

Will

Wm^d Walker

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In the name of god amen

County and state of Virginia calling

to be the mortality of my body, as appointed for all

men since to do make this my last will and Testament, that

in principle and first of all, I recommend my soul to god who gave it,

my body to the earth, to be buried in a christian like manner

by my country, and as touching what worldly goods it hath pleased god

to bless me with in this life, I will and dispose of in manner following

Viz, I will and bequeath unto my son William Walker the plantation

that I now live in, containing two hundred and twenty one acres be

the same more or less, with all buildings, orchards, &c. to him his heirs

~~I have the liberty of my body, as I have appointed for all~~

and since to do so, make this my last will and Testament, that

firstly, and first of all, I recommend my soul to god who gave it,

and my body to the earth, to be buried in a christian like manner

by my minister, and as touching what worldly goods I have pleased god

to bless me with in this life, I will and dispose of in manner following

Viz, I will and bequeath unto my son William Walter the plantation

that I now live in, containing two hundred and twenty one acres be

the same more or less, with all buildings, orchards &c to him his heirs

or assigns forever. And I will and bequeath unto my ^{dearest} beloved wife her

man and child, all the household furniture, ^{clothes} ^{bedclothes} ^{and} ^{all} ^{the} ^{rest} ^{of} ^{my} ^{estate} ^{and} ^{all} ^{the} ^{rest} ^{of} ^{my} ^{estate} ^{and} ^{all} ^{the} ^{rest} ^{of} ^{my} ^{estate}

also the negro wench named Philos. during her natural life, and what
the said wench has is to be at the sole disposal of my ^{3d} wife being only

the time ^{3d} wench has during my ^{3d} wifes natural life likewise what
money may be on hand, and accounts due to me is also to be for the use of

my said wife except the sum of forty five pounds that my son William

is owing me and eight pounds that my son Alex^r is owing me

It is my will and I order my negro wench Philos after my wifes

death to be sold and one moiety of her price for my son Joseph & the other to

be equally divided between the children of my son John Walker Dec^d

It is my will and I order that the remainder of my estate after
my funeral expenses and lawful debts are discharged be equally divided

between my son Joseph Alex^r Isaac Samuel Andrew and William and my

daughters Maria Hannah and Margaret Parker and the children of my son

that I have on earth part of the said number of my
divided between them and the same to be divided equally between the children of
my daughter Jean Traugh and as herely constitute and appoint my
eldest wife, Margaret & my sons Joseph and Alexander executors of this my last

will and testament and do hereby revoke all other wills and testaments by me
heretofore made dictating this my last will and testament
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty seventh day of March
one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven

In Witness
John Walker

- John Walker
- John Lambert
- John Vassett
- James Schuchman

Witnessing and attesting the last will and testament of John Walker
this 27th day of March 1797

that I do hereby bequeath the whole and undivided part of the said remainder of my estate equally
divided between them and the same to be divided equally between the children of
my daughter Joan Brough and as lawfully constitute and appoint my
beloved wife Hannah and my sons Joseph and Alexander sole executors of this my last
will and testament and do hereby revoke all other wills and testaments by me
heretofore made dictating this my last will and testament In Witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty seventh day of March
the thirteenth year hundred and ninety seven

John Walker

John Lambert

John Black

James Schuchert

John Walker

Witnessed before me the third day of October 1797

James Schuchert

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my daughter Jean Langh second as truly constitute and appoint my

beloved wife Margaret & my sons Joseph and Alexander the executors of this my last

will and testament and do hereby revoke all other wills and testaments by me

heretofore made declaring this my last will and testament In Witness

whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty seventh day of March

one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven

John

John Walker

John Lambert

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James Schickel

John Walker 23

Witnessed before me this twenty seventh day of October 1797

I am willing to certify the last will and testament of John Walker

as being the last will and testament of John Walker

as being the last will and testament of John Walker

John Larnach & John Howard Subscribing witnesses and Clerk to the
Record
Jesse A. Reed Esq.

In the name of god amen

I being of sound mind and memory and also considering
my declining state of health but of sound mind and memory and also considering
the mortal state of man in this life do think it necessary to settle my
temporal concerns in manner following to wit First I direct that my body
may be decently buried at the discretion of my executor herein after named
that all just claims against my estate may be settled and paid

John Lambert & John Stuart Subscribing witness and ordered to

Record

John A. Reed Esq.

In the name of god amen

I Henry Miller of Rockbridge county and state of Virginia being in a
beginning state of health but of sound mind and memory and also considering

the mortal state of man in this life do think it necessary to settle my
temporal concerns in manner following viz First I decree that my body

may be decently buried at the discretion of my executor hereinafter named

and further that all just claims against my estate may be settled and paid

out within such time as shall be