

Hatley, John

1803



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In the Name of God Amen I John Hatley of Chatham County and State of North Carolina
Being weak in body but in perfect mind and memory I thank be to God and calling to mind
The mortality of my body and that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain
this my last Will and Testament that is to say principally and first of all I give and
Recommend my Soul into the hands of the Almighty God that gave it me and my body I
Recommend to the Earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial at the discretion of my
Executors nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same by the
mighty power of God and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God
to bless me with in this life I give demise and dispose of the same in following manner and
form, First I lend to my wife three Negro Women of the Name of Hannah and Jillis and
Annacath and two Negro Boys of the Name of Daniel and Peter and one feather bed and furniture
and one Coward Calf and two Thousand five hundred of her natural life or widowhood and
after my wife Martha's disease for all that I lent to her and all the increase of it all to be
Equally divided amongst all of my Sons John and Sharod and Hardy and Job and Abner and
Uriah and William and Hasten I then give and bequeath to my Son Sharod Hatley that
parcel of Land whereon he now lives I then I also give and bequeath to my Son Job Hatley
that parcel of Land whereon he now lives I then I also give and bequeath to my Son Abner
Hatley that parcel of Land that I now live upon I then I also give and bequeath to my Son
Uriah Hatley one Negro man of the Name of Mat and one Negro girl of the Name of
Lucy I then I also give and bequeath to my Son William Hatley one Negro Woman of the Name
of Cook and one Negro girl of the Name of Clark and one Negro boy of the Name of Ned and one Negro
girl of the Name of Hannah I then I also give and bequeath to my daughter in law Nancy Hatley my Son
Marth disease's wife one feather bed I then I also give and bequeath to my Son Hasten Hatley one Negro
Woman of the Name of Rose and one Negro boy of the Name of Jesse and Eighty dollars and one man
Saddle I then I also give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy wife to Thomas Nor one Negro girl of
the Name of dice and one Negro boy of the Name of Harry and one woman's Saddle I then I also give and
bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth wife to Henry Beasley five Shillings I then I also give and bequeath to
my Son William one feather bed and furniture I then I also give and bequeath to my Son Hasten one feather bed
and furniture I then I also give and bequeath to my Son Abner one rifle gun and the rest of my estate to
be Equally divided among all of my Sons John and Sharod and Hardy and Job and Abner and Uriah and
William and Hasten and I appoint my Son Abner Hatley and my Son Uriah Hatley Executors to this
my last will and Testament Revoking all former Wills whatsoever as Witness where of I have
Hereunto set my hand and Seal this Second day of March one Thousand Eight Hundred and one

Witnesses

Thomas Meere +

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John ^{his} Ledbetter +

John ^{his} Hatley Seal
made

Chatham County

Given in open Court by the oath of
Thomas Moore & John Leffler subscribers
attorneys
Test. J. M. Hayburne Clerk

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John Hattley

Wife

Born May 20th

1885