

Will

In the name of God amen I Robert McFarland

Robert H. Farland
Deceased

of the County of Rockbridge and state Virginia being in a low

and made of health but of sound mind and memory thanks be to

god for the same do make this my last will and testament

in the manner and form as followeth (Viz) I recommend

my soul to god who give it and my body to the earth to

be buried in a decent Christian manner at the discretion

of my Executors hereafter mentioned and as to my worldly

estate whereof it has pleased god to bless me with I

bequeath in the following manner after all my

lawfull debts are paid I leave unto my wife Ester Mc

Farland one Negro which named Silvy and her increase

all to be disposed of at her death as she may think fit

as also one of the land

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first my children I leave Robert Martha James and Ben-
jamin each the sum of five shillings Starling I leave
unto my daughter Lettis and Easter the sum of five shil-
lings Starling I leave unto my son William McFarlin
that part of the land I now live on (Viz) Beginning at John
Mathews line and Running up the several courses of the
creek to the mouth of a hollow opposite to the end of my
house and up the several courses of the same to Thomas
Weches land also all the meadow land upon the north
side of the creek to him his heirs or assigns forever also one
Negro boy named Jonas to him his heirs or assigns I leave
I leave to my son Thomas McFarlin the remainder of
my land to him his heirs and assigns forever also ^{one} negro

Boy named George to him his heirs or assigns also
one silver near stem I leave unto my daughter Rachel
one negro girl named Dinah and ^{her increase} to her her heirs or
assigns also one silver horse and saddle. Leather bed and
furniture Two Mich cow six sheep one chest two pewter
dishes and six plates one set of knives and forks stem
I leave unto my daughter Rebecca one negro girl
^{and her increase} named Phoebe, to her her heirs or assigns and the remain-
der of my movable Estate to be dispose of as my
son Thomas may see fit and I do hereby constitute
and appoint my two sons William and Thomas M^r
further Executors of this my last will and testament
In witness hereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal the last day of February one thousand seven

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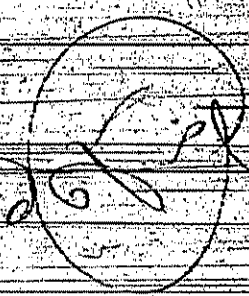
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faithful Executors of this my last will and testament
In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this Solemnth day of February one thousand seven
hundred and ninety two for and Entered before signed
and sealed

67 Signed Sealed also pronounced and declared to be the last will
and testament of Robert M^r farland in the presents of ~~us~~

David Comminson

James Wilson

Thomas Welch

Robert M^r farland 

At a Court held for Rockbridge County the sixth day of
February 1798-

The foregoing Writing purporting the last
will and Testament of Robert M^r farland dec^d was produced in
Court by Thomas M^r farland one of the Executors therein named
& ~~produced~~ by the oath of David Comminson James Wilson
& Thomas Welch subscribing Witnesses and ordered to be recorded
And on the motion of said Executors who made oath
according to Law Certificate is granted him & returning

According to Law Certificate is granted him for obtaining
probate thereof in due form he having with James Wilson
& Thomas Welch his Securi entered into & acknowledged bond
in the sum of two thousand Dollars conditioned according
to Law () Teste A. Reid Clerk

In the name of God Amen Being of an Infirmitie state
of health but of a sound mind and memory calling to mind
the mortality of the body knowing it is appointed vice for
all men so we do recommend my soul into the hands of

in the sum of two thousand Dollars conditioned according
to Law (S S S)

Teste A. Reid C.R.

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the mortality of the body knowing it is appointed once for
all men to die do recommend my soul into the hands of
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body to the earth to be buried in a Christian like manner and

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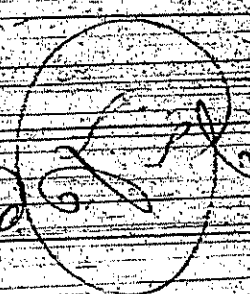
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son Thomas may see fit and I do hereby constitute
and appoint my two sons William and Thomas M^r
faithful Executors of this my last will and testament
In witness hereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this fiftenth Day of February one thousand seven

one sword near them I leave unto my daughter
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son Thomas may see fit and I do hereby constitute
and appoint my two sons William and Thomas Mc-
farlin Executors of this my last will and testament
In witness hereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal the sixteenth day of February one thousand seven
hundred and ninety two persons Entered before signed

67 signed sealed and pronounced and declared to be the last will
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of health but of a sound mind and memory Calling to mind
the mortality of the body knowing it is appointed once for
all men to die do recommend my soul into the hands of
almighty god from whom it derived its Existence my

in the sum of two thousand Dollars conditioned according
to Law (20)

Teste *Agd*
Reid CB

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