

Brother Walter Rand executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and disannuling all other Wills or Testaments by me heretofore made this twenty third day of August A D. 1781.

Signed Sealed publishd pronounced )  
and declared to be the last Will )  
and Testament of the Sd J. Rand ) J. Rand (SEAL)  
in the presence of us - - - - )

P. Ballard  
William Walton (Jurat)  
John Atkins (Jurat)

— John James & William Rand added as Ex'ors  
to this Will  
P. Ballard

Wake County

December Term 1781

Then was the Execution of the within Will duly proved in Open Court by the Oaths of William Walton and John Atkins Witnesses there to and ordered to be Recorded -

J. Rice Clk. C<sup>o</sup>

Recorded in the Clerks Office in the County in Book A and page (158) this 15<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 1783 -

J. Rice Clk. C<sup>o</sup>

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Last Will and Testament of William Babb decd

In the Name of God Amen I William Babb of the County aforesaid being weak of Body but of perfect sence and memory thanks be to God - do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament that is to say first and principally of all I recommend my Soul to the hands of God that gave it me and my body to Christian Burial at the discretion of my Executors Nothing doubting but at the last to receive it again by the mighty power of God And as Touching my worldly Goods wherewith it hath pleased God to bestow on me in this world I give and dispose of the same as followeth Viz -

Item I leave all the Tract of Land and Tenements that I bought of Thomas ~~Wilkins~~ Wilkins which lies in North Carolina in Wake County on the White Oak to my well beloved Wife Tabitha Babb to have to her use and Benefit during her life and after her decease I give and bequeath the aforesaid Tract of Land and Tenements to her Youngest Son Jethro to him and his Heirs and assigns forever

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but if the Said son Jethro should die without Issue that that it shall fall to her next youngest son which is Benjamin to him and his Heirs forever, and as for my Goods and Chattles or what else I have have I leave to my well beloved Wife Tabitha as aforesaid her lifetime to Raise the Children on and any Remain after her death I give it to be equally Divided between those named as followeth Zachariah, Bershaba, Martha, William Susana, Benjamin, and Jethro to them and their Heirs forever, and I do Constitute and ordain my well beloved Wife Tabitha Babb my whole and Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and disannulling all other Wills and Testaments heretofore made by me and acknowledge this only to be my last Will and Testament dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July 1780 -

Signed Sealed and pronounced)  
published and delivered in ) Wm. Babb (SEAL)  
the presence of )

William Hunt ) Micajah M<sup>c</sup>Gee (Jurat)  
                  ) his  
George Hunt ) Drewry X Joiner (Jurat)

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Wake County

Sept<sup>r</sup> Term 1783 -

Then was the Execution of the within Will duly proved in open Court by the oaths of Micajah M<sup>c</sup>Gee and Drury Joiner Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be Recorded -

J. Rice Clk. C<sup>9</sup>

Recorded in the Clerks Office of Wake County in Book A and page (160) this 15<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 1783.

J. Rice Clk. C<sup>9</sup>

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Last Will and Testament of Simon Turner Dec<sup>d</sup>

In the Name of God Amen I Simon Turner of the County of Wake and State of North Carolina being of Sound Mind and perfect Memory do make Constitute and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following Viz. Imprimis I give and bequeath unto my Son John Turner a part of a tract of Land bought of James Jones, it being all of the said Tract of Land lying and being on the N<sup>o</sup> Side of Swift Creek- Also a part of the Tract whereon I live, Beginning on Beasleys Line in the racoon Branch running up the