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Born: 1683 VA

Married: Elizabeth Rountree

Died: 21 Mar 1785

Parents: Nicolas Stallings & Ann Rountree

Will of Elias Stallings Sr.

Written 1778 - Proved 1785
(Perquimans County, NC.)

In the Name of God amen, I Elias Stallings Senr. of the Province of North Carolina and County of Perquimans

Being in good Health and Sound and perfect mind and memory at this time thanks be to God for the same

and calling to mind the uncertainty of this transitory Life and the Certainty of Death

do make and ordain this for to be my Last Will and Testament in manner as followeth, viz. ----

Itime I give and bequeath to my son Elias Stallings two Hundred Acres of Land Lying in Hertsford County

Lying ___ Pollx Mill Pon being it more or Less

also I give to my son Elias Stallings one Cow and Calf and one gun and other sundry goods which he has in his

possession to him and his heirs forever.

Iteim I give and bequeath to son John Stallings the Plantation whereon he now Dwells

also I give to my son John one Cow and Calf and one gun that he has got in his Possession to him and his heirs forever.

Itime I give and Bequeath unto my son Ruben Stallings the Plantation that I Now Live on to him and his heirs

and in case he should Die without Lawful heirs I here do give the s'd place to my son Luke Stallings to him and his heirs forever

the s'd Land shall Run as far as the Dividing Line Between that I have made Between Ruben and Job Stallings

also I give to my son Ruben one gun and one Cow and Calf and one set of Shewmakers tules that he has in his Possession to him

and his heirs forever.

Itime I give and Bequeath to my son Job Stallings the Plantation Whereon he Now Dwells and the Land there Belonging and one gun and one Cow and Calf to him and his heirs forever.

Itime I give and Bequeath to my four sons Luke Stallings Jesse Stallings Cader Stallings and

Solomon Stallings all the Right of my
__entry Lands.

Itime I give and Bequeath all the Remainder Part of my swamp Land unto all my sons for the use of timber to them and their heirs forever.

Itime I give and Bequeath to my son Luke Stallings one gun that he has in Possession.

Itime I give and Bequeath to my son Jesse Stallings one gun.

Itime I give and Bequeath unto my son Cader Stallings one gun.

Itime I give and Bequeath to my son Solomon Stallings one gun.

Itime I give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Prissylla Stallings one Large Church Bible.

Itime I give and Bequeath all the Remainder Part of my Estate to be Equally Divided between Luke Stallings and Jesse Stallings and

Cader Stallings and Solomon Stallings Elizabeth Web Mary Colly Prissylla Stallings Sary Forehand Zilpha Lee and Peninah Stallings and

them that has Received a true account to be taken as they may Be Devided on their Parts

and it is my Desire that my Negro Coffe Shall be hired out at publick sale and the money to be put upon interest until Solomon

comes of age.

I anominate and appoint my three sons Ruben Stallings and Luke Stallings and Jesse Stallings for to be my hole and sole Executors for to see this my Last Will and Testament Fulfiled and

Performed, Ratifying and Declaring this and no other for to be my Last Will and Testament as

Witness my hand and seal this 27th ____ November 1778.

Elias Stallings --

Ezekiel Hollowell

Jacob White

Perquimans County} January Court 1785

This may Certify that the within Will was proven in Court by the

Oath of Ezekiel Hollowell an _____ at the same time Jesse Stallings

one of the Exr's. therein named appeared in Court and was Qualified

agreeable to Law.

Test C.Harvey C.C.C.

Recorded this 22d day of March 1785

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Copy of original will follows:

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 of the Province of North Carolina and County of Perquimans
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 Solomon Hallings all the Right of my ancient Land of
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 November 1778

Elias Stallings
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 County } This may Certify that the within M^d was provided
 Court by the Oath of Coz Chas^r Hollowell an Evidence
 at the same time J^r Geo^r Hastings one of the Just^s of the same
 Appeared in Court and was Qualified Agreeable to Law
 Just^s H^{ar}vey c^c c^c

Witness this 27th Day of March 1785

Just^s H^{ar}vey c^c c^c