eighteen years
but if she should die before that period my will is for the above bequest
to be divided equally between her four sisters herein after named

4th I give and bequeath to my four grand daughters Mary, Susanna, Corinne
Mary & Elizabeth Smith children of my daughter Hephzibah Smith the sum of ten dollars
each when they shall attain severally the age of eighteen years to be paid out
of my out standing debts & if one or more of them should not live to the age
of eighteen years then for the amount of this bequest to be equally divided between the
survivors

5th I give & bequeath unto my grand daughter Martha Starbuck - James &
Salathiel Starbuck my grand sons & children of Hephzibah Starbuck my son
deceased the sum of ten dollars each when they are of age

6th I will that my executors sell my roans, mares & such other cattle & other articles
as may be shared without interfering upon the above proportions or dispositions
of this will -

7th I give & bequeath unto my daughter Corinne Smith the book debt I have
against her husband Adam Smith but if Corinne should die before she receives
her legacy that her portion be divided equally among her children

8th It is my will that at the expiration of the widowhood of my wife by marry-
ing again or by death that the residue of my estate be sold & equally divided
among my children namely Corinne Smith both Starbuck John Starbuck
Paul Starbuck & Tristram Starbuck and I do hereby revoke all and
every other will and testament by me in any way heretofore made ratifying
& confirming this as my last will and testament -

And Lastly I do hereby constitute, ordain, & appoint my friend Mr. Barnard
my executor together with my wife Hephzibah Starbuck Executrix of this my
last will & Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
& affixed my seal this third day of the third month in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six

The above will was legal held pronounced
declared & said Paul Starbuck to be his last
will & testament in presence of us
Aaron Coffin
John Coffin
Paul Starbuck

Paul Starbuck

161 Know all men by these presents that I Paul Starbuck of Stokes County
an Executor of the foregoing will do make this codicil to my last will &
Testament to be annexed thereto & considered supplementary to said will
and to be observed to all intents and purposes by my executors as part
of my last will and testament.

First as also Barnard one of the executors to my last will and
Testament has removed with his family without the limits of this
State and that it will not be convenient for him to settle
my business therefore I appoint as additional executor to
this my last will & Testament my friend Messrs Coffin of the
County together with my nephew both Starbuck of Guilford
County to execute this will according to the true intent & meaning
thereof together with my wife Hephzibah Starbuck already named
in my will

2^d to explain my meaning respecting the legacies bequeathed
to my grand children (viz) the children of my daughter Hephzibah
Smith & the children of my son Hephzibah Starbuck which is
directed to be paid to each of them in my will at a certain
age to obviate any difficulty that may arise by the executors
having to pay over to the above mentioned grand children
at a certain time the distributive share I hereby declare it to be
my will that the time of payment to those legacies be left to
my executors already named to pay when convenient according
to their discretion at any time before or at the expiration
of the widowhood of my wife 3^d I further give and
grant unto my daughter Corinne Smith the privilege of living &
residing with her family on the plantation or farms on which
I now reside with liberty to cut timber for family use & to
clear land necessary for the support of herself & family during
the widowhood of my wife Hephzibah Starbuck in witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal this 22^d
day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
& twenty six

Signed sealed & declared by the said Paul Starbuck Paul Starbuck
to be part of his last will & Testament in presence of
Aaron Coffin Exec

Stokes County June 1833 The last will & Testament of Paul Starbuck
of which the foregoing is a true copy with the codicil thereto was offered for probate &
was duly proven by George F. Coffin & Aaron Coffin & ordered to be recorded

N. R. Moore
By C. L. Moore D.C.