

and my body to the land to be buried in a decent Christian like manner and my funeral expenses, & all my just debts to be paid out of my Estate -

Item 2^d I give and bequeath to my son Stewart one hundred acres of Land to be laid off agreeable to the judgment of Robert Stewart and John Gallacher with a strict eye to justice, as it respects the rest of the heirs

Item 3^d I give and bequeath to my son Stewart one hundred acres of Land to be laid off agreeable to the mode pointed out above and by the same persons -

Item 4th I give and bequeath to my Daughter Ann the balance of my tract of Land, to include the place where Adam Wood now lives fifty acres more or less

Item 5th I give and bequeath to my son James Wood one hundred Dollars.

Item 6th I give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary twenty one hundred Dollars.

Item 7th I give and bequeath to my sons Adam & William Wood two Dollars each and to be paid out of my personal property

Item 8th It is my will that all the balance of my Estate be equally divided among my sons Stewart & John and my Daughter Ann

Item 9th I do hereby Ordain & Appoint my friends Robert Stewart and John Gallacher my true and faithful executors, to execute and fulfill this my last will and testament whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this 3rd day of December in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty five

John Wood Decd

Witnessed of
John D. Gallacher
Mary Gallacher

At a court held for Fleming County on the 1st day of April 1831 -

This writing purporting to be the last will and testament of John Wood decd. was produced in court and proven by the oath of John Gallacher a subscribing witness, and as well to his own attestation as to that of Mary Gallacher the other witness thereto and ordered to be recorded which is done

Isiah Stockton Clk

List of Sales of John Beckner Decd January 20 th 1831			
Beckner	One Lot	Michael Plank	6 01
Isa. Stockton	1 Pair	Isaac Beckner	2 25
	1 Kite	Polly Beckner	35
	1 Pot	Isaac Beckner	50
	1 Co	Do	37 1/2
	1 Chest	Polly Beckner	50
	1 Cupboard	Do	9 00
	2 old Tables	Do	29
	3 do Chairs	Do	53
	1 Bedstead & box	Do	38
	1 Bedstead Bed & Bedspread	Do	32 25
	1 Sheep	Do	2 50

Security that the foregoing is a true Bill of all the property of the estate of John Beckner decd that came into my hands as administrator

May 2^d 1831

Isaac L. Beckner

At a court held for Fleming County on the 2nd of May 1831

This Bill of Sales of the Estate of John Beckner decd. was produced in court examined & ordered to be recorded which is done

Isiah Stockton Clk

In the name of God Amen

I Philip Belvestine of the County of Fleming and State of Kentucky finding myself weak in Body, but being fully sound in mind & memory thanks be to God, and calling into mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make and Ordain this my last will and testament, that is to say principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of the God who gave. And my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent & Christianlike manner at the discretion of my executors, nothing doubting that at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God. And as touching such worldly Estate wherewith I have pleased God to bless me in this life I give & dispose of in the following manner & form that is, to say principally and first of all I give & bequeath to Rebecca my beloved wife all my personal property Also I give & bequeath to my son John Belvestine, the sum of two Dollars out of the personal property for his part

Of my estate. Also I give and bequeath to my son
 Jacob Belvestine Two Dollars out of my personal property.
 Also I give and bequeath to my son Peter Belvestine Two dol-
 -ars out of my personal property. Also I give and bequeath
 to my son Philip Belvestine the lot or tract of land that he
 now lies on or a title for the same quantity in bond calls for
 And also two Dollars of my personal property. I also give
 and bequeath to my son William Belvestine the lot or
 tract of land on which I now live on and also the personal
 property that falls to my wife at her death. I also give
 and bequeath to my daughter Sally Lewis or her heirs two
 Dollars out of my personal property. I also give and
 bequeath to my daughter Rebecca ~~Belvestine~~ and William
 Humphreys two Dollars. I also give and bequeath to my
 daughter Polly H. Roberts and James C. Roberts two
 Dollars. I give and bequeath to my daughter Susanna
 Simin and Frank Simin two Dollars. I give and beque-
 -ath to my daughter Elizabeth Littleton and Joseph Littleton
 two Dollars of my personal property.

And Furthermore I do hereby Ordain and appoint my
 sons Peter Belvestine and William Belvestine to be the sole
 executors of this my last will and testament and no other.
 And hereby disavow and disclaim all and every other por-
 -tion will or testament that might have heretofore been made
 or assign'd by me and do declare, publish & confirm and
 establish this and no other to be my last will and testament.
 And in testimony of the above I have hereunto set my
 hand and affix my seal this thirteenth day of May
 One thousand eight hundred and twenty three

In presence of
 John Goddard Sr
 John Goddard

Philip Belvestine 

The Commonwealth of Kentucky to the presiding judge, Mayor
 or City Clerk or Chief Magistrate of the County of Rush
 And State of Indiana. Greeting. Know ye that at a Court
 held for Fleming County State of Kentucky on Monday the first
 day of November 1830. A writing purporting to be the last
 will and Testament of Philip Belvestine deceased which is
 hereto annexed, attested by John Goddard Sr. and John Goddard
 was produced in Court to be proved and admitted to
 record and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court
 that the said John Goddard Sr. and John Goddard are
 residents of the said County of Rush and State of Indiana
 At was on said day and year aforesaid by said Court ordered

And to you directed, empowering you to take the attestation
 of the subscribing witnesses aforesaid and the same when
 taken to certify to our said Court on the annexed will. Now
 know ye that by virtue of said order of the Court and the
 Act of Assembly in that case made and provided you
 are hereby authorized and empowered you or either
 of you to take the attestation of the said John Goddard
 Sr. and John Goddard witnesses of the said last will and
 Testament of said Philip Belvestine deceased and that
 you interrogate said witnesses particularly whether they
 saw the testator sign and publish the annexed writing as
 and for his last will and testament and at the time
 of his so doing whether he was to the best of their apprehen-
 -sion of sound and disposing mind and memory
 and whether they subscribed their names as witnesses to
 said will in the presence of the testator and at his
 request And when taken certify the same to our said
 Court. Witness Joshua Stockton Clerk of our said
 County Court of Fleming and in testimony whereof I
 have as clerk aforesaid hereunto set my name and af-
 fixed the seal of said County this the 5 day of November
 1830 (City Seal)

Joshua Stockton Clerk

State of Indiana Rush County to wit
 In pursuance of the foregoing Commission Joseph Nicholas
 acting Justice of the Peace for the County of
 Rush State of Indiana and oldest in the Town of
 Rushville Rushville Township proceeded on the Eleventh
 day of April in the year 1831 to take the attestation
 of John Goddard Sr. and John Goddard the subscribing
 witnesses to the last will and testament of Philip Bel-
 vestine deceased and said witnesses after being sworn
 on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God, & did that
 the testator Philip Belvestine did sign the said last
 will and testament hereto annexed and publish it as
 and for his will in their presence and that at the
 time of his doing so he was of sound mind & memory
 And that they subscribed their names as witnesses to said
 will in the presence of said testator and at his re-
 quest all which the said Joseph Nicholas a Justice of
 the Peace as aforesaid do respectfully certify to the Court
 Court of Fleming County State of Kentucky and

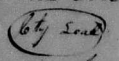
of my estate. Also I give and bequeath to my son
 Black Belvestine two Dollars out of my personal property
 Also I give and bequeath to my son Peter Belvestine two dol-
 -ars out of my personal property. Also I give and bequeath
 to my son Philip Belvestine the lot or tract of land that he
 now has, or as a title for the same quantity in bond calls for
 And also two Dollars of my personal property. I also give
 and bequeath to my son William Belvestine the lot or
 tract of land or now live on and also the personal
 property that falls to my wife at her death. I also give
 and bequeath to my daughter Sally Lewis or her heirs two
 Dollars out of my personal property. I also give and
 bequeath to my daughter Rebecca ~~Belvestine~~ and William
 Humphreys two Dollars. I also give and bequeath to my
 daughter Polly. McRoberts and James McRoberts two
 Dollars. I give and bequeath to my daughter Susanna
 Irwin and Trumbo Irwin two Dollars. I give and beque-
 -ath. to my daughter Elizabeth Littleton and Joseph Littleton
 two Dollars of my personal property.

And Furthermore I do hereby Ordain and appoint my
 sons Peter Belvestine and William Belvestine to be the sole
 executors of this my last will and testament and no other.
 And hereby disannul and disclaim all and every other for-
 -mer will or testaments that might have heretofore been made
 or assign'd by me and do declare, publish & confirm and
 establish this and no other to be my last will and testament
 And in testimony of the above I have hereunto set my
 hand and affix my seal this thirteenth day of May
 and thousand eight hundred and twenty three

In presence of
 John Goddard Sr
 John Goddard

Philip Belvestine 

The Commonwealth of Kentucky to the presiding judge, Mayor
 or Statary publick or Chief Magistrate of the County of Rush
 and State of Indiana. Greeting. Know ye that at a Court
 held for Fleming County, State of Kentucky on Monday the first
 day of November 1830. A writing purporting to be the last
 will and Testament of Philip Belvestine deceased which is
 hereto annexed, attested by John Goddard senr. and John Goddard
 was produced in Court to be proved and admitted to
 record and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court
 that the said John Goddard senr. and John Goddard are
 residents of the said County of Rush and State of Indiana
 It was on said 1st day of November aforesaid, by said Court ordered
 that a commission should issue annexed to said will

and to you directed, empowering you to take the attestation
 of the subscribing witnesses aforesaid and the same when
 taken to certify to our said Court as the annex? will. Now
 know ye that by virtue of said order of the Court and the
 Act of Assembly in that case made and provided you
 are hereby authorized and empowered ye or either
 of you to take the attestation of the said John Goddard
 senr. and John Goddard witnesses of the said last will and
 Testament of said Philip Belvestine deceased and that
 you interrogate said witnesses particularly whether they
 saw the testator sign and publish the annexed writing as
 and for his last will and testament. And at the time
 of his so doing whether he was to the best of their apprehen-
 -sion of sound and disposing mind and memory
 and whether they subscribed their names as witnesses to
 said will in the presence of the testator and at his
 request. And when taken certify the same to our said
 Court. Witness Joshua Hockton Clerk of our said
 County Court of Fleming and in testimony whereof I
 have as clerk aforesaid hereunto set my name and af-
 -fixed the seal of said County this the 5 day of November
 1830 

Joshua Hockton Clerk

State of Indiana Rush County to wit-
 In pursuance of the foregoing commission of Joseph Nichol-
 -as acting Justice of the peace for the County of
 Rush State of Indiana and attested in the town of
 Rushville. Rushville Township proceeded on the eleventh
 day of April in the year 1831 to take the attestation
 of John Goddard senr. and John Goddard the subscribing
 witnesses to the last will and testament of Philip Bel-
 -vestine deceased and said witnesses after being sworn
 on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God, stated that
 the testator Philip Belvestine decd did sign the said last
 will and testament hereto annexed and publish it as
 and for his will in their presence. And that at the
 time of his so doing he was of sound mind & memory
 And that they subscribed their names as witnesses to said
 will in the presence of said testator and at his re-
 -quest all which the said Joseph Nicholas a Justice of
 the peace as aforesaid do respectfully certify to the County
 Court of Fleming County, State of Kentucky given under my

hand and seal this the eleventh day of April 1831.

Joseph Nicholas *Seal*

Justice of the peace for Rush County
and added in the town of Rushville

State of Indiana Rush County Court

S. Robert Thompson Clerk of Rush Circuit Court within
for the County aforesaid do hereby certify that Joseph
Nicholas who signed the foregoing certificate of having
taken the attestation of the intraps to the will of Philip
Belvestine deceased was at the time of signing said cer-
tificate a Justice of the Peace of said County duly
commissioned and qualified and entitled to full faith
and credit as well in Courts of Justice as thereout &
that his said attestation is in due form and by the prop-
er Officer. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and affixed the seal of said said Rush Circuit Court
at Rushville the 11 day of April 1831.

Seal

Robert Thompson Clerk

State of Indiana Rush County Sec.

I John Grigg Associate Judge in & for the County of Rush
and State of Indiana do certify that the foregoing at-
testation of Robert Thompson who is clerk of Rush Circuit Court
is in due form of Law and by the proper officer that he
is duly commissioned and qualified as clerk aforesaid
& entitled to full faith & credit given under my hand &
seal this the eleventh day of April 1831.

John Grigg *Seal*

Associate Judge

At a Court held for Fleming County on the 2nd day of May
1831 This writing purporting to be the last will and testament of
Philip Belvestine deceased together with the foregoing certificate,
thereon was produced in Court examined and Ordered to be
recorded which is done

W. Joshua Stockton *Seal*

We the undersigned being appointed commissioners of the
Fleming County Court April Term 1831 to appraise the per-
sonal ^{estate} property of Mary Power deceased do hereby certify that we
have made a correct Inventory of all the said Estate that
was brought under our notice given under our hand & seal
the day of April 1831.

John Will
John Alexander
Richard Blary

I hereby certify that I have delivered to the said ap-
praisers all the personal estate of Mary Power de-
ceased as proposed at her death given under my hand &
seal this 30th day of April 1831.

Joseph Power *Seal*

Inventory of the personal Estate of Mary Power deceased

One promissory note on John Sutton & Thomas Hickey
to the amount of \$37.28

One note on Elias Kump & Wesley Plummer to the
amount of 32.40 $\frac{1}{2}$

One on John W. Williams James & Mattingford Madison 7.00

One on John Cope and Henry & Collins for 4.13 $\frac{1}{2}$

One on George S. Fox & Mark Mattingford 9.3 $\frac{1}{2}$

One on George Jackson & Sedrick Dixon 30.35

One on George Johnson and David Sallet for 1.05 $\frac{1}{2}$

One on John Norton and John W. Williams for 8.81

One on Sarah Comstock & Lewis Roberts for 10.50

One on S. C. Powers & J. C. Alexander for 3.00

One on Vincent Collins and John Cope for 7.12 $\frac{1}{2}$

One on Joseph Redman & Edmund Matlock for 8.87 $\frac{1}{2}$

One on Joseph Redman & Edmund Matlock for 1.68 $\frac{1}{2}$

Cash paid on day of Sale

John Will *Seal*

John Alexander *Seal*

Richard Blary *Seal*

Fleming County Sec.

This day personally appeared before me
a Justice of the peace for Fleming County
John Will John Alexander and Richard Blary have
been appointed by the Fleming County Court to ap-
praise the personal estate of Mary Power deceased given
under my hand this the 30th day of April 1831.

John Mattingford *Seal*

53rd looks to preceding Certificate

At a Court held for Fleming County on the 2nd day
of May 1831. This Inventory and appraisement of
the Estate of Mary Power deceased was produced in
Court examined and Ordered to be recorded -
which is done

Joshua Stockton *Seal*