

Bourbon County Jan^y Court 1808

465 This last will & testament of John
Basham dec^d was produced in said
Court proved by the Oaths of Richard
Middle & Jonathan Tuthins ordered
to be recorded

Attest

Wm. Garrard Sec^y of the

Robert Seneca Will.

In the name of God Amen I Robert Seneca
heresent of the County of Bourbon and state of
Kentucky, being in weak and low condition
of body but sound in memory & mind but call-
ing to mind the mortality of my body and that
it is appointed for all men next to die do hereby
this my last will and testament and first
of all I give my seat to the Almighty God who
gave it to me hoping to receive the same again
at the general resurrection through the mi-
ghty power of Christ my Great Redeemer
my body at death I recommend to the
earth to be buried in a christian like man-
ner at the discretion of my executors whom
I shall hereafter nominate and appoint
touching such worldly ~~affairs~~ substance and
possessions when with it hath pleased God
to bless me with in this life I give as a beque-
ath the same in form as following to my
first of all I will and allow that all my just
debts shall be paid out of my moveable
estate and then I bequeath unto well beloved
wife Mary Seneca one Negro female named
Heme and her Issue a young woman

46 6 Saddle and bridle Chest wheel and Chaise
reel two. With Cows. six head of sheep two
feather beds and furniture Cullard and
Cubbed furniture. all the petmeltle ~~from~~
the large kettle her mainenance and his
stock also six and dress his one half bust
all of flax seed fit for the wheel by my
son Robert Seance also the south part of
the fruit. all and every part of the fore
going property to be heirs During his
life But be it remembered at his Death
all and every part of said property
is to return to my Daughter Pelley Seance
with her property that she has in posses-
sion at this time here to be at her disposal
for ever. also I give with to my son James
Seance two hundred acres of land also Sam-
uel Seance one hundred. Acres of Land
also my son Robert Seance two hundred
and fifty. Acres of land to be theirs there
Hairs for cover out my land purchased
from Charles. Morgan and as said Morgan
has failed in compliance of said contract
William. S. Allen has undertook said busi-
ness if he is successfull the aforesaid three
James Seance, Samuel Seance and Robert
Seance is to have the different proportion
of the land and if the Land is not obtain-
ed the one to have their difference negoti-

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of that obtained from the Regent in per-
fection to the Regent by also I bequeath to
my granddaughter Linthy Berry & my
daughter to Robert some one two year old
heifer, also one two year old heifer to my
granddaughter Minnie Adams & my daughter
William Adams and the residue of my
property I bequeath to my son Robert
for ever and thereby nominate, constitute
and appoint my friends James
Robert some to be the sole executors of
this last will and Testament and lastly
I revoke hereunto I annul all former
and other will by me heretofore made
done ratifying and confirming this to be
my last will and Testament to wit
whereof I have hereunto set my hand
affixed my seal this 4th day of December
one thousand eight hundred and eight
entered in these words (from Regent)
before signed

Signed and Published

In presence of us
James Black
Hugh Wright
Jane Champ

Robert R. [unclear]
[unclear]

Bourbon County Jan^y Court 1809
 The last will and testament of ~~Robert~~
 deceased was produced into Court
 proven by the oaths of Samuel Clark
 James Champ and ordered to be re-
 corded

att.

Wm Garrison Jr C B C

John Forman's Will

In the name of God Amen I John
 Forman of Bourbon County and state of
 Kentucky being weak in body but yet of
 sound and perfect understanding and
 memory do hereby constitute this my last
 will and Testament and do desire it to be
 received by all as such reaching all others
 In witness whereof I most humbly bequeath my
 soul to God my maker beseeching his most
 gracious acceptance of the same the all suffi-
 cient merits of Jesus Christ Amen.

As to my worldly estate, I will and for-
 mally order that my few debts be paid.

It is my will and desire that my be-
 loved wife, Mary Forman, should keep in pos-
 session and live on my farm consisting of
 one hundred acres of land to be laid off
 beginning at the north corner of said survey
 purchased of John Hedges and to run south