

Teste L. M. Williams

In the Name of God Amen, I Thomas
Williamson of Rockingham County and State
of Virginia being weak in body but of sound
mind and memory, and coming to mind the
mortality of my body and knowing that it is
appointed for all men once to die do make and
ordain constitute and appoint this my last
will and Testament thus my last will and
Testament first and principally I humbly recommend
my soul to god who gave it and my body
to the earth from whence it came to be born
in a decent and Christian like manner
at the discretion of my executors and call
to mind such worldly goods and Chattels
it hath pleased god to bless me with in this
life I dispose of the same in the following
manner to wit. I give and bequeath to my
beloved wife Elizabeth the whole of my
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plantation ^{whereon} we now Live for and during
the term of time untill my youngest Child
shall arrive to the Age of twenty one Ye-
I give and bequeath unto her the

my household and kitchen
furniture my old Mashed Mene and all my
farming tools and utensils of every kind and
the one third part of the price of my land when
it is to be sold her to have use thereof as
long as she shall live but at her death
the principal that she so receives to
return to my child or children as I shall
hereafter direct, I give and bequeath to my
loving son William Mc Cleary Robison Wil-
son one young Bull & filly one year
old foal the equal half of my plantation
whereon I now live he paying there for unto
his three Sisters each the sum of eighty three
dollars & thirty three Cents, One smooth rifle
gun & for which he is to give unto his brother
John when he arrives to the age of twenty one
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heirs and assigns forever, I give to my daughter
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Jane McCleary Williamson the sum of one
hundred sixty six dollars and sixty six dollars
out of the price of my land that I leave to my
two sons and the one full third part
of a small tract of land of twenty seven
acres that I shall hereby direct to be sold
that is to say of the principal thereof to be

I give to my dear
the same to be paid in the same manner
same persons (that I give to her sister Jane
I give to my daughter Nancy Williamson the same
as to one of my above named daughters to be paid to
said persons, I give to my loving son John Williamson
the one equal half of my plantation with his
brother William, he paying therefor his sisters the
sum of Eighty three dollars and thirty three Cents
each his heirs and assigns forever. I order and
direct all the other part of my personal estate
not by me hereby ~~written~~ to be sold by my executors
by public sale and the monies arising therefrom
to be applied in paying off all my just debts
which I have legally contracted and funeral
expences and if any overplus to be paid to my
wife and to retain of my goods of every kind
what she thinks will be wanting for the use of
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what she thinks will be wanting for the use
of the family. I order and direct my executors to the
sale of the 27 Acres tract of Land as soon as
will be in their power for the best price that they
can get and put the Money out to interest and
the interest to be paid by them to her in Order to
assist her in schooling and raising my Child
as soon as my youngest Child will be
to age it is then I direct my executors
whereon we now have a mortgage.

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long as she shall live but at her death to re-
turn to my said two sons the said principal
sum of and my said sons to pay unto their sisters
what I have above allotted to them in two years
after my youngest Child Comes of Age, paying
the eldest first and so on to pay of one sister
each two years, all this I expect will be done
carefully and performed by my Loving wife
and my trusty friend William Beard, whom I do
hereby appoint my whole and sole executor to
this my last will and testament, My waggon Cover
and chery two pair of geers, I direct to be sold
I direct my Ex^{rs} to make title to the purchaser
or purchasers of the 27 Acres tract of Land when
the same is paid for if in Case any of my Children
should die before they marry or Come to Age then
in that Case I direct their part to go and be
equally divided among those that survive, ratify

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this and no other to be my last will and Testament
In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this 14th day of June 1800
Signed Sealed published and pronounced
as and for his last will and testament
in our presents who have subscribed
the same in his presence.

Geo. Huston

Thomas Williamson