

In the name of God Amen

I William Sparks of the County of Jefferson and State of Kentucky being in a perfect state of health and of a sound and memory, thanks be to God for the same. I do ordain and declare this my last will and testament in form and manner following: 1. Item. It is my will, desire that my just debts, funeral expences be paid. 2. Item. I give and bequeath to my loved wife Morning Sparks my plantation with sufficient timber for her support during her life, also two feather beds and furniture, also two heifers and ~~one~~ ^{one} more with a bawled face. Also all my kitchen furniture, also my flock of sheep.

3. Item I do give to my son Hampton Sparks the tract of land where he now lives, containing of sixty two acres.

4. Item. I do give to my son Ephraim Sparks the tract of land where Meeten Pain now lives containing one hundred and two acres.

4. Item I do give to my son David Sparks the balance of my land where I now live, containing one hundred and fifty one acres also one one calf.

5. Item. I do give to my daughter Fanny One pided filly.

6. Item. I do give to my daughter Nancy one cow and calf.

7. Item. It is my desire that at the death of my widow, all the rest of my property should be equally divided among my daughters. I do hereby ordain and appoint my son Hampton Sparks and my son in law Rowland Hampton my whole and sole Ex^r to this last will and testament.

I do give to my daughter Nancy one cord and calf
of Item. It is my desire that at the death of my widow, all
the rest of my property should be equally divided among my
daughters. I do hereby ordain and appoint my son Wam-
ton Sparks and my son in law Rowland Hampton my whole
and sole Ex^r to this this last will and testament.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hands and
seal this 18th day of November Eighteen hundred and twenty two

Attest. Signed Sealed, delivered in the presence of
William Sparks

John Brown
Joseph Wilhoite
William Briggs
mark

State of Kentucky

At a County Court held for Jefferson County
in the State aforesaid at the Court house in Louisville on the
24th day of April 1823.

The within instrument of writing was pro-
duced in Court and proved to be the last will and testament
of William Sparks dec^d by the oath of John Brown and Joseph
Wilhoite subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be re-
corded and is recorded in my Office

Attest
Morden Pope Clerk