

Teste J. P. P. 6/6.

In the name of God, Amen. I John Smith of the County of Spotsylvania being weak of body but of perfect mind and memory, thanks be to God for the same, and calling to mind that it is appointed for Man to die; do make and ordain this to be my last Will and Testament in manner and form as followeth. I lend to my loving wife Nancy Smith the use of all my Lands and Plantations now in my possession (together with that in the possession of my sister Sally Smith at her death or marriage) all my Negroes, Stock of all kinds, crops of all kinds, Household, and Kitchen furniture, one riding Chair, Cast^d and all my ^{one} Plantation utensils, though subject to a division to each of my children as they arrive at such an age or marry as hereafter devised; provided my said wife will keep my children and raise them till they come of age or marry; and School my three ~~my three~~ youngest namely, Frances Ann, Rachel and Littleton Smith's without charge out of the profits arising from the above property during her natural life or widowhood.

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Item I give and bequeath to my son David A. Smith to be
possessed of the same Jan 1st the first One Thousand Eight
hundred and Ten the Land and Plantation I had of my
brother William Smith, one Negro man named Charles,
one hundred pounds Current Money of Virginia, one Bellows
Trilley, four Cows and Calves, one yoke of Steers, and one
Bed and furniture to him and his heirs for ever.

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Rebecca Batts
what I have before given her viz One Negro Man named
Simon, one Negro girl named Jenny, one Bed and furniture,
one

20/ one Chest, one Trunk, three Cows and Calves, six head of Sheep, one
Saddle and Bridle, Knives, forks, Dishcloth, and one Jonah Colt
which is now in my possession to her and her heirs for ever.
Item I give and bequeath to my son John Smith to be possessed of
the same January One Thousand Eight Hundred and fourteen, the
Plantation whereon my Sister Sally Smith now lives, should
she die or marry prior to that time, one Negro Man named
Daniel formerly William Smiths) One hundred pounds Current
Money of Virginia, one Buzzard Colt, four Cows and Calves, one
yoke of Steers, and one Bed and Furniture, to him and his heirs
for ever. Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Frances
Ann Smith to be possessed of the same when she comes of
Age or Marries One Negro Girl named Isabella, one Horse,
four Cows & Calves, one yoke of Steers, and one Bed and
Furniture to her and her heirs forever. Item I give
and bequeath to my son Hartwell Smith to be possessed of the
same January One Thousand Eight hundred and twenty two; my
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Hall, one hundred pounds Current Money of Virginia, one Horse,
four Cows and calves, one yoke of Steers, one Bed and furniture
to him and his heirs forever. Item I give and bequeath
to my son Littleton Smith to be possessed of the same January
the first One Thousand Eight hundred and twenty seven, the
Land and plantation whereon I now live, one negro girl
named Betty, one horse, four Cows and calves, one yoke
of Steers, and one Bed and furniture to him and his heirs forever.
Item - It is my Will and desire that at the death or marriage of
my said Wife Nancy Smith that all the residue of my Estate
(not before disposed of) be equally divided between my five
children namely David, John, Frances, Ann, Martinell,
and Littleton Smiths to them and their heirs for ever.
Lastly It is my Will and desire that my Estate be not
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making void all former Wills by me made. In
witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal

this Twenty seventh day of August One Thousand Eight hundred and Sixty.
Signed sealed and acknowledged
in presence of us -

John Smith (L.S.)

Wm. Mearns; Edmund Loftin
Howell Jones

Greenville October 6th 1806. This Will was proved according to
Law by Edmund Loftin and Howell Jones witnesses thereto and
ordered to be recorded And on the Motion of David R. Smith
the Executor therein named who made oath thereto and
acknowledged Bond with approved Surety conditioned as
the Law directs Certificate was granted him for obtain-
ing a probate thereof in due form W^{te} P. P. Ham Esq.

D^r The Estate of John Adams dec^d. in Account with John
Robinson Administrator.

To my own Account against the Estate	L 2	7
" paid the Sheriff of Greene Co as p ^r Receipt	" 7	9
" paid said Sheriff as p ^r Ditto	1	4 5
" paid Joshua C. Lundy, ditto	" 12	5