

State of North Carolina  
Surry County August 18<sup>th</sup> 1824

In the name  
of God amen

I William Whitaker being of sound and perfect  
mind and memory blessed be God do make and  
publish this my last will and testament in manner  
following that is to say I William Whitaker first

of said and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary

Whitaker and Rebecker and Poley Whitaker and  
green Whitaker my grand son Twenty five

Acres of Land the part containing the  
House and orchard where I now live my wife  
is to holde it as long as she lives also my wife

Rebecker and Poley and green Whitaker is to have

one Bay mare named Snip five head of cattle  
Twenty one head of Hogs three head of sheepe

I doe also gave to my son Edmund Whitaker  
Twenty five Acres of Land the lower part of

my plantation where I know live on which is  
all the land that I hold I hereby make my

worthy friend Jonathan Whitaker Executor  
of this my last will and testamen in witness in

witnes I whose of I the sd William Whitaker  
have to this my last will and testamen set my Hand  
and seal the day and year above written

William Whitaker  
his mark Seal

Signed sealed in the presence of us

at test  
William Whitaker  
his mark

John his mark  
Milton his mark