

Respectfully I James Barber of the
 of Clarke County and State
 aforesaid being weak in body but of
 sound and disposing mind and memory
 do make Ordains publish and declare this
 to be my last Will and Testament hereby
 revoking all former Wills by and hereafter
 made

Item 1st I Commend my soul to God who
 gave it / my body to my family / friends
 to be buried in a plain decent manner.

Item 2nd I Wish all my just debts first paid

Item 3rd I Will and bequeath to the children
 of my dear friend Barber now with him
 of hereafter born One Hundred Acres of land
 at my former place

Item 4th I Will and bequeath to the children
 of my daughter Cynthia Barber twenty
 acres of land where she and they now live

Item 5th I Will and bequeath to the children
 of Charles McIlwain / my daughter Jimmy
 fifteen twenty acres of land where
 they now live.

Item 6th I Will and bequeath to my beloved
 Wife Pamelia Barber all the rest of
 my lands / the dwellings during this
 life and as much furniture and
 stock &c as she may need to render
 her comfortable and also as much
 provisions as she wants.

Item 7th I Wish my dear son James Barber
 to remain with my wife during her
 life / take care of her if provided he does
 as I Will & bequeath to him a good
 horse saddle & bridle.

Item 8th It is my Will that all my just debts
 properly set herein before named and
 not necessary to the comfort of my
 wife be paid in the usual credit of
 twelve months, my debts paid and
 the balance put out at interest as

Nov 8th I wish Peter jr Put to Remain with
myself during his life as his slave to wait
upon Mrs. Vesper to be sold,
Nov 9th It is my Will that at the death of
my Wife the Residue of my Estate both
Real & Personal to both, and with the
Residue thereof and have divided amongst
my Children & Grand Children then or
left without any & let any exceptions as
the law would divide it had I no Will
Nov 10th I hereby nominate constitute and
appoint my son Griffin Barber and my
friend Simeon A. Miller Executors to the
my last Will and Testament,

In Testimony Whereof I
have hereunto set my Hand & Seal this
seventeenth day of August 1842

Signed Sealed
Published acknowledged
delivered & declared in
presence of
Lester Lester James B. Barber
William Brubaker Mark
John Calm Johnson

George
of Clarke County
Court of Ordinary
Regular Term
September 6th 1847

Personally appeared
in Open Court Lester Lester, William
Brubaker and John Calm Johnson
the subscribing witnesses to the within
and foregoing Will of James Barber
Deceased who in said deposed and
said that they are said Deceased's
and said said instrument was

10 I have acknowledged the same to
 his last Will and Testament, that
 they signed the same as witnesses in the
 presence of each other and the presence
 of the Testator, and that the Testator
 was of sound and perfect mind
 and memory at the time of so doing
 I have to in spirit to your Sister
 Court of ~~West~~ ^{West} ~~Brud~~ ^{Brud} ~~ling~~ ^{ling}
 John M. Jackson, John C. Linn, John C. Linn.

Whereupon it is Ordered by the
 Court that the within Will and
 probate be Recorded in Books of
 the Court. September Term 1847