

State of Kentucky, Independence County (Sd.)
 County Court Clerk's Office March 26th 1839-
 The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will and Testament
 of John Winter, Deceased was duly proven by the oath of John Abner
 a subscribing witness thereto, who swears that the testator signed
 it in his presence and that he acknowledged it to be his last
 will and Testament, and ordered to be recorded.
 Wm. (Mr. Kelly) S.C.

In the name of God, Amen, I Elizabeth S. Leachman of Breckinridge
 County, And State of Kentucky, being in ill health; but of sound and disposing
 memory, calling to mind the frailty and uncertainty of human life, and
 being desirous of settling my worldly affairs, and directing how the estate
 with which it has pleased God to bless me, shall be disposed of after my decease.
 While I have strength and capacity, do to do, make and publish this my
 last will and Testament, hereby revoking and making null and void
 all other last wills and Testaments by me heretofore made, And first
 I commend my immortal soul to him who gave it, and my body to
 the earth, to be buried with little expense or ostentation by my Executors
 hereinafter named.
 And as to my worldly estate and all the property, real personal
 or mixed of which I shall die seized and possessed or to which I
 shall be entitled at the time of my decease I devise bequeath
 and dispose thereof in the manner following, to-wit:-
 Improvis My will is that all my just debts and funeral expen-
 ses shall by my executors hereinafter named be paid out
 of my estate as soon after my decease as shall by them be
 found convenient
 Item I give devise and bequeath to my beloved mother
 Nancy Roberts all my undivided interest in the slaves
 to-wit my fifth part in Bet Bucke Lewis & their increase
 + and at her death my said undivided interest is to pass to my
 sister Eliza Wilson and at her death to her son Henry C
 Wilson and his heirs forever
 Item I give devise and bequeath to my sister Eliza Wilson my
 negro slaves Letitia Martha of Peter, and Sammi the child of
 Letitia together with their increase said slaves are to serve my
 sister Mrs Wilson for the space of six years and at the end
 of that period if said slaves so desire it they can have their
 freedom by going to Liberia but if they elect not to go
 they are to be the property of my sister until her death
 and then pass to her son Henry C. Wilson and his heirs
 forever The term of six years is to commence from and after
 the day said slaves enter the possession of the said
 Mrs Wilson and she may take possession at any time after
 my decease
 Item I give to Henry C. Wilson my slave Alexander in the
 same manner as the above slaves have been devised to his
 mother except that he shall not take possession until the

first day of December 1859

- I then give devise and bequeath to my brother Luther Roberts of Phillips County State of Arkansas my undivided and third part of 1000 acres of Land in Callaway new Marshall County most of which has been sold and notes executed for the same my part of which notes I desire one of my executors Alfred Roberts to collect and pay over to my said Brother Luther except \$40 which I desire he should pay to Rev James Taylor for the benefit of the Methodist Church and which he is directed to apply to the repair or purchase of a parsonage in the town of Hardinsburg also \$20 which my said executor is directed to pay to George L. Ball for the benefit of the Baptist Church called Clover Creek church also \$20 for the benefit of the Catholic Church to be paid to Thomas Rheders for the benefit of the Catholic Church or congregation in the town of Hardinsburg to be used in any manner the said Rheders may direct.

- I then give devise and bequeath to Generosa Roberts my slaves Ellen Mary and Amanda in the following manner first together with their children said slaves are to serve the said Generosa for the space of six years and she is to have possession on the first of January 1860 and at the end of the six years if said slaves so desire it they can have their freedom by going to Liberia but if they elect not to go then they are to remain the property of the said Generosa except upon her death or in default of bodily heirs in that event they are to pass equally to Henry C. Wilson and the Children of the said Luther Roberts by his present wife Martha neither of which deaths shall have power however to sell or in any way dispose alienate said slaves unless for flagrant crime and if said slaves are hired, they are to be hired near home and to good masters The said Generosa shall have power to keep any of said slaves at home to work upon her that she may devise and the balance may be managed by her Guardian during her minority -

- I then I give devise and bequeath to Joseph Ward infant son of Sayfeyate and Roxana Ward one mare ^{and bequest} ~~cost~~ the same one devised to me in his codicil to him and his ^{and bequest} ~~use~~ forever

I then I give devise and bequeath to my brother Alfred Roberts my Land Warrants N^o 7844 & 7841 for 160 acres to him and his heirs forever also Cornelia about four years of age to serve him until she is 17 years of age and then to be free - if she elects and does go to Liberia and if the said A. Roberts dies without heirs she is to be free at the date of his death if consistent with the Laws of the State

- I then I give devise and bequeath to slave Margret \$30 to be paid annually for six years \$5 ^{per} annua also to Malinda \$18 paid annually for six years \$3 per annum - also ~~paid~~ \$18 paid annually for six years \$3 per annum

I then I give the rest and residue of my estate real personal and mixed of which I shall die seized and possessed or to which I shall be entitled at my decease I give devise and bequeath to my niece Generosa Roberts And

Lastly - I do nominate and appoint my said brother A. Roberts
and Nathan Board to be the executors of this my last will and
testament without security either of whom may carry the Land
on my interest therein in Marshall County
In Testimony whereof I the said Elizabeth L. Newheard have hereunto
subscribed my name and affixed my seal this 30th day of March 1859
signed sealed & published before us

Elizabeth L. Newheard

James G. Maxwell, Nathan Board, James Taylor

Kentucky Breckinridge County Set

County Court Clerk's Office April 4th 1859

The foregoing will was this day produced in Court duly and
legally proven by the oaths of Nathan Board and James G. Maxwell
subscribing witnesses thereto who made oath that the testator signed
it in their presence and acknowledged it to be her last will and
testament and that they signed it in the presence of each other and
they believe her to be of sound mind and disposing memory
Wherefore the said will is ordered to be recorded

Attest

Thos M. Jolly Clk

I, Joel Gillenwaters of the County of Breckinridge, and
State of Kentucky do make this my last will and Testament,
I do give and bequeath to my wife Elizabeth all my property
real and personal - after my Just debts and funeral expenses
are paid, to hold during her life time and widowhood and
to save educate & maintain my children - If she shall marry
again the said shall be my will,

March 22, 1859

Witness John H. W. Frank

Thomas Board,

Joel + Gillenwaters
mark

State of Kentucky Breckinridge County S. H. P.
County Court Clerk's Office April 11th 1859.

The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will and Testament
of Joel Gillenwaters, Decd. was this produced in Court and
duly and legally proven by the oath of John H. W. Frank a
subscribing Witness thereto, who swore that the testator
signed said will in his presence - and acknowledged it to be
his last will and Testament - and that he believed him
to be of sound mind and disposing memory, and that he signed
it in the presence of the testator, and the same is
admitted to Record

Attest

S. P. Jolly Clk, B. H.