

427

Sam^l McElhany

Wife

Exhume

In the Name of God Amen I Samuel McElhany Jun^r of Botetourt
County State of Virginia being Perfect Health of Body & of Perfect Mind
& Memory thanks be given unto God blessing unto Me the Mortality
of My Body & Knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to die
do make & ordain this My Last Will and Testament that is to
Say principally and first of all I give and recommend My Soul
into the Hands of Almighty God that gave it & My Body to be
buried to Earth I Give to My beloved wife Robert McElhany the
Land that is now in My possession where on I now live and
\$1. Robert McElhany to give unto My Sister Mary McElhany Jun^r
Dollar in good State all so to My Sister James to give her Twenty
Dollar in good State after My decease I give unto My two of My
Grand children that is to say Ann McElhany and Melly McElhany
one bow and Bead Each of them I also give unto Robert McElhany
all My Cannon Utensels & all the Kitchen Furniture & House
Furniture & all the Stock that is to say Cattle & Hogs & Sheep
all so give unto My Sister Isabella Twenty Cents and I also
give unto two of My Sisters that is to say Rachel Lumber

Botetourt County, Virginia Wills, 1824-1829

www.virginiapioneers.net

Married Mary Ann Sholan 1824

Married Woot my sholen blame of Land to be devised Equal
I confirming this & no other to be my Last will and Testament
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this
2nd Day of November 1829.

Signed Sealed Published
Promounced & Declared By the SA Samuel M McElhany Senior
as his Last will and Testament in the presence of us who
in this presence & in the presence of each other have hereunto

Subscribed our names
Henry Snider

Botetourt County, Virginia Wills, 1824-1829
www.virginiapioneers.net

Samuel M McElhany
Mark

Samuel M McElhany Junr
Nancy x McElhany

At Botetourt December Court 1829

This Instrument of writing purporting to be the Last will and
Testament of Samuel M McElhany dec^d was exhibited in Court and
proved by the oaths of Henry Snider and Samuel M McElhany Junr
being witnesses thereto and thereupon ordered to be recorded

W C D