

In the name of God Amen

I Frederic Augustus Hays of
Lexington, Jefferson County Kentucky, being sick and weak in
body, but of perfect mind and memory, knowing that it is appointed
unto all men once to die, do make and ordain this my last
will and testament in the manner following Viz.

First - I commend my soul to him who gave it and my body to
the earth to be buried in a decent Christian manner, believing
that at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again
by the mighty power of God.

The worldly estate with which it hath pleased God to bless me
I give, demise and dispose of, as follows, my just debts being
paid - I give and bequeath to Mary Hurd, my dearly beloved
wife, the use and possession of all my earthly substance both
real and personal during her natural life.

At her decease it is my will and desire and I hereby give
and bequeath to my beloved sons, Frederic Augustus, William
and Henry one half each lot in Louisville known in the plan
of said town by number one hundred and seventy nine, lying
on Market Street, with the buildings thereon standing and
all the appurtenances and privileges thereto belonging. The
ground of said lot to be equally divided among them, each one
to have the same number of feet on Market Street, each one
to have the same width lengthwise of the lot, Frederic Augustus
to take his third on the West side of said lot, on which the
brick house now standing is situated.

to have the same width lengthwise of the lot, Frederic Augustus
to take his third on the West side of said lot, on which the
brick house now stands, William the middle third of said lot
with the wood building thereon standing and Henry the end third
on the East side of said lot with the buildings thereon -
To my beloved sons John and Francis Jacob I give and bequeath
equally to be equally divided between them the lot on which I now
live on Jefferson Street, it being the East half of a half acre lot
known on the plan of this town by number two hundred and
ninety two. All the remainder of my worldly estate I give and
bequeath equally to all my beloved children viz - to my daugh-
ter Catharine wife of William Reed, to Mary wife of John G
Schwing, to Elizabeth wife of Coleman Daniel and to my
sons Frederic Augustus, William, Henry, John and Francis Jacob
to be equally divided among them and by them equally and freely to
be possessed and enjoyed - And I do hereby appoint and constitute
William Reed, the husband of my daughter Catharine and John G
Schwing the husband of my daughter Mary, the Executors of this
my last will and testament and I do hereby disallow and revoke
all and every other former testament and will by me made and
ratify and confirm this as my last will and testament.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hands and seal the
1st day of January Anno Domini 1818

Signed, Sealed, Published and
Attested by the said Frederic Augustus
as his last will and testament in
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August Kaye Seal

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presence of each other have hereunto
subscribed our names

Witnessed to by Benjⁿ Hamilton
Benjamin Hamilton

August Kaye (Seal)

At a County held for Jefferson County in the State of Tennessee at the Court House in Louisville on the Eighth day of June 1871
The foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Frederick Augustus Hays deceased, was produced in Court and proved by the oaths of Benjamin Blair Thoms and Benjamin Wilson two of the subscribing witnesses thereto, to be the last will and testament of the said Frederick Augustus Hays deceased. And the same was by said Court ordered to be recorded, which is done accordingly.

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Warden Pope clk