

Charles Taylor sub

Joseph Cooper In the name of God Amen I Joseph Cooper of the County
of Montgomery and State of Virginia being weak of body but of perfect
mind and memory and calling to mind the uncertainty of life and that
it is appointed once for all men to die therefore I make Ordain constitute
and appoint this to be my last will and Testament in manner following.

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That I do give and bequeath of all I now possess my soul to God that give it
and my body to the earth trusting and believing that through the complete
satisfaction of Jesus Christ I shall receive the same at the great and general
resurrection and what worldly goods it hath been pleased God to bless me with
I give and bequeath of in manner following I give that all my just and
lawful debts paid out of my personal estate I then I give and bequeath
to my dear and well beloved wife Mary Cooper my plantation now lying in

1200) her life and also her bow and there increase she is to dispose of
yearly and also to have the household furniture and after her ^{decease} ~~decease~~ and
bequeath to my daughter Labont Harmon the ~~effluent plantation~~ ^{plantation}

the ~~care~~ ^{care} of her body after her decease and also to maintain her mother
of said plantation and she is also to pay to her brother Joseph Copher
Twenty pounds when ~~it~~ ^{it} shall come due and bequeath to my daughter
Christina Stobaugh my tract of land which she now living on and to the

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care of her body after her decease and also my personal property is to be
Equally divided between Joseph and John Copher and Labont Harmon

Lastly I appoint Joseph Copher and John my two sons to be my true and
lawful Executors of this my last will and Testament hereby revoking and
disannulling and making void all other will heretofore made only hereby

ratifying and confirming this only and alone to be my last will and
Testament In witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this twentieth
day of October One thousand Eight hundred and thirty seven

present of us

Jacob Hornberger

William Heaven

Edward Heaven

Joseph C. Bishop Seal

At Montgomery March Court 1806,

This last Will and Testament of Joseph Copley Deceased was Exhibited
in Court and proven by the Oaths of Jacob Hornberger and William
Heaven two of the witnesses thereto subscribed and thereupon Ordered
to be recorded And on the motion of John Copley one of the Executors
therein named, who made Oath and entered into and acknowledged
Bond with Surety according to Law Certificate is granted him for
obtaining a probate thereof in due form

John Charles Taylor Sec