

WILL OF

ROBERT LEE

State of North Carolina. In the name of God Amen, I Robert Lee of the State aforesaid being very weak but of perfect mind and Memory thanks be given unto God for it & knowing it is appointed for all men once to Dye & as touching such worldly Estate as has been pleased God to give me in this life I give devise & dispose of the same in the following manner & form following Vid.--- First I give to my Well beloved Son Godfrey Lee one Negro Woman named Hannah and her two youngest Children one Girl named Jean and one Boy named Page & all my Lands. I also give to my Grand daughter Sarah Lee daughter to my Son Lewis¹⁰⁰ one Negro Girl named Jemimah, and my Grandson Benjamin Odum Lee one Negro lad named Buck, with th^r equal Share of all my moveable Effects & their Negroes to be left with my Executors untill they come of Age, the Executors for the work of said To give th^r Owners Education, Viz. The Boy to be perfectly learn'd to be Rule of three, The Girl to read & write perfectly; I also give my daughter Sarah Peoples one Negro Man named Saser & one negro Girl named Violet, with her equal share of all my moveable Estate Effects I also lend to my daughter Winifred Blackman her life time One negro Girl named Hagar & after her death to belong to my Granddaughter Zelpha Blackman & the Increase of the said Hagar to be divided amongst the Heirs of Body of Said Winifred Blackman untill they allged on with an equal part of all my moveable asseck. I also give to my well beloved Wife Elizabeth one Grey Gilden & one feather Bed & furniture, I constitute & appoint Henry Peoples Godfrey Lee & George Robison to be my Sole Executrix of this my last Will & Testament confeying this and no other to be my last Will & Testament. In withefs whereof Have hereunto set my Hand & Seal this 28th of October 1789 Signd,
Seald published pronounced & deliverd by the said Robert Lee as his last Will & Testament in the presents of us who in his presents & the presents of each other have hereunto

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subscribed our Names

N. B. the above is hereby confirmed by me Robert Lee to be
complyd with after my Death and not intil then which s.
under subscribers doth Witnefs

John Ballinger

Robert Lee (SEAL)

Jesse Purvis

Thereby^{Asw} ~~Collins~~
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