

In the Name of God Amen I Isam Sellers of the County of Henderson & State of Kentucky now in perfect health, mind and memory turn to Almighty God for his Grace, and knowing the mortality of all mankind, and that it is appointed to all men to die, I do hereby make this my last Will & Testament. In manner and form following: viz: 1<sup>st</sup> That all my just debts be paid. - 2<sup>nd</sup> I give unto the heirs of my deceased son John Sellers in addition to what I have heretofore given him, the sum of One Dollar. - 3<sup>rd</sup> I give unto my daughter Eliza Coltingham in addition to what I have heretofore given her, the sum of One Dollar. - 4<sup>th</sup> I give unto my son William Sellers in addition to what I have heretofore given him the sum of One Dollar. - 5<sup>th</sup> I give unto my son Lewis Sellers in addition to what I have heretofore given him the sum of One Dollar. - 6<sup>th</sup> I give unto Elizabeth Sutton in addition to what I have heretofore given her, the sum of One Dollar. - 7<sup>th</sup> I give unto the heirs of Orman Sellers deceased in addition to what I have heretofore given them, the sum of One Dollar. - 8<sup>th</sup> I give unto Dorcas Murphy in addition to what I have heretofore given her, the sum of One Dollar. - 9<sup>th</sup> I give unto David Sights in addition to what I have heretofore given him, all the Land that I possess on the same side of the Creek that he now lives. - 10<sup>th</sup> I give unto my beloved wife Lydia Sellers all the rest of my land that I now possess or may possess between this & my death. Also all my negroes for her use and benefit during her widowhood, together with all my household and kitchen furniture, farming utensils, and all the stock of what kind soever, that I may be in possession of, at my death, and also what meat I may have in my smoke house at the time of my death. Should my wife Lydia Sellers marry again then I desire that she shall have the third of my stock, household and kitchen furniture, farming utensils, &c. - 11<sup>th</sup> The whole of my land and negroes that I may possess at my death I give unto my children begotten by my beloved wife Lydia Sellers, and after my wife's death, all the stock, household and kitchen furniture to be equally divided between & among them, notwithstanding I desire that my wife Lydia Sellers shall hold my household & kitchen furniture, farming utensils and the crop that may be growing, during her lifetime should she not marry again, but if she should, then she to have her third, and the children that I have begotten by her, to share the balance equally of said plantation. And I do hereby appoint Doctor Edmund Tibbott, Thomas Bowler & William Green my executors, hereby revoking all and every Will & Testament heretofore by me made, hereby ratifying this my last Will and Testament. I Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this first day of December in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and twenty seven.

Isam Sellers Seal

Signed, sealed, published & declared by the above named Isam Sellers to be his last Will & Testament in presence of us, who at his request and at his presence have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses to the same.

John H. Mullin  
Thomas B. Denton  
Joe Savage  
Thomas B. Denton  
Thos. H. Mullin  
Peggy Ann Tucker

This last Will and Testament of Isam Sellers deceased was produced in Court, and proved according to law, by the oaths of John H. Mullin, Peggy Ann Tucker and Thomas Denton subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded (see Order Book & page 321)

Attest Will D. Allison clerk

Wm J. Murray Will

In the Name of God Amen. Know all men by these presents that I William J. Murray of Henderson County & State of Kentucky being weak in body, but sound in mind and memory, do make this my last Will and Testament. - 1<sup>st</sup> It is my will & desire that all my just debts be paid. - 2<sup>nd</sup> I will bequeath to my nephew William A. Church two hundred & twenty five acres of land lying on Green River deeded to me by my Father, if he die before his mother the said land is then to go to her and her heirs, with the privilege also of his mother residing on and clearing the land if it be necessary during her lifetime. - 3<sup>rd</sup> I also give to my nephew William A. Church One Certain Bed & Bed & furniture belonging to it. - 4<sup>th</sup> Also One barrel mares & Colt to be kept by his Father for his benefit. - 5<sup>th</sup> I give to my sister Sarah Barralon three hundred Dollars in money to be paid by my executor in June 1838 out of my estate. - 6<sup>th</sup> I give five Dollars to my sister Mary M. Williamson. - 7<sup>th</sup> Also five Dollars to my sister Elizabeth H. Mullin. - 8<sup>th</sup> Also One Dollar to my sister Matilda Bader. - 9<sup>th</sup> It is my will & desire that the balance of my estate not already disposed of, if any, shall be equally divided between my sisters Susan Church & Sarah Barralon. - 10<sup>th</sup> I name & appoint Edward Jones and Samuel Church executors to this my last will & Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affix my seal this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1837.

Wm J. Murray  
Franklin Brown  
Joseph B. Griffin

William J. Murray Seal

This last Will and Testament of William J. Murray deceased was produced in Court, and proved in Open Court according to law, by the oaths of William Sanderson, Franklin Brown and Joseph B. Griffin subscribing witnesses, and ordered to be recorded (see Order Book & page 325)

Attest Will D. Allison clerk

Isam Sellers Will

In the Name of God Amen. I Barbara Sittler of the County of Henderson and State of Kentucky, being of sound & perfect mind, memory and understanding, but knowing from my advanced age, and the course of nature that I must shortly die, do make this my last Will & Testament, hereby revoking all & every other or former will or wills by me heretofore made, in manner & form following to wit: - First It is my will and desire that my body be in a decent and Christian like manner, and that all my just debts be paid may be done by me, at the time of my death. And also my funeral exp

Secondly, I give and bequeath to the heirs of my son Abram Sittler One Dollar worth. I give and bequeath to the heirs of my son Daniel Sittler One Dollar -  
 Thirdly, I give and bequeath to the heirs of my daughter Betsey Annan One Dollar -  
 Fourthly, I give and bequeath to the heirs of my son Joseph Sittler One Dollar -  
 Fifthly, I give and bequeath to my son Isaac Sittler One Dollar -  
 Sixthly, I give and bequeath to my grand son Isaac Sittler my Negro man slave John -  
 And lastly, I give, bequeath and devise all the real and residue of my Estate both real and personal in the state and elsewhere which I now have, possess or am entitled to, or which I may have, possess or be entitled to at the time of my death to my daughter Maria Ann Sittler during her natural life, and it is my will and desire, that my said daughter Maria A Sittler shall educate those of her children who are under age, and clothe them decently until they arrive at the age of 21 years or marry. And at the death of my said daughter Maria A Sittler it is my will and desire, And I do hereby give bequeath and devise all my Estate both real and personal (excepting the legacies bequeathed & devised herein before mentioned) to my grand children by my said daughter Maria A Sittler and Benjamin Sittler his husband namely Cordelia M Sittler, Elizabeth Sittler, Benjamin Sittler & Isaac Sittler to them & their heirs forever to be equally divided among them -  
 It is my will and desire that my said daughter Maria A Sittler shall have the use and Control of my Negro man John devised to my grand son Isaac Sittler, and my Negro boy Nicholas devised to my grand son Benjamin Sittler during her natural life, and at her death, the said Negro to go to the said Isaac Sittler & Benjamin Sittler to be divided -  
 It is further my will and desire that all my money left at my death after paying my funeral expenses and just debts, shall be laid out, in the purchase of negroes to be held by my said daughter Maria A Sittler during her natural life, and at her death, to be equally divided between my said grand children, Cordelia M, Elizabeth, Benjamin, and Isaac Sittler with the rest of my Estate herein before devised to them - It is further my will and desire that if any of my grand children should die, without leaving a child or children, then the portion of her that dying shall go to the surviving Brothers and Sisters and be equally divided them - I do hereby nominate and appoint my friend James Rouse executor of this my last will and Testament -

In testimony whereof I the said Barbara Sittler have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal in Henderson County this 5 day of April 1837.

Signed, sealed acknowledged & declared in presence of us  
 John D Ward  
 Thompson J Green  
 John A Chambers  
 Jas M Chambers

Barbara Sittler

State of Kentucky & Oct. 10 County Court 1837 -  
 Henderson County

This last Will and Testament of Barbara Sittler died was produced in Court, and proved according to law by the oath of John D Ward and Thompson J Green subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded (See Order Book A pages 327 & 332)

Attest M. D. Allison clk

I now being sick, but in my usual mind, I have bequeathed my property in the following manner: I do give to my son Thomas the said tract of land that he now lives on that was surveyed to him. I give to my son Edmond the said tract of land he now lives the line of said land beginning on a black oak, thence to a Post oak in the field thence due east to the line - I give unto my daughter Elizabeth and Jane and my grand daughter Jane Anne, the Manor dam tract of land to be equally divided between the three - I give unto my son Andrew sixty five acres of land Commencing at Green Ford Running with the Creek including forty five to the back line - in the Redd tract of land - I give unto my daughter Daphenia five Dollars - All my interest in the Cabin tract of land on the Christian Road in the barrens I give to my daughter Lucy with an equal part of property with the rest of the girls - From Edmonds line the middle space between that and Thomas line I give to my son Henderson with an agreement between Henderson and myself to divide the balance of the Redd tract and the home tract of land satisfactory between John Henderson and my son Henderson, I give unto my son Henderson and my son John Henderson all my farming tools, and all my stock and the present crop that growing and all the home hold and kitchen furniture, and the little wagon - my big wagon I give unto all my sons to be equally divided, I appoint my -

Witness Edward S. Padburn  
 A. B. Bailey

Micajah Hancock

State of Kentucky & Oct. 10 County Court 1837 -  
 Henderson County

This last Will and Testament of Micajah Hancock deceased was produced in Court, and proved in Open Court, according to law, by the oaths of Edward S. Padburn and Alexander B. Bailey subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded (See Order Book A page 330)

Attest M. D. Allison clk

W. N. Marshall  
 Will

In the Name of God Amen. I James W. Marshall of the County of Henderson and State of Kentucky, being of sound mind and disposing memory do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following - I devise and bequeath to my brother Bennett G. Marshall, my executor herein named, all my Estate real, personal and mixed, all my money, choses in action and every species of property whatsoever, In Trust to sell the same, to receive the money and collect the choses in action, and after the payment of all my just debts, to divide the proceeds arising from the sale of my said Estate and Collection of money equally between my son William B. Marshall and my beloved wife Mary B. Marshall with this proviso; however, that the said Bennett G. Marshall who is herein also appointed guardian of my son William B. Marshall, shall hold that portion of my Estate devised to my son William B. Marshall until my said son shall attain the age of twenty one years, I hereby constitute and appoint my brother Bennett G. Marshall guardian of my son William B. Marshall until my said son shall attain the age of twenty one years, and I hereby devise and bequeath to my said Brother Bennett G. Marshall all the Estate and property or the money arising from the sale of the same herein devised and bequeathed

Attest M. D. Allison clk