

John Brady, as one of the parents, that I John Brady of the County of Chesapeake, and State of Virginia, do this day make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following

1st It is my will and desire, that after the payment of all my just debts, and funeral expenses, my wife Ann N. Brady, shall have the whole of my Estate personal and real, during her natural life, and that from the proceeds of the Estate, she, the 3^d Ann N. Brady, support and educate all the minor children (the boys until they attain to the age of 21 years, and the girls until they marry -

2nd It is my will, that neither the Land, nor slaves, above bequeathed to my wife, nor any of the increase of the slaves, shall be liable for any debt whatsoever, created by my wife or any member of my family, during the lifetime of my widow, but desire that they shall enjoy the proceeds of 5th property

3rd It is my will that my sister, Catherine Brady shall remain in my family, after my decease, and have a home as she has done during my life

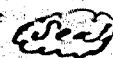
4th In the event of my wife ~~decease~~ before our youngest child attain to the age of 21 years, it is my will that the estate be kept together, as the my wife were living, until the youngest child is of full age

5th It is my will, that at the death of my wife, or if her death occur before our youngest child is of age, when that child becomes of age, that all my Estate both Real & Personal, except my slaves, shall be sold, and the proceeds equally divided among all my children

6th It is my will that my slaves, at the time of the sale of my other property, shall be equally divided among all my children

7th It is my will that any sale made by any of my children of any interest they (he or she) may have in my Estate prior to a final distribution, shall be null & void.

I hereby appoint (my son & Albert Brady, Perry J. Eggborn and B. G. Goring, Esq.
of this my last will & Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed my seal this 5th day of April 1855

John Brady 

Signed, Sealed & delivered in presence
of us whose names are hereunto sub-
scribed as witnesses at the request
of the testator -

George W. Fletcher

Jas H. Browning

In the County Court of Rappahannock County 9th Jan'y 1860 -

This paper purporting to be the last will & testament of John Brady deceased
was this day produced to the court and proved by the oaths of George W. Fletcher
and Jas H. Browning the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded
date

Edward J. Jan. CC pro tem.

And in the County Court of Rappahannock County 9th day of Jan'y 1860

On the motion of Albert Brady one of the executors named in the
last will of John Brady deceased which was duly proved and recorded
at January term last the said court and together with William
William Charles Green and William B. Brady his executor (who
justifies as such by the sufficiency) entered into an order
to give a bond in the sum of Twenty thousand dollars
to return in the last term, certificate is granted herefor