

John  
Arbuckle  
Will

To all whom it may Concern  
I John Arbuckle of Franklin County, State of  
Kentucky, being in my proper Reason and sound  
Memory the weak and infirm in Body, Do hereby

And make this my last Will and Testament, And  
Desire that my Estate may be disposed of in the following  
manner, Viz. a Colt, Cow, Two Hens, and Two Hundred Acres of Land  
above Limestone, I give to George Peyton, I also give my wife  
Hannah the Plantation on which I now live with all the  
Stock, and farming utensils also the Household furniture,  
During her life or Widowhood, & then to be sold to my Daughter  
Betty Arbuckle except one bed and furniture, which I allow  
the above mentioned George Peyton to have. I also give to my  
Daughter Betty all my Estate consisting in lands in this State  
and elsewhere except the Two Hundred & four bequeathed to  
George Peyton. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand  
and seal this thirteenth day of October in the year 1796.

signed sealed and acknowledged  
in presence of

John Arbuckle Seal

At a County Court held for the County of  
Franklin on Tuesday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of February 1797.  
The last Will and Testament of John Arbuckle was produced in Court  
and proved by the Oaths of John Davis, Thomas Douthett, & James Arbuckle  
deponent witnesses thereto, which was ordered to be recorded. There being  
no persons named in the said Will as Executors, Hannah Arbuckle  
one of the four Deceased's Wives, was appointed and in her written Certificate  
requested to obtain letters of Administration of said Dec'd Estate, with the  
said Hannah who took the Oath and entered into bond with security  
able to justify.  
David Morrison Clerk

Peter  
Samuel  
Will

In the name of God Amen I Peter  
Samuel of the County of Woodford being sick and  
weak in body ~~and~~ in sound mind and Memory  
Do make and Ordain this my last Will &  
Testament in form following.

First I Desire my just debts to be paid. —  
Then I give to my Daughter Ann Samuel One negro Woman  
Phoebe, which she has now in possession to her and her heirs forever  
lawfully begotten of her Body, and for want of such to return to myself  
two sons John & Reuben Samuel to be equally divided between  
them. Then I give to my son John Samuel One Negro Woman  
Jenny Daughter of old Jimmy also One bed and furniture and one  
boy mare by the name of Diamond, Then I give to my son  
Reuben Samuel One Negro Woman Hannah also One Bed and  
furniture. I my young Grey Mare by the name of Lucy. Likewise  
I give my Negro Boy Amos, to my son Reuben Samuel after  
the Death of my wife Susannah Samuel But my will & Desire  
is that my wife Susannah Samuel shall have the use of the  
said negro Amos also Jack, Old Jimmy, Sarah, and George  
the land and Plantation whereon I now live with the remain-  
der of the stock Household goods & Kitchen furniture & During her  
natural life and at her Death I give the same in equal parts  
Jimmy, Mary, & George, to my three Children Ann Samuel, John  
& Reuben Samuel to be equally divided among them But first  
my said Daughter Ann Samuel die without and heirs law-  
fully begotten of her Body, my will is that my said five sons shall  
have the five last Negroes equally divided among them. Then  
I give the land whereon I now live to my two sons John & Reuben  
Samuel at the Death of my wife to be equally divided  
them, I also give all the remainder of my stock to  
at the Death of my wife to be equally divided among