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William

In the name of God amen
I Michael Baker of Rockingham
and State of Virginia. being in a
-ling State of Health of body and
Perfect mind and Memory but
to mind that it is appointed for
Man Once to die, Have Thought
Expedient to make and make
my last Will and Testament
in manner and form following
And first I give and bequeath to
beloved wife Elizabeth my Home
Plantations, That is all the
enjoying that I now have or
with all the stock and money
partly on the same to

Joseph arrives at the age of seventeen
years (Reserving to my beloved wife
Elizabeth the privilege to disincumber
herself of the said charge at any time
before that period she shall think

proper) Secondly I give and bequeath
to my two sons Henry & John my house
lots lands and slaughter House and lots
in Georgetown State of Maryland to
gether with all the appurtenances
thereunto belonging or in any wise
appertaining to them and their heirs
forever also my Store in Rockingham
County Virginia to use occupy improve
and enjoy until my Youngest Son

Joseph arrives at the age of seventeen
years (without interest on the amount
of the same, it having been first
appraised, then to put the amount
of the appraisement of said Store
to Interest for the use of my afore-
said Son Joseph until he shall

arrive at the age of twenty one years

Thereunto belonging or in any wise
appertaining to them and their heirs
forever also my Store in Rockingham
County Virginia to use occupy improve
and enjoy until my Youngest Son
Joseph arrives at the age of Seventeen
years (without interest on the amount
of the same, it having been first
appraised, then to put the amount
of the appraisement of said Store
to Interest for the use of my afore-
said Son Joseph until he shall
arrive at the age two and four years
thence, I gave to my son Michael
One certain Tract or parcel of
Land containing four Hundred
acres more or less lying in Green
Spring County Virginia Estimated
by me at Eight Hundred Dollars
to him, and his heirs forever
to have and to hold unto him

my said son Michael shall at
The age of twenty four years and
my said wife and Executors shall
Think proper to give him Possession
and when he shall arrive at the
aforesaid age of twenty four years
or be put into Possession of the aforesaid
said Land by my wife & Executors
That my said wife and Executors
furnish him with one Hundred
Dollars to enable him my said son
Michael to stock his land and
begin farming) out of which
and money my said son Michael
shall pay to my Executors the
sum of one thousand Dollars when
Youngest son Joseph shall arrive
at the age of Twenty one years
Fourthly I give to my said son
Abraham and Isaac all my land
on the Western waters in the

that my said wife and I should
furnish him with one Hundred
Specie to enable him my said
Michael to stock his land and
begin farming) out of which
and money my said son Michael
shall pay to my Executors the
sum of one Thousand Dollars when
Youngest Son Joseph shall be
at the age of Twenty One Years
Fourthly I give to my said son
Abraham and Isaac all my land
on the Western Waters in the
County of Starnated at forty
Hundred acres more or less to
equally divided between them
to be received when they shall be
-actively alive at the age of
twentyfour years at which
They shall have free and
possession to them and

of a Thirty pounds Benjamin was
ready to each, to each, was to be
their share, being or at any time
after they shall arrive at the age
of twentyfour years if my wife and
I consent shall think it proper,
and if said Land (when valued
which valuation shall take
place when Jacob shall arrive
at the age of Twentyfour years or
be put into possession by my wife
and I consent in place of their
respective arriving at at the
said age of twentyfour years) and
the money above mentioned shall
not amount to two thousand Dollars
to each my sons Jacob Abraham &
Isaac the Deficiency to be made good
out of my other Estates when sold
And that it is my will and

at the age of twentyfour years or
to put into possession by my wife
and daughters in peace of their
respective arising at at the
same age of twentyfour years) and
the money above mentioned shall
not amount to two thousand Dollars
to each my Sons Jacob Abraham &
Isaac the Deficiency To be made good
out of my Other Estate who sold
Fifthly) it is my will and
bequeath that when my son Joseph
shall arrive at the age of
seventeen years, my Son and
all my Other moveable Estate
shall be sold in the Court and the
proceeds of the same be paid to Elizabeth,
my daughter at publick Sale and

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to my dear children, Elizabeth
Elizabeth and Sarah two of my
dearest daughters, I have
to them and their heirs for
Sixthly I decree and Order
That Out of Side of this apprais
land and property my Executors
put so much money Out as they
shall bring so much interest
as shall be sufficient to keep
maintain my beloved wife Elizabeth
comfortably and gently during
natural life, and seventh I
decree and Order that the Remains
all moneys belonging or in any
appertaining to my said Estate
to be Divided equally amongst
my children except so much
shall make my son Joseph
two thousand Dollars before the
equal Distribution is made and

but so much money Out an Interest
shall bring so much interest you
as shall be sufficient to keep me
maintain my beloved wife Elizabeth
comfortably and gently during my
natural life, and I desire that the Remains
all moneys belonging or in any
appertaining to my said Estate
to be Divided equally amongst
my children Joseph so much
shall make my son Joseph
two thousand Dollars before the
equal Distribution is made, and
also my beloved wife Elizabeth shall
have before my son Joseph arrives
The age of seventeen all the afore said
and movable Property to be sold and the
after her management and the money
to Interest until my son Joseph be
the age of seventeen I want so
is desired to be given to my

being secreted and in case any of my
children should die without lawfully
I wish their part to be equally divided
amongst the surviving part of this
+ more and Lastly I constitute and
appoint my son John and son in law
Jacob Claypole Executors of this my
last will and Testament renouncing
all and every other will and Testa-
+ ment be made Heretofore made or pro-
+ nounced Decreeing this and this
Only to be my last will and Testa-
+ ment In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal this
Tenth Day of January One Thousand
Eight Hundred and One in the
Twentyfifth year of Commonwealth
Signed and Pronounced
and Declared in Presence
of
And Shaukein
Michael Baker

now read declaring this and this
Oath to be my last will and Testa-
ment In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal this
Tenth Day of January A.D. Thousand
Eight Hundred and One in the
Twentyfifth year of Commonwealth

Signed and Pronounced
and Declared in Presence { Michael Baker ^{Seal}

And Shanklin
George Dove
Richard Luster

I Michael Baker of the County of
Rockingham and State of Virginia
being in Law State of Mind but of
perfect mind and memory do
make and Declare this and this
testament or last will to be the
same in my foregoing last will

at my House in Buckingham County
left in full and Management of
Sons Henry and John I was desirous
Occasion to be in the Care of John and
Michael my Sons to be kept by their
Or either of them where it may be
Long as them or either of them shall
live at home with their Mother
untill my son Joseph arrives at the
age of Seventeen as mentioned in
Other will, The profits arise there of
to be for the use of the family or
Secondary it is my Desire and will
that my son Jacob shall not be
put in full possession so as to see
Convey the land left him in my
aforesaid will untill he arrives at
The age of Thirty five unless my
Executors with the advice of my
beloved wife and other good friends
should think it Proper, This I do
in manner, voice and desire that the

untill my son Joseph arrives at the
age of Seventeen as mentioned in
Other will, The profits arise thereof
to be for the use of the family, and
Secondly it is my Desire and will
That my son Jacob shall not be
put in full possession so as to see
Convey the land left him in my
aforesaid will untill he arrives at
The age of Thirty five unless my
Executors with the advice of my
beloved wife and other good friends
should think it proper, Thirdly it
is now my will and desire that the
money by my aforesaid will to be
to Interest for the use of my son Jacob
be taken to purchase a Section
Land in the Western Country, and
much as shall make him
with the rest of my son Jacob
as it can be done.

giving vice and lastly I order my
Executors to take Fifty Pounds out
of my said miscellany Part and give
to Jane son to Catherine Fuch if my
said son should not marry the said
Catherine Fuch before the Distri-
bution of my said Estate, in
Witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this twen-
tyseventh day of November in the
Year of Lord one Thousand eight
Hundred and Threes-
signed sealed pronounced
acknowledged and
Delivered in Presence of

Michael Baker

And Shannein
Richard Luster
John Folk
Richard Hughes

Rockingham December Court 1805

The last will and Testament
of Michael Baker deceased was

Hand and Throat
signed said pronouned
acknowledged and
Received in presence of

Michael Baker

Amos Shanklin
Richard Luster
John Tolk
Richard Hughes

Rockingham December Court 1804

The last will and Testament
of Michael Baker deceased was
Presented in Court and proven by
The Oaths of Amos Shanklin
Richard Luster John Tolk and
Richard Hughes the witnesses

This was ordered to be proved
Rockingham March Court 1804 Test J. Williams C. J.
On the motion of John Baker and Jacob Kappala Exors
of Michael Baker decd. who made oath thereto and with sworn
affidavit under a certain sealed bond in \$150.00 and with
affidavit of the witnesses as granted them for Othman