## **Thomas Upchurch**

## XID-49357

**Commentary:** Thomas Upchurch (XID 49357) is the son of James Upchurch, VII and the grandson of Richard Upchurch, III. All that we know about this Thomas is based on his father's 1833 will. We remain in hopes that more will be learned about him.

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To my wife Thany- lend to her for life 400 acres where I now live; also negroes Esther, Richard, Rilly, Abram, Clary & Harriet; livestock, household & kitchen furniture, farming utensils, crops. To my son Kearney-278 acres on Mocoson Creek joining Burkley Upchurch, Larkin Upchurch, John Pearce & others, where he now live; at my wifes death, I also five him half the negroes I have lent her. To my son Jimmison- 400 acres where I now live; the other half of my negroes that I have loaned my wife. At my wife's death, the resiue of my estate to be sold & the money to be divided among my children & granddaughters as follows: Gilly Ray the wife of James Ray, Elizabeth Phillips the wife of John Phillips, Cloa Cooley the wife of John Cooley Jr, Thomas Upchurch, Jimmison Upchurch & my granddaughter Lecy Upchurch.

Ex. my son Kearney Upchurch

Wit. Matthew Strickland, Cornwell P. Strickland, Saml Harris, Moses Harris, N. L. Harris

James Upchurch, VII

Kearney Upchurch

James Ray

Gilly Upchurch

Elizabeth Thaney Upchurch

John Phillips

Cloa Upchurch= Cloe Jane Upchurch

John Cooley, Jr.

Cornwell P. Strickland

Moses Harris

Will file

Thany Upchurch= nee Elizabeth Thaney Butler

Burkley Upchurch

John Pearce

**Thomas Upchurch** [cross list under UFU less than or equal to 1850 NC Wake/Franklin border]

Jimmison Upchurch= Jamison Upchurch

Lecy Upchurch

Matthew Strickland

Samuel Harris

N. L. Harris

Larkin Upchurch

Stream file: Moccasin Creek

Note: This is the family of James Upchurch, VII- head of the Richard Upchurch III/James Upchurch VII sub-clan. Since the 1833 will of James Upchurch, VII does not mention a son Williford Upchurch, it is presumed that Williford Upchurch died before 1833- but a best guess is that granddaughter Lecy Upchurch is the daughter of Williford Upchurch. The son **Thomas Upchurch**, alive in 1833 is yet to be identified otherwise in the records. RPU)