

David
Morty
Will

In the name of God amen I Daniel Morty
of Boone County Kentucky being weak in body though of sound
mind and memory and calling to my mind the uncertainty
of human life, and being desirous to dispose of the property which
I have retained) and now holds by will to that end. ~~Therefore~~
that purpose I do make and Ordain this last my last will &
testament. In the first place my will and desire is that if my
beloved wife Elizabeth Morty should live longer than I do that
she shall have the whole of my property of every description, and
to use & possess and enjoy the same at her pleasure during her life
Ist having heretofore made considerable advances of
property or money to my children namely Elizabeth
Burton Benjamin Morty Rob^t Morty John Morty Wm Morty
& Nancy Smith. I do hereby bequeath unto them, and my
will is that the sum of fifty dollars each be paid unto them
if living (if not to their children within one year after the
death of my said wife and myself. Which together with what
they have heretofore received is to be considered as their por-
tion of my Estate. And my ^{will} desire is that the sum of
Twenty dollars be paid to my son Daniel Morty in like
manner and under like conditions. —
2nd My will and desire is that the sum of fifty dollars
each be paid unto my grand daughters Agnes Rosewell
and Martha Ann Rosewell which together with what I have heretofore
advanced and given to their deceased mother Sally Rosewell is to be
considered as the portion of my Estate allotted to said Agnes & Martha
and their children which sums are to be paid within one year after the
death of my said wife and myself.
3rd It is my will and desire that the whole of my Estate of
every description which may remain after the death of myself and
my said wife shall be publicly sold by my Executors at broken
month Credit and after paying off my debts funeral Expenses and
the Legacies contained in this will, the balance to be equally
divided among my following Children to wit Joseph Morty Sam^l
Morty Polly Higgins, John and Cornelius & also to the Children of my
daughter Patsy Living the portion thus left to the Children of my daugh-
ter Patsy Living is given under those conditions & restrictions to wit. Should
their father or I have any claim any thing from my Estate on account of any obligation
or contract with me whatever and recover any time or thereby put my Estate to
any loss, all or any such amount as may have to be paid shall be deducted
as part of the portion thus given to my said grand Children and whatever sum
of money may fall to their share upon a final settlement or division is to be
left with my Executors or a guardian to be appointed for them by the Boone
County Court and to be kept by them at interest for their use & benefit of
my said grand Children and to be paid over to them respectively & equally
when they arrive to lawful age to receive it (the part thus given to my said
grand Children is in portion).
4th It is my will and desire that the sale of my negroes be lawful
and limited among my heirs and that my Executors sell them to no
other person.

6th I do hereby nominate and appoint my son in law Robert
Cornelius and my friend Miller Graves Executors of this my last
will and Testament. In Testimony whereof I do hereunto set my
hand & seal this 18th day of March in the year of our Lord Eighteen
hundred and thirty And

Sign^d Sealed and act^d
by Dan^l Morty in our presence
Jose Barnett
James Graves
Miller Graves

Daniel Morty & Co

Boone County Court Dec^r Term 1832

This last will and Testament of Daniel Morty dec^d
was produced in Court & proven by the Oaths of Jose Barnett & James
Graves subscribing Witnesses. & Order to be recorded which is accord-
ing to law
Attest. Miller Graves Clerk

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Christopher
Zimmerman
Will

I Christopher Zimmerman of the County of Boone and State
of Kentucky being at this time of sound mind and disposing memory
but aware of the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death and wishing
to make a disposition of such worldly Estate as I may be possessed of do make
and declare this to be my last will & Testament hereby revoking and annulling
all former wills or attempts to be made null and void.
1st It is my will and desire that after my death my body should
be buried in a decent and Christian like manner, and that all my
just debts (if I shall be owing any) be paid thereafter as soon as
possible.

2nd Whereas I have advanced to my daughter Milly Taylor and her
husband Carter Taylor in presents and money a sum equal what
I conceive should be their portion or share of my estate. I do hereby
will and bequeath to them the said Milly and Carter Taylor the sum
of twenty five cents which I conceive to be in full of their part of
my estate.

3rd Whereas I have advanced to my daughter Elizabeth House
and her husband in presents and in money a sum equal to what
I conceive should be their portion or share of my estate. I do hereby
will and bequeath to them the said Elizabeth House and her
husband the sum of twenty five cents which I conceive to be
in full of their part of my estate.

4th Whereas I have advanced to my daughter Polly Conner and her
husband in presents and money a sum equal to what I conceive should
be their portion or share of my Estate I do hereby will & bequeath to them
the said Polly Conner and her husband the sum of twenty five cents which
is in full of their part of my Estate.

5th Whereas I have advanced to my daughter Peggy Beamon and her
husband in presents & money a sum equal to what I conceive should be their
portion or share of my Estate I do hereby will and bequeath to the said Peggy
Beamon and her husband the sum of twenty five cents which is in full of their
portion of my Estate.