

In the Name of God Amen I Thomas Stewart
of the County of Dinwiddie being sick in body
but in perfect sense & memory do make and Ordain
this my last Will & Testament in manner and form
following, hereby revoking all other Wills heretofore
made -

Item I give to my Daughter Molly one
dollar to her she heirs forever - - - - -

Item I give to my daughter Sally twenty five
pounds to her she heirs forever - - - - -

Item I give to my Son James one dollar to him
this heirs forever I also give to ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~deceased~~ ^{deceased} daughter Labtha one dollar
to them & their heirs forever - - - - -

Item I give to my Son William fifty pounds to him
and his heirs forever - - - - -

Item I give & bequeath to my Son Armstrong
the Land plantation whereon I now live
together with the five following named Negroes
& their increase Peter Miles Jerry little Dinah and
little Frank also two Beds & furniture and four
horses such as he may choose all which I give
unto him and his heirs forever - - - - -

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Item I give & bequeath to my son Armistead
the land & plantation whereon I now live
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Item I give unto my son Joseph two negroes Bob and
Ben - my young filly and one horse next chosen after
Armistead's choice - I also give to my grandson Richard
son of Joseph one Negro boy named ~~William~~ all which

against the Claim of all those who may in any
wise Claim under me

Item My Will & desire is that the Old place where
I formerly lived should be sold & the profits
& one moiety of the profits to be given to my son
John at the discretion of my Executors or as they may
from time to time think that my said son may
need & at his decease if any remaining my
will & desire that it should be given to his
Children -

Item My Will and desire is that my Executors should
find the following boys ~~to~~ school two years
each, whom I have emancipated in a preceding
Clause of this my last Will & then bound to form
good trade -

Item My Will and desire is that the Children of
my son John should be schooled three years
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Lastly I nominate & appoint Peter Robinson Joseph
Harding and Henry Cousins Executors of this my

Last Will & Testament Wishing and desiring that the
Court should require no security nor bond for the
performance of their trust. & that in all matters
of Controversy touching the premises my Executors
shall be at liberty to have a decision by reference
if possible. In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and seal this 22nd September 1804

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published in signed
presence of

Thomas Stewart

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Daniel Elder

Dolly. B. Jacke.

The Last Will & Testament
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