

To Samuel Williams

In the name of God amen I Daniel Price of the County of Halifax being perfectly in my senses and memory do make, ordain and publish the following my last will and Testament. Viz^t I bequeath to my daughter Sarah Ann Recker, a negro girl that I have hitherto bene her, by the name of Melly, and her increase during her natural life and after her death the said negro Melly and her increase to be equally divided among such children as my said daughter has now or may have hereafter, and it is my will that my Trustees hereafter named shall have the management of the said slave Melly and her increase so that they be kept together for the use of my said daughter and her children during her life and then divided equally among her said children as before directed. Item I give to my son Samuel one negro boy by the name of Harry, to him and his heirs forever. Item I give to my son William Price one negro boy by the name of Pyall to him and his heirs forever. Item I give to my son Daniel Price one negro boy by the name of Patrick to him and his heirs forever. Item I give to my son John Price one negro boy by the name of Charles to him and his heirs forever. Item I give to my daughter Lydia Price two negro girls by the name of Hannah & Elany, to her and her heirs forever. Item I give to my daughter Anne O. Price, two negro girls, by the name of Bloss and Luddy, to her and her heirs forever. It is my will that the specific legacies given to my children shall be delivered to them on their marriage or coming of lawful age. Item I leave to my beloved wife Lydia Price all the rest and residue of my estate for her support, and for the support of children during the life or widowhood of my said wife and if my said wife should marry again in that case all such estate that I have left her for the purpose above mentioned shall be given up to my Trustees and they shall

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divided equally among her said children as before directed. Item I give to my son Samuel one negro boy
by the name of Mary, to him and his heirs forever, Item I give to my son William Price one negro
boy by the name of Payell to him and his heirs forever. Item I give to my son Daniel Price one
negro boy by the name of Patuck to him and his heirs forever. Item I give to my son John Price one
negro boy by the name of Charles to him and his heirs forever. Item I give to my daughter Sydia
Price two negro girls by the name of Mannah & Clary, to her and her heirs forever. Item I give to my
daughter Anne O. Price, two negro girls, by the name of Blow and Luddy, to her and her heirs forever.
It is my will that the specific legacies given to my children shall be delivered to them
on their marriage or coming of lawfull age. Item I leave to my beloved wife Sydia Price all the
out and residue of my estate for her support and the support of my children during the life or widowhood of my
said wife and if my said wife should marry again in that case all such estate that I have left her for
the purposes above mentioned shall be given up to my trustees and kept together untill my son John Price
comes of lawfull age and then to be equally divided among all my children. But it is to be understood
that if my said wife does not marry that she is to have the use of the estate given her during her life and
it is also my will that the part that should fall to my daughter Mannah Booth, be kept by
my trustees for the use of my said daughter and her children during her life and then to be equally
divided among her said children. It is also my will that if any of the negroes given to my
children should die before they become possessed of them that my wife or my trustees hereafter named shall
give to such child or children a negro of good value out of the slaves given for wives and maidens for the purpose of

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raising my children. It is my desire that my son Samuel Price have the largest share called his, and it is also my desire
that each of my sons and daughters shall have a share of the same value or near as the circumstances of my
estate as they may require of age that is if the estate is in a situation to spare them, except my
daughter Hannah Porter who has already had her share. Having the highest confidence in my beloved wife
Lydia Price and my brothers William Price and William Price also my friend John Morris I do
hereby appoint them my executors and administrators of this my last will and Testament. In
Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 3^d day of March 1804.

Signed and sealed in
the presence of

J. Scott, William Miller, Nathaniel Jones

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Daniel Price L.S.

At a Court held for Halifax County the 27th day of February 1804.

The within written Last will and Testament of Daniel Price deceased, was exhibited in Court and sworn
by the oath of two of the witnesses thereto subscribed and agreed to be recorded.

Teste, John Wimbush C. H. C.

Truly Recorded

Teste

Samuel Williams C. H. C.