

Will, NC, Halifax, Jemima Williamson 1807

This the last will and testament of me, **JEMIMA [DAFFIN] WILLIAMSON** of Halifax County and state of North Carolina, bearing date fifth Day of August 1807 thanks be to almighty God I being of sound mind and memory to make an ordained this to be my last will and testament in Manner and form follows viz.

AFTER my decease I desire that all might just that may be paid and after they are paid.

ITEM I give unto my daughter **NANCY YOUNG** one bed and furniture, the one I generally lie on, one safe, one earthen dish and four plates, and all my xxx ware, two pewter basins & eight spoons to her and her heirs.

ITEM I give unto my son **NICHOLAS BRYANT** one bed and furniture, one large xxx xxx, one pewter xxx and four plates to him and his heirs.

ITEM I give unto my grand-daughter **MARIANNE BRYANT** my side saddle to her and her heirs.

ITEM I give unto my son **HENRY WILLIAMSON** one Sorrel Philly called by the name of Fleet to him and his heirs.

ITEM the balance of my estate, after my debts are paid, that is not given away, I give unto my son **JAMES WILLIAMSON** to him and his heirs.

ITEM I give unto my son **HENRY WILLIAMSON** 5 barrels of corn out of my rent, and ...

LASTLY I appoint my friend **THOMAS SHIELDS** and my friend **MARCUS BISHOP** executives of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have here on to set my hand and a fixed my seal the day and year first above written and in the presence of the under written Witnesses and in presence of each other.

JEMIMA WILLIAMSON {seal}

Signed sealed and delivered in presence of

THOMAS BARROW
HENRY MORAN

[wife of **ARTHUR NEEDHAM BRYAN**]
[wife of **JOHN WILLIAMSON**]

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Halifax County

February 2nd 1808.

This will was exhibited in open court and duly proved by the oath of **THOMAS BARROW** a witness thereto, and on motion, ordered to be recorded.

Whereupon **THOMAS SHIELDS**, one of the executors in the said will named, came in and was duly qualified thereunto.

Witness

L. LONG, CC

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