

Robert
Will
In the name of God Amen I Thomas Roberts of the County of Bedford
do make and Ordain this my last Will & Testament my just debt being first paid
dispose of my Estate as followeth I Item I give to sons Richard & James and their heirs
for ever Three hundred and Forty Eight Acres Land where on they now live to be
Equally divided by mining a Line Between them each keeping the part there on
also one Acre with two Acres of Land adjoining being part of the said Tract they
live on they grinding Toll Free for my son John Roberts and their Mothers family
as long as they keep said Mill I Item I give my daughter Elizabeth a Mill
Rhoday Maryann Fanny one Heifer and one Ewe each I Item I give to my
son Daniel a Mare bay named Ann and Young Mare of Ten Pounds Spence
Value one Cow Wolf and Ewe Lamb one sow & Pigg my Bridle Saddle and
the Tract of Land I now live on After his mothers death or Weddinhoad being his
full share of my Estate and to his heirs for ever I Item I give to my Grandson
Ole Smith one Horse of Eight pounds Value I Item I give to my son
Thomas five pounds The remainder of my Estate I Land to my dear beloved
Wife Christian during her life and after her death with this proviso that she maint-
ain my Children until they come of Age or Marries and do not waste
the Estate and should any waste be Comitted or any such Articles be going to
Destruction I hereby Authorise my Executor hereafter mentioned to dispose of such Articles
or Articles and the money divided as hereafter mentioned I Item I give to my daughter
Elizabeth Smith and her son Ole one Eight part of my Estate that I have lent my

Thomas five pounds, The remainder of my Estate I lend to my dear beloved
Wife Christian during Life or Widowhood with this power that she maint-
ain my Children untill they come of Age or Marries and do not waste
the Estate, and should any waste be Committed or any article or Articles be going to
destruction I hereby Authorise my Executors hereafter mentioned to dispose of such Articles
or Articles and the money divided as hereafter mentioned I give to my daughter
Elizabeth Trenitt and her son Ole one Eighth part of my Estate that I have lent my
Wife after her death or Widowhood I then give the remainder of my Estate to the
Equally divided Between my sons & Daughters as follows the Viz John Rich, James
Willy Rhoda Mannann & Tanny and thed. Yours forever The Land whereon my son
John Lives I have already given him I Appoint my Wife Christian my son John and
Richard my Executors as Wines my hand this Twentieth Third day of August one
Thousand seven hundred & Eighty After his Mathers or Widowhood was Interlined before
Signed also during life or Widowhood

Thomas Lemphier

William Gandle

William ^{his} Whalley
marked

Thomas Roberts

The Court held for Bedford County the 26th day of March 1788
This last Will and Testament of Thomas Roberts declared was proved by the oaths of
Thomas Lemphier and William Whalley Witnesses thereto Subscribed and Ordained

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to be recorded and on the relation of Christian Roberts and John Roberts two of
 The Executors herein named who made Oath there to Certificate is granted them for
 obtaining said Oath in due form giving security whereupon they together with
 Francis Tharp their security swore to and acknowledged their Bonds in the
 penalty of Two hundred Thousand pounds for the said Executor due and faithful
 Administration of the said decedent's Estate and performance of his Will
 Liberty being reserved to the other Executor therein named to join in the Oath
 thereof when he shall think fit

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Teste Joseph Greer Esq

Greer's
Will

In the name of God Amen Joseph Greer of Bedford County being in
 perfect soundness of mind & memory & calling to mind that all flesh must submit to
 death do make this my last Will & Testament Viz I Bequeath my soul to God who
 gave it and my body to the Earth to be Buried in a decent manner at the discretion of
 my Executor in Shure and certain Hope of the Resurrection at the last day through
 the merits of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ as for my worldly Estate with which
 God has graciously been pleased to bless me I dispose of as follows Viz
 Item my will is that my just share to my son Thomas Greer and as for the rest
 of my Estate both real & personal shall be Equally divided amongst
 all my Children after all my just debts & funeral Charges is justly paid
 and I do hereby Institute and appoint my Beloved Wife Anna my my
 True and Lawfull Executor of this my last Will and Testament Witnessing
 all Other have heard unto set my hand & seal in the said