

In the Name of God Amen I James Nelson jun^r of the Spotsylvania County being sick & weak of Body but of sound sense and Memory do make this my last will and Testament as follows
 Item I Give the use of my two Negroes Court, Hovey & Venise to my Father and Mother James & Elvannah Nelson or the survivor of them during their or either of their lives and at the Death of my Father and Mother: I will that the said two Negroes descend to my brothers and sister John Nelson, Joseph Nelson & Mary Ann Nelson and to their heirs forever

Item I give to my Brother William Nelson and Benjamin Nelson two Negroes to wit, Queen & Jack all my household Furniture & the like of every kind and all and every other Part of my Estate whatsoever not herein before specified they paying all my Just Debts. I appoint my said Brother William & Benjamin Nelson Executors to this my Will. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Twenty sixth day of May one thousand seven hundred and sixty four

Signed sealed and Delivered by the said James Nelson as and for his last Will and Testament In Presence of

James Nelson jun^r

Gerard Banks

William Pennold

At a Court held for Spotsylvania County on Monday July the second 1764,
 The last will and Testament of James Nelson jun^r being Exhibited into Court by William Nelson and Benjamin Nelson Executors therein named, and was proved by the oaths of Gerard Banks, and William Pennold witnesses thereto and ordered to be Recorded, and the said Executors took the usual oath and gave bond with Bland Ballard and Thomas Reeves Sureties for their true and faithfull administration of the said Decedents Estate, and performance of his will

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Inventory of the Estate of James Nelson Dec'd

To 2 Hogs	£ 10 0
To 2 Sheep	0 12 0
To 1 Deer	0 0 0
To 1 Boyall	1 10 0
To 1 Bull Tattel	1 10 0
To 1 Common Razer Brosh	0 2 0
To 6 Brosh	1 0 0
To 1 Well of Desk Mountain	1 0 0
To 1 Case of Nathamalluca Instruments	0 10 0
To 2 Razors & Bone of a Trap	0 0 0
To 1 pair of Shoes & Stock ditto 2 Pairs	1 0 0
To 1 Gold Ring	0 10 0
To 1 Box of Cartridges	0 1 0
To wearing Apparel	7 16 6
To 1 Looking Glass & 2 um old Pictures	1 10 0
To 1 Chest and Trunk	0 17 6
To 1 Gun and Load and Carriage Box of Harpersden	0 17 6
To a parcel of Delf Ware	0 10 0
To 2 Glass Vials	0 1 0
To a parcel of Pewter	1 10 0
To a parcel of old Trumpets	0 7 0
To 1 Box Iron of 1 Gun King Iron	0 7 6
To 1 Tea Kettle	0 7 6
To 1 old Table and 2 Chairs	0 12 0
To 1 Saddle & Bridle of Housing	0 12 6
To 3 Iron Pots of 1 frying Pan Saddle & 1 Messforks	1 11 6
To 1 Bench	0 1 0
To 1 Chest of 20 years Tools	10 0 0
To 1 Horse	2 0 0
To a parcel of old Iron	0 10 0
To 1 Bed and Furniture	10 0 0
To 1 Dr	4 1 0
To 1 old Bed and Furniture	0 15 0
To 1 Spinning wheel	0 5 0
To 1 old Hair	0 0 0
To 2 um old Wooden Ware	0 3 0
To 1 Negro Wench Lusen of Child	70 0 0
To 1st. Iron Chains and Laine	0 10 0
To 3 head of Cattle	4 10 0
To 4 Gees	0 10 0
To 1 Negro Man Moses	60 0 0

To 1 square walnut Table	£ 10 5 0
To a parcel of Toy new Tools	0 10 0
To 1 shirt	0 12 6
To 1 Dutch Blanket	0 7 6
To 1 Negro wench Venus & Child	25 0 0
To Fuzz of Stone Pott	0 5 0

August 27th 1764

William Nelson Esq^r

Benj^r Nelson

Thomas Haydon

Joseph Stewart

William Feaglin

A Court held for Washington County on Monday Septem^r
ber the 3rd 1764. This Inventory of the Estate of James Nelson
Deceased being returned it is ordered to be Recorded

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John Waller Esq^r