

In the name of God Amen I Sally, Judge of the County of Beaufort
and State of North Carolina being at this time in a low State of Health
but of sound and disposing mind and memory calling to mind the
shortness and uncertainty of life and that it is appointed unto all
ones to die, I do make ordain and publish this my last Will
and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say,
I desire that my body may be decently interred in a
Christian like manner, hoping to receive the same again in the
last day by the almighty power of God, and my immortal spirit
be committed to God who gave it, in hope of Eternal life and happi-
ness through our Lord Jesus Christ. Item, I desire that all my
just debts and expences be paid, and then that my Estate wherewith
it has pleased God to bless me in this life I dispose of in the manner
and form following, that is to say. Item, I give and bequeath unto El-
Hoyt in special trust and confidence for the use and towards the
finishing of the new Episcopal Church in the Town of Washington
two Years labour of my man Andrew, in token of my attachment
for the Church of my ancestors. Item, I leave to Wetsey Lowrey
and her Sister Peggy Taylor as a token of my love and affection for
them, my negro woman Freey & her issue, if any she have during
the Natural life of the said Wetsey and Peggy and during the
Natural life of the surviving one. Item, Wishing to make a
friend, as well to see to the comforts of my last Hours, as to see that
decent attention be paid to my Remains, as also to accomplish
and fulfil my kind purposes and wishes towards my poor Slaves,
who have served me faithfully and to prevent their being ill treated
by persons who have no claims on them or on me, and they the said
Slaves and myself having made choice of Joseph B. Hinton of the
Town of Washington, I do hereby give and bequeath unto the said
Joseph B. Hinton and his Heirs the lot whercon I now reside, and wish
him to suffer the female Negroes and their Children of my Estate
not particularly and already mentioned, to reside thereon, so long
as their residence is admisable. And I also give and bequeath
unto the said Joseph B. Hinton and his Heirs all my Negroes and
their Increase, including Negro Andrew after the two Years shall
have ended, and also my Negro Woman Freey and her increase
after the death of the said Wetsey Lowrey and Peggy Taylor. And
my wish is that my Negro Man Hull shall pay to the said Joseph
B. Hinton the sum of two hundred Dollars to be incorporated with my
Estate, and when he shall also have paid to him the said Joseph
B. Hinton the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars in addition
to the first named sum for the risque and trouble he may be at
in the premises, it is my wish that he the said Joseph B. Hinton
his heirs or Executors shall take such steps in Law, as will free
and Emancipate the said Hull, and whenever the other Negroes

shall have each paid and compensated him in the like sums, that he the said Jos: B. Hinton or his Heirs or Executors will endeavor to procure for them so paying and compensating, their liberty and that he the said Joseph B. Hinton and his Heirs and Executors thenceforward will be the friend and protector of the said Negroes thus Emancipated - and with regard to my old Woman Hannah, it is my wish that she may be allowed to remain upon the lot, and that the said Joseph B. Hinton and his Heirs and Executors see that she be not only protected but that she never need any Comfort in health or in sickness, as long as she may live. I also give and bequeath unto my said friend Joseph B. Hinton and his Heirs all the residue of my Estate both real and personal and mixed of whatever kind it may be. And to the end that my intentions may be entirely fulfilled, I do hereby make constitute and appoint my said friend Jos: B. Hinton, sole Executor to this my last Will and Testament: hereby revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made and publishing and declaring this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 19th day of August 1824.

Sally Anderson 

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the Testatrix to be her last Will & Testament in presence of
 James Arent.
 Edw^d. Quin

Feb., 1826

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In the name of God Amen I Sally Anderson of the County of Beaufort and State of North Carolina being at this time in a low state of health but of sound and disposing mind and memory calling to mind the shortness and uncertainty of life and that it is appointed unto all once to die, I do make ordain and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say: Impremis. I desire that my body may be decently interred in a christian like manner hoping to receive the same again in the last day by the Mighty power of God and my immortal Spirit I commend to God who gave it in

hope of Eternal life and happiness through our Lord Jesus Christ. Item. I devise that all my just debts and expenses be paid and then that my Estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this life I disperse of in the manner and form following, that is to say. Item. I give and bequeath unto Eli Hoyt in special trust and confidence for the use and towards the finishing of the new Episcopal Church in the Town of Washington two years labour of my man Andrew, in token of my attachment for the Church of my ancestors. Item. I leave to Betsy Lowrey and her sister Peggy Taylor as a token of my love and affection for them, my negro woman Treacy and her issue, if any she have during the Natural life of the said Betsey and Peggy and during the Natural life of the surviving one. Item. Wishing to make a friend, as well to see to the Comforts of my last Houss, as to see that decent attention be paid to my Remains, as also to accomplish and fulfil my kind purposes and wishes towards my poor slaves who have served me faithfully and to prevent their being ill treated by persons who have no claim on them or on me, and they the said slaves and myself having made choice of Joseph B. Hinton of the Town of Washington, I do hereby give and bequeath unto the said Joseph B. Hinton and his Heirs the Lot whereon I now reside, and wish him to suffer the famale Negroes and their Children of my Estate not particularly and already mentioned, to reside thereon, so long as their residence is admissable. And I also give and bequeath unto the said Joseph B. Hinton and his Heirs all my Negroes and their Increase including Negro Andrew after the two years shall have ended and also my negro woman Treacy and her increase after the death of the said Betsey Lowrey and Peggy Taylor. And my wish is that my Negro Man Hull shall pay to the said Joseph B. Hinton the sum of two hundred Dollars to be incorporated with my Estate, and whn he shall also have paid to him the said Joseph B. Hinton the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars in addition to the first named sum for the risque and trouble he may be at in the premises, it is my wish that he the said Joseph B. Hinton his heirs or Executors shall take such steps in law as will free and Emancipate the said Hull and whenever the ether Negroes shall have each paid and compensated him in the like sums, that he the said Jos. B. Hinton or his Heirs or Executors will endeavor to procure for them so paying and compensating their liberty and that the said Joseph B. Hinton and his Heirs and Executors thenceforward will be the friend and protector of the said Negroes thus Emancipated - and with regard to my old woman Hannah, it is my wish that she may be allowed to remain upon the Lot and that the said Joseph B. Hinton and his Heirs and Executors see that she be not only protected but that she never need any Comfort in health or in sickness as long as she may live. I also give and bequeath unto my said friend Joseph B. Hinton and His Heirs all the residue of my estate both real and personal and mixed of whatever kind it may be. And to the end that my intentions may be entirely fulfilled, I do hereby make, constitute and appoint my said friend Jos. B. Hinton, sold Executor to this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made and publishing and declaring this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 19th day of August, 1824. (Signed) Sally Anderson
Signed, Sealed, published and declared
by the Testatrix to be her last will
and Testament in presence of: James Avent
Edwd. Quin