

To all men to Whom these Presents may Come know Ye that  
I Isaac Stanley of the County of Guilford and State of North  
Carolina am weak of Body, But of sound mind and Suffe-  
ring Memory, Do make and ordaine this my Last will  
And Testament In the manner and form following Viz=  
First of all is that all my just Debts and Funeral  
Charges, Be first paid out of my Estate, in Due time  
Secondly my will is that My Beloved wife Elizabeth Stanley  
shall hold all my Landed Property During her Natural life  
or her Widowhood to have and hold the Same for Her Support  
And likewise my Desire is that if my two Daughters Should not  
Marry that <sup>they</sup> may abide with their mother for home whilst  
They remain Single  
Thirdly Where as I have Advanced to my two Sons and Daughters  
Namely Henry Stanley Anna Booth and Charles Stanley and further  
I give and Bequeath one Dollar more apiece to each of them  
out of my Estate  
Fourthly I give and Bequeath unto my two Daughters Namely  
Elizabeth Stanley & Esther Stanley one feather Bed and furniture  
To each of them likewise to each of them spinning wheel and  
Cards, and out of my stock one Cow apiece, them to have and  
To hold the above stes. out of my Estate.  
Fifthly I give and Bequeath unto my three Sons Namely Uriah Stanley  
John Stanley and Collette the Sum of Ten Dollars apiece to  
each of them out of my estate, John and Collette To Receive their  
Portion as they Come to the Age of twenty one years old  
Sixthly After the above stes are all settled out of my Estate all  
The Remainer part of my Personal Estate whatsoever it may Be  
The same I give and Bequeath unto my wife to have and to hold and  
Be at her Disposal  
Seventhly and Lastly my will is that after the above Incumbrance  
That I have fixed on my Landed property shall expire then  
As soon as may Be convenient the hole of it Be Sold to  
The Highest Bidder who will make payment and the  
Proceeds of the Sale to Be Equally Devided amongst all my  
Children part by part for their use forever

= Turn over to the finish

I the said Isaac Stanley Do hereby Constitute Nominate  
And Appoint My True and Trusty Friend John Stanley And  
My Son Charles Stanley the Executors of this my Last will  
And Testament utterly Revoking all other wills or testaments  
Heretofore made By me whatsoever In witness Whereof I have  
Here unto Set my hand and Seal this the first Day of the  
Seventh month In the year of our Lord 1841

Signed Seal and Pronounced } his  
In the Presence of } Isaac Stanley Seal  
mark

Isaac Stanley and I further add that my will is that  
Uriah Stanley and my two daughters namely Elizabeth and  
Abel Brightford long as they live as single women in  
my dwelling house

Test Thamar Hunt } Isaac Stanley Seal  
mark

North Carolina Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions  
Guilford County August Term, 1866

The execution of the foregoing will by  
Isaac Stanley, deceased, is proven in open court, by  
the affirmation & examination of Isaac Stanley &  
Uriah Stanley, two of the subscribing witnesses  
therein. — Ordered to be recorded & filed

Whereupon, Charles Stanley, one of the  
Executors named in said will is duly  
qualified as such

Syneton Swain Clerk