

In the name of God Amen I John Cusle King of Elizabeth City County and State of Virginia being Sick and weak in body but thanks be to almighty God am in perfect senses and sound and memory Revoking all other wills made or said to be made by me do constitute and ordain this to be my last will and Testament in manner and form following -

- first I lend to my loving wife Elizabeth King all my Estate Real and personal for and during the term of her natural life or widowhood and if in case my wife should marry then and in that case I only lend her one third of all my Estate Real and personal for and during the term of her natural life -
- secondly I give and bequeath to my son John Cusle King at my wifes death my houses and lands whereon I now live containing by Estimate one hundred and three acres be the same more or less to him and his heirs for ever -
- thirdly I give and bequeath to my two Children namely Hannah Herbert King and John Cusle King at my wifes marriage two thirds of all my personal Estate to be Equally divided between them ^{they} ~~as~~ come of age or marry and after my wifes death I give all my personal Estate to be Equally divided between my two Children before named -
- fourthly my further will and desire is that my Negro man will be sold immediately after my decease and the money arising from the sale of him to purchase another negro or Negroes which said negro or negroes purchased with the money rising from the sale of said negro will I give to my daughter Hannah Herbert King and her heirs for ever -
- fifthly I give and bequeath to Each of my Children one hundred pound to be put upon interest untill they come of age or marry
- sixthly and lastly I nominate and appoint my loving wife Elizabeth King and my friend Samuel Watts Executors to this my last will and Testament. in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal the 28th of January one thousand Eight hundred -
- Signed Sealed and acknowledged in presence of

John C. King Seal

Laure Herbert

Mary Herbert
William King - &

John C. Kings

Will

dated the 20th of January 1800.

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