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Scott
In the name of God Amen the Twenty Fourth Day of
March in the year of our Lord 1795 I Thomas Scott of Rockbridge County and state of Virginia
being sick and weak in Body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God therefore
calling to mind the mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to Die do
make and ordain this my last will and Testament that is to say principally and first of all I give
and recommend my soul into the Hands of Almighty God that gave it nothing doubting but at the General
Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty Power of God and my Body I recommend to the Earth
to be buried in decent Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors and as touching such
such worldly worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me in this life I give demise
and dispose of the same in the following manner and form First I order and it is my will that all
my just Debts and funeral charges be paid by my Executors Inprimis I give and bequeath
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continues a widow I allow it during her life. Item, I give & bequeath to my son Andrew Scott twenty
shillings Current Money having given him his proportionable share already. Item, I give and
bequeath unto my two Daughters Sarah and Margaret what Land I have located by William
Glendon on the western waters to be equally divided between them to them their Heirs and assigns
forever and a Horse saddle and Bridle and Bed and Cloathing. Item I give and bequeath unto
my son John a Plantation containing by Patent one hundred Acres adjoining the Land I have
located on allowing the Creek that comes from Samuel Backs to be the line Between him and his
Brethren Smiths except at the Spring that John and make use of I allow John a passage

to the spring by the Creek of a pole wide and a pole wide all round the spring
with the land between the line of the 100 acres above mentioned and the creek from the lower end
of it to Valentine Millers line being being part of a Tract of Land I bought from Joseph
Brown and Fifty acres by Partent lying on the East side of the above mentioned 100 acres to him
to him his Heirs and assigns forever as the above mentioned 100 acres is now contested in law and if it
should be lost or any part of it to me or any of my Heirs I allow him an equal share of the
main of my Land that I possess in Buckbridge County to be divided by themselves if they
can agree but if they cannot it is to be divided by men to be chosen by themselves to him his
Heirs and assigns forever. Item I give and bequeath unto my son William Harrison Scott a
Plantation lying in Augusta County on the waters Buchanan's Mill Creek containing about
three hundred Acres to him his Heirs and assigns forever. Item I give and bequeath unto
my son Smith the Land I possess in this County on the west side of the Creek that

runs by my Door except the Cave before the Door and an ~~adjoining~~ ^{adjoining} it from the Creek to
him his Heirs and assigns forever - Item I give and bequeath unto my ^{son} Thomas the remainder
of my Land on the East side of the Creek together with the Cave and an acre round it on the
west side of the Creek to him his Heirs and assigns forever - Further I order and it is my will that
if my Executor thinks ^{proper} that the remainder of my moveable Estate be laid out the purchase
of slaves to be kept on the plantation whereon I now live till my son Thomas arrives to twenty
^{one} years of age and their labour to go to the schooling and support of the family till that
time then afterwards as soon as can be done the slaves and their increase if any is to be equally
divided between my four youngest sons John, William, Harrison, Smith and Thomas - Further
I order and it is my will if any of my four youngest sons should die before they arrive
to twenty one years of age their share or shares shall be equally divided amongst the survivors of
of these last mentioned four - Lastly I do make and constitute and appoint my
Beloved wife Sarah ~~Executor~~ and

of my Land on the East side of the Creek together with the Cove and all above bound it on the
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Beloved wife Sarah Greenleaf and my son John together with my Brothers in law

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William Henley Executor of this my last will and Testament and I do ^{heartily} ~~utterly~~
^{solemnly and} ~~Revoke~~ Disallow and ~~deny~~ ^{disallow} ~~any~~ ^{other} ~~former~~ Wills Testaments Legacies and Bequests by me in any
ways before named willed and bequeathed Votifying and Confirming this and no other to be
my last will and ~~and~~ Testament - In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and
seal the Day and year above written.

Signed Sealed Published pronounced and
Declared by the said Thomas Scott as his
last Will and Testament in the presence
of us the Subscribers

John Houston

Hugh Wilson

Andrew Harper

Thos Scott

Be it known to all men by these presents that I Thomas Scott of Rockbridge County
and state of Virginia have made and declared my last will and Testament in writing bearing
date the Twenty fourth Day of March 1795 the said Thomas Scott by this present ^{last} ~~last~~

do ~~ratify~~ and confirm my said ^{last} will and Testament and bequeath unto my
two Daughters Sarah and Margarett Scott their living and maintenance ^{on} any of my plan-
tations that they shall chose while they live single but ~~to~~ as soon as they shall get married
and to my Beloved wife make the use of my Negro wench Lucy and her child Bon during
her life if she remains a widow and at her Death or marriage the said two Negroes and the increase of
Lucy if any more is to be equally divided between my four youngest sons or the survivors of them
according to my last will and Testament and my will and meaning is that this Court should
be adjudged to be Part and Parcel of my last will and Testament and that all things there-
in mentioned and contained be faithfully and truly performed and as fully and amply
in every Respect as if the same were so declared and set down in my said Last will and Testa-
ment. Witness my hand this this Sixteenth Day of October 1796

Present
John Thornton
Walter Currie

Tho^t Scott

At a Court held for Rockbridge County February 7th 1797

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and to my Beloved wife Sarah the use of my Negroe wench Lucy and her child. But if during
her life she remains a widow, and at her Decease or marriage the said two Negroes and the increase of
Lucy (if any more) is to be equally divided between my four youngest sons or the survivors of them
according to my last will and Testament and my will and meaning is that the Court should
be adjudged to be part and parcel of my last will and Testament and that all things there-
in mentioned and contained be faithfully and truly performed and as fully and amply
in every respect as if the same were so declared and set down in my said last will and Testa-
ment. Witness my hand this nineteenth Day of October 1796

Witness
John Houston
Walter Currie

Thos. Scott

At a Court held for Rockbridge County, February 7th 1797

This Writing purporting the last will and Testament of Thomas
Scott deceased with the last testament annexed was proved in Court by Sarah Scott

executors of John Scott and Wm Henry Cross Thomas ~~James~~ ^{and} proved by the Sub-

scribing witnesses thereto and Obed to be Recorded and on the motion of said ~~executors~~ ^{who} ~~made~~

Order According to Law Certificate ~~is granted~~ ^{is granted} there for obtaining probate ^{thereof} in due form

they having with John Huston & John David ^{their securities entered into and} acknowledged bond in the Sum of \$2000

Conditioned According to Law

Teste A. Reid Tob.

Be It Remembered by all whom it may concern that Elisabeth

Gloyd of the County of Rockbridge state of Virginia, Being in a low ^{state} of health but sound of

memory and Judgment do dispose of my worldly Effects in the manner following Viz,

Item I bequeath to my son James Gloyd my Black Colt two years Old Last spring &

now on the premises Item I do bequeath to my son Joseph my Bay Colt Folded