

Robertson
~~Robertson~~, David

1771



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In the Name of God Amen I David Robertson of Tryon County
in the State of North Carolina considering the uncertainty
of this mortal State. At the same time being of perfect and
standing and sound Memory thanks therefore to Almighty
God. Do this Eighth Day of July Anno Domini one thousand
Seven hundred & Twenty One, make and publish this my
last Will and Testament in manner and form follow-
ing that is to say Infirmities I resign my Soul to God
that gave it and my body to be Buried in a Christian
like and Decent Manner, after the discretion of my last
and as touching my worldly Estate which with it hath
pleased God to bless me in this life I devise and
dispose of the same in the following manner Viz.
I Give to my well beloved Wife Frances Robertson
during the time of her life or Widowhood four hun-
dred and two acres of Land lying in the County above
being the Land whereon I now live. Also one
Negro Boy Named George together with all my
Horses Cattle Hogs, Bees and all other Household
Goods not to be washed or Employed. And my
Will and desire is that after the Death or Surviving
of my well beloved wife Frances Robertson that all
my Estate principle and and personal be sold
and Equally Divided among my well beloved
Children Matthew Robertson, Molly Robertson,
Isaac Robertson, Isaac Robertson, Latham Robertson,
James Robertson, David Robertson, Henry Robertson
Sally Robertson, John Robertson, and Betty Robert-
son and as touching the Estate of my Brother
Charles Robertson that I have obtained by Execu-
-on. I Give to George Robertson the Youngest of my
Brother Charles that is to say after Howard Estate
pays to my wife twenty pounds Virginia Money
and discharges the Execution and Attachment
that

that I stand bound for my Brother Charles
Robertson, then the remainder to return into the
hands of the said George Robertson the younger
son of my Brother Charles Robertson and if he
should die I give the same to the next young-
est Brother of his to him and his heirs And
my Will and Desire is that such Estate remain
~~in~~ the hands of my Brother Charles Robertson till
such Son comes of Age. And I do Acknowledge
this to be my last will and Testament con-
firming this and no other to be my last
Will and Testament And I constitute ~~and~~^{and}
appoint and ordain Jemy Dentberry France
Robertson my well beloved Wife and William
Kearbanks my whole sole Executors of this
my last Will and Testament.

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David Robertson

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to an ~~mark~~ Churchfield

Matthew Robertson

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William Arvin

North Carolina } to wit October Court A.D. 1771.
Tryon County } This is to Certify that the within Will was
proved in Open Court by the Oath of Jemy
Magby and Recorded in the Clerks Office
according to Law

(Signed)

Ezekiel Lee

Tryon County } I do hereby Certify the foregoing to be a
true Copy of the last Will and Testament of David Robertson
together with the Clerks Certificate thereon. Certified at
Office the 3rd day of Decemr A.D. 1771
Test Mth Lee

David Robertson
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Legates

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