

Witness In the name of God Amen January the fourteenth one thousand
Will I own hundred & seventy five I William Ashburn of Chesterfield County
being weak in Body but sound in mind & memory thanks be to the
Almighty God for the same now calling to mind that I am to die
I do make & declare this my last Will & Testament in manner &
form following First I recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty
God who gave it hoping to be eternally happy through the Merits of
the Lord Jesus Christ who died for me & the Good which God
has been pleased to bless me with I give as follows

Item I give & bequeath to my loving Wife Mary Ashburn my
Plantation whereon I now live during her Life in Virginia also
I give & bequeath to my loving Wife one Negro man Hampton & one

Plantation whereon I now live during her life or Widowhood also
I give & bequeath to my loving Wife one Negro man Hampton & one
Negro woman Hannah, & one Negro Girl Selena Quung her natural
Life or Widowhood

Item my will is that after the Death of my Wife or Widowhood that my
Plantation & two Negroes Hampton & Frank shall be to my son William All his
Age my will is that my grand son Enock shall have my
Plantation when he comes to Age to him & his Heirs forever

Item I give & bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Barman one Negro
Girl Lotia due to her & her Heirs forever also I give to my Daughter Sarah
Barman one Negro woman named Hannah after my Wifes Death
to her & her Heirs forever

Item I give & bequeath to my Daughter Obedience Farmer one Negro

And with Doll to her to the Slaves of her Body forever

Item I give & bequeath to my Daughter Mary to or after my Wife Death
one Negro Girl called Salome to her to the Slaves of her Body forever

Item my Will is that if either of my Daughters should die before they have
these Negroes in possession, that the Negro or Negroes to fall to my Son
William Ashers

Item I give & bequeath to my Son William Ashers my great Table & a great
Iron bed & bedstead & a great new Pot & Kettle to himself his Heirs forever also my
Will is that my Son William Ashers shall have the Negro Boy Frank at
my Death

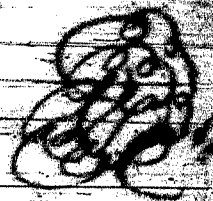
Item my Will is that there shall be sold of my House - Tools - Furniture in
Stock as much as will pay my Debts by the Executors my Will is that after
the Death of my Wife the Remainder of my Estate shall be equally divided

Stock as much as will pay my debts by the Executors my Will is that after
the death of my Wife the Remains of my Estate shall be equally divided
by the Executors between my Son William Adkins & my grand son Ebenezer
Adkins

Item I appoint & ordain my Son William Adkins & my son in Law to be
the Executors of this my last Will & Testament

Item my Will is that my Estate shall ^{not} be appraised In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand & seal
In presence of us

William Adkins



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Daniel Freeman

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