

The Last will & Testament of Joseph Maddox and

Georgia

Putnam County

For the name of god. Amen, I Joseph Maddox of the State and County aforesaid being in my perfect senses and calling to mind the mortality of my body do make this my last will and testament in manner hereunto as follows.

First of all I give my soul to god that gave it and my body to its mother dust to be buried in Christian like manner. at the disposition of my Executors. Item my desire is that the portion of land on which I live and two negroes Alexander & Rose his wife shall be for a home and for the use of my wife Elizabeth Maddox & all my children that are not married as long as they continue single or till the youngest child any of age. I desire the equally divided between my wife Elizabeth Maddox and all my children that have not married.

Item my desire is that all the rest of my property both real and personal with what I have given off to my children be thrown in to one common stock and appraised by Isaac Morland Abner Lewis Henry Brankham John Trippe & Alexander Mc Donald and divided into equal shares lots and a then drawn for by my wife and all my children. I do also appoint Isaac Morland & Alexander Mc Donald my Executors to this my last will and testament in witness whereof I have signed it my hand and seal this 21st day of July 1823

Test
Thomas Rogers
John Robinson

Joseph Maddox

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The within will was duly proven in open Court by Thos Rogers & John Robinson Subscribing Witnesses to the same so far as regards the personal property this 4th day of August 1823

Thos Rogers