



and Thomas L. Freed, executor of the estate of said deceased  
In testimony whereof these presents do my hand and seal this 10th  
day of May 1841  
Signed Sealed and acknowledged  
in the presence of

L. Ford  
L. Allen, Blanken  
State of Kentucky  
Franklin County South August Term 1841.  
Aunt Mary Jackson to the last will and testament of Landon Freed which  
was produced in court and was sworn by the oath of Landon Freed a solemn oath  
which she took, and it was further sworn by the oaths of said Landon and Mrs. William Blanken  
the other witness that he signed his name in his presence and also in the presence of the  
testator Landon Freed which will is, or is to be recorded when on the said  
will is duly recorded in my office  
T. H. (Seal) (S. C.)

In the name of God Amen, I Robert Smith son of the county of Franklin  
and State of Kentucky being in firm of body, but of sound and of disposing mind, do  
make certain this my last will and testament in  
Item 1<sup>st</sup> I wish my body decently interred the expenses therefor defrayed out of my property in  
Item 2<sup>d</sup> I give and bequeath my bed, pin bed quilt, her bed spread, 3 shoes one up holston, two  
pillows 3 pillow sets one leather bedstead bedstead bottom three red shawls and  
a feather bed belonging to my bed to Ophelia and Thelma Malcolm to twin  
daughters of Ann Malcolm  
Item 3<sup>d</sup> I give and bequeath to Nancy Wilson wife of Andrew Wilson my  
riding mare like both for her own use and benefit, and wish her to be bred and  
the colts given to Frances young and Victoria Wilson  
Item 4<sup>th</sup> I give to Andrew Wilson, my part of a claim I now have to a  
negro boy in Washington City named John Murry, now in the hands of  
Lewis Suggs which he is to attend to and settle up, one half  
Item 5<sup>th</sup> I give and bequeath to Mary Wilson daughter of Andrew  
Wilson all of my interest in and to a certain tract of land of said county  
County of Henderson Mason in the State of Virginia the papers showing the  
above named claim now being in the hands of J. H. Hays, which he is to  
attend to and settle up for one half, and if he does not choose to settle it, then  
whole claim I wish to be given to Mary Wilson  
Item 6<sup>th</sup> I wish William Henry Smith of Owen Co. and D. S. Quaker  
to divide my estate in (Tental) Sarping into two equal parts, as near  
as can be in value one half I wish to be given to the above named  
William Henry Smith by his paying to Andrew Wilson, one third  
of what he thinks the said William Henry may think the said half is  
worth, the other half I wish sold and the proceeds given to Andrew Wilson  
Item 7<sup>th</sup> I give and bequeath to Andrew Wilson all the balance of my  
estate both real personal and mixed that is not above especially bequeathed  
and wish her to collect all the debts due me and divide the  
money amongst her children. Item 8<sup>th</sup> I leave Andrew Wilson

and F. H. Rogers my executors, and I wish and desire that they be held jointly  
as my estate is small and I wish no death they may not find any  
In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10th day of May  
1841

Robert Smith (Seal)  
State of Kentucky  
Franklin County East Sept Term 1841  
Aunt Mary Jackson to the last will and testament of Robert Smith  
which was produced in court and was sworn by the oath of L. H. Hays, and James H. Coon  
the subscribing witnesses, that it was signed by the testator in the presence of the  
executors in my office  
T. H. (Seal) (S. C.)

I thought Sanders being weak in body but of sound mind and disposing mind  
memory, do make and ordain this as my last will and testament, truly and lawfully  
made by me made 1772 - Item 1. I wish my personal expenses paid with said,  
and for the purpose of paying my debts, I desire that my executor hereafter named, shall  
have full power and authority to sell and convey my part of an undivided part of one  
thousand acres of land being in Eagle creek with counties of Mason and Carroll Kentucky  
known as the New Mill tract, the other half being owned by the heirs of my brother Mr. Sanders  
- Also to sell any portion of my personal estate, which my wife may own and give  
for that purpose, and whereas I have to owing the heirs of Wm. Hampton dec'd something  
and am the owner of two fifths of the negro property of said estate, I desire that my executor  
shall use my interest in said negroes towards the payment of what I may be found owing  
to said heirs, and of my interest should exceed in value, what I may owe them, my executor  
is directed to apply the surplus to the payment of other debts  
Item 2. I wish and desire to my beloved wife for and during the term of her natural  
life, the tract of land and farm on which I am now living containing something upwards  
of five hundred acres, with the exception of sixty or seventy acres, which I leased to my  
son James, and on which he is now living - Also the pileway slaves, to wit, fifty  
three year old Billy fifty three, Isaac fifty eight, Billy fifty nine, Daniel fifty three  
Sixteen and Maria fifteen, also to be held by her for and during the term of her natural  
life, also all my slaves, farming utensils, house hold and kitchen furniture with the  
exception of such as my wife may think proper to give up to my executor being my debts  
- and whereas my daughter Sally Little and her family have for many years lived with  
me, I desire that they may continue to live with my wife, but if from any cause my said  
daughter should choose to leave my wife, I desire that she may be permitted to have such  
portion of my slaves, farming implements, furniture as my wife can conveniently spare  
Item 3. I do hereby confirm the lease I gave to my son James to be made on  
the 1<sup>st</sup> of March 1848, and after that time if it shall not be made, I desire that he  
shall be permitted to have the same for the payment of my debts, I desire that he may be permitted to be  
charged with a reasonable part which shall be taken into the settlement of my  
estate unless I should otherwise direct  
Item 4. I wish that should be done to the best advantage of my  
debtors and for that purpose my executor