

On the name of God amen I Stephen Wood doth bring unto you  
 of perfect mind and memory, and calling to mind the mortality of  
 body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, Do make  
 and ordain this my last will and Testament and first it is my Desire  
 that all my just Debts shalbe paid, and then it is my Desire  
 that my Beloved wife Ann Wood, shalbe keep and Enjoy the place  
 place I now live on, also one Negro man Sep., and one Negro  
 Woman Lucy, and feather bedstead and furniture and two and half  
 and Pean Horse and all my sheep, two sons and swine Shoots, all my  
 Powder Pots and Gun Knives and forks Belde my wheels and fards  
 and all my plantation tools, and at her Death or married to be  
 Equally Divided among my children Nancy Ferguson Susannah  
 Grace Stephen Wood just Frankly Chambers (and my Daughter  
 Smiths three children Betsy Law John Smith and Stephen  
 Smith) to keep and Enjoy one sixth part of the above property to  
 them and their heirs for ever, and my Daughter Polly Ross Lee  
 her five children Sarah Ross Thomas Ross Elizabeth Ross David  
 Ross and Nancy Ross to keep and Enjoy one sixth part of the above  
 property to them and their heirs for ever; it is to be understood that  
 my children above named is Each to keep and Enjoy one sixth  
 part of the above property to them and their heirs for ever, and  
 the Land James Williamson now lies on to be laid off Beginning  
 on William Cockran line at the mouth of s<sup>o</sup> Williamson's Spring  
 Branch and set the same as it meanders to his spring and  
 straight on to Michael Hulles line thence to Robert Basley line  
 and along the same to the Beginning I give to said James Williamson  
 to him and his heirs for ever, and all the rest of my Estate to be  
 Equally Divid Beloved my children Betsy Law Nancy Ferguson  
 Susanna Grace Samuel Wood Stephen Wood just Frankly Chambers  
 and one Eighth part of s<sup>o</sup> property to be Divid Between my  
 two Grand children Betsy Law John Smith and Stephen Smith to  
 them and their heirs for ever, I also give to my five Grand  
 children Sarah Ross Thomas Ross Elizabeth Ross David Ross  
 and Nancy Ross one Eighth part of the s<sup>o</sup> property to be Divid  
 Equally amongst them to them and their heirs for ever I also  
 appoint Stephen Wood and Moses Gray just Executors to this  
 my last Will and Testament Ratifying and Confirming the  
 and no other to be my last will and Testament in any

Attest and set my hand and seal this 21 Day of Feb 1815  
Signed and sealed in the presence of *Stephens Wood Jr.*  
Test  
Michael Hults  
Owen Hults  
Robert Pasley Jr.

At a Court held for Franklin County May 1<sup>st</sup> 1815

This last Will and Testament of Stephen Wood Jr.  
deceased was proved by the oath of Michael Hults and Robert  
Pasley Jr two witnesses hereunto and ordered to be recorded. And  
on the motion of Moses Green Jr and Stephen Wood the  
Executors herein named who made oath as the Law directs  
and together with Benjamin Booth and Purwell Law  
their securities entered into and acknowledged their Bond  
in Penality of four Thousand Dollars conditioned as the  
Law directs, certificate is granted them for obtaining a  
Probate in due form.

Teste, Caleb Hale, C. J. H.

Woodall A List of Slaves belonging to the Estate of John  
Sahur Woodall Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1815.

Ex List of Slaves  
1 Negro man named Phill about 27 years of age  
1 Negro Woman named Sally about 50 years of age  
1 Negro Woman named Minna about 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> years of age  
This day I, Josiah D. Dickinson Administrator with the  
Will annexed of John Woodall, dec came before me  
and made oath that the above is a true list of Slaves  
belonging to the Estate of John Woodall Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1815  
under my hand this 8<sup>th</sup> day of June 1816.

Robert Jones J.P.

At a Court held for Franklin County June 6<sup>th</sup> 1816.

This list of the Slaves belonging to the Estate  
of John Woodall deceased, was returned and ordered to be  
recorded.

Teste, Caleb Hale, C. J. H.