

Margaret Campbell
Campbell
In the Name of God Amen. I Margaret Campbell of the County of Washington Augusta County being through the abundant Mercy and Goodness of God, altho' weak in Body yet of sound and perfect Understanding and Memory, do constitute this my last Will and Testament, and desire it to be received by all as such.

Will

Imprimis I most humbly bequeath my Soul to God my Maker beseeching his most gracious acceptance of it thro' the all sufficient Merits and Mediation of my most compassionate Redeemer Jesus Christ. I give my Body to the Earth from whence it was taken in full assurance of its Resurrection from thence at the last day. As for my Burial, I desire it may be decent, at the direction of my Executors hereafter named. And whereas my aforesaid Husband Charles Campbell, did by his last Will and Testament constitute and appoint me sole Executrix of his said last Will and Testament leaving certain Tracts of Land and a part of his property, to be disposed of at my Discretion. I do therefore in conformity to the intent of the said Deceased Will, make the following Dividends among my Children: Item I give and bequeath to my son William Campbell a Tract of Land on a branch of the North Fork of Holston River, containing three hundred and thirty acres and known by the name of the Great Buffalo-Lick. To each of my Daughters Elizabeth Taylor, Jean Tate, Margaret Campbell, and Anne Poston the sum of one hundred pounds, to be raised from a bond due to me from my son William Campbell, unless the same be by him paid to my self before my demise. I also bequeath to my Daughter Anne Poston a tract of Land lying on the North side of the North Fork of Holston River containing one hundred and twenty acres and known by the name of the Indian Camp, but should my said Daughter, Anne, die without heirs of her body, I then direct the said one hundred and twenty acres of Land to be sold and the Money arising from the sale thereof to be equally divided among my surviving Children. I also bequeath to my said Daughter, Anne three cows and three Calves; the remainder of the Stocks of Cattle and Horses I bequeath to my son William Campbell. I also hereby direct and empower my Executors to sell a Tract of Land lying on the North Fork of Holston known by the Name of the Buffalo-Cow Bottom, and containing one hundred and twenty acres; also three hundred acres part of a Tract of six hundred and eighty acres lying on Chestnut Creek, a branch of the said River and belonging to the Estates of Col^o James Patton Col^o John Buchanan and my late Husband Charles Campbell, and to apply the Money arising from the sale of the said Lands to the payment of all my just Debts and those of my son William Campbell, which were by him contracted before the first Day of January one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven and the Balance if any remain to be equally divided among my said Daughters. I do hereby constitute and appoint my son William Campbell and son in Law Arthur Campbell Executors of this my Last Will and Testament, empowering them or any one of them to make titles in fee simple for the Lands herein directed to be sold also to Hugh Jarbet and Alexander Mitchell or their assigns for a Tract of Land lying in Augusta County in two surveys both containing six hundred and fourteen acres in as full and ample a manner as the nature of the Cave may require. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the thirteenth Day of October, and in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven.

Signed sealed and declared
in presence of
Patrick Campbell Senr.
James Davis
John Campbell Jr.
Robert Campbell
Margaret M Campbell
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At a Court held for Washington County March 15th 1781
This last Will and Testament of Margaret Campbell deceased was read in Court and proved by the Oaths of Patrick Campbell John Campbell & Robert Campbell Jurors for the said Margaret Campbell deceased.