

Georgia } In the name of God Amen. I John Wilson, of said state and
 Warren County Georgia, being of advanced age, and knowing that I must shortly
 depart from this world, it right and proper both as respects myself and
 my family, that I should make a disposition of the property with which
 a kind Providence has blessed me. I therefore make this my last Will and
 Testament hereby revoking and annulling all others, heretofore made by me.
 Item first. I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and
 christian like manner suitable to my circumstances and condition.
 My soul I trust shall return to meet with God who gave it as I hope for
 eternal salvation through the blessed Lord and Savior Jesus Christ who
 religion. I have professed and as I hereunto trust engaged for many years.
 Item second. I give and bequeath to the heirs of my son David Wilson
 what property I have already put him ~~by~~ them in possession of and also
 one negro woman Mariak and her increase; and no other part or portion
 of my estate are they to be entitled to.

Item third: Whereas the property to wit. two negro slaves Jacob and Mon-
 thair I have intended for the support and benefit of my daughter Sarah
 Scott I will to John Scott in trust for the sole and separate use of my
 daughter Sarah Scott during her natural life and not to be controlled
 by her husband William Scott nor subjects to his debts or any future
 contract he may make. That the said slaves to be hired out or otherwise
 employed yearly and the neat proceeds to be paid over to her the said
 Sarah Scott by John Scott the trustee before named; and at the death
 of my daughter Sarah Scott the said negro slaves I give and bequeath
 to her three youngest sons To wit John William and Henry Scott.

Item fourth: I give and bequeath to my son Elias Wilson a negro
 man Randle and a tract of land lying in Lee county and my blacksmith
 tools in addition to what I have already given him.

Item fifth: I give and bequeath to my daughter Rebecca Brane and her
 children the following negro slaves to wit. Emily a woman and her increase
 Toby a man and Allen a boy and after the death of my daughter Rebecca
 Brane the aforementioned negro slaves to be equally divided between her children.

Item sixth. I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Wilson
 a negro woman Fanny to be at her disposal at her death. I also give her the
 following negro slaves To wit. Anderson a man Jerry a man Mike a boy
 and Caroline a girl. I also give my daughter Elizabeth all my Cle and Land
 lying in the county of Columbia on the west side of the Todd branch to
 cultivate and also the privilege of the timber on my wood land lying on
 the west side of said Todd branch for necessary uses during her life provided
 however that my said daughter Elizabeth should die without issue
 then the said negroes to wit. Anderson Jerry Mike and Caroline together
 with the land aforementioned revert back to and become a part of my

estate and be divided equally between my following heirs to wit Sarah
Scott and her children Elias Wilson, Rebecca Crane and her children,
and Joel Wilson. Warren County, Georgia Wills 1829-1852
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I also give my daughter Elizabeth such other property as I have already
put her in possession of.

Item Seventh: I give and bequeath to my son Joel Wilson the
profits or proceeds arising from the sale of a negro man Tony and such
other property as I have already put him in possession of.

Item Eighth: The balance of my land lying in the county of Columbia
on the east side of the Tada branch and all my unwilled property cash
on hand notes accounts goods chattels and effects what ~~ever~~ after my
just debts being paid to be sold divided and equally distributed amongst
my following children to wit Sarah Scott and her children Elias Wilson
Rebecca Crane and her children and Joel Wilson.

Item ninth I nominate and appoint my son Elias Wilson and my
Friend Nicholas C. Bacon Executors to this my last will and Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the
Twenty fourth day of April 1846.

Signed sealed and declared
in presence of us who in his
presence and the presence
of each other subscribed as
witnesses.

John ^{his} Wilson (L.S.)
mark

John F. Johnson
Marion Joy
Nicholas C. Bacon

Georgia } you Nicholas C. Bacon & John F. Johnson do swear
Warren County } that you saw the within named John Wilson sign
by making his mark, seal, publish & declare the within instrument
of writing to be & contain his last will & testament and that at the
time thereof he was of sound & disposing mind & memory and that he
did it freely without compulsion & that Marion Joy was a
subscribing witness with yourselves to said will and that you
signed it in the presence of each other to the best of your knowledge
and belief.
So help you God.

Sworn to & subscribed
in open court March 1st / 1847
Attest. Patrick N. Madden

Nicholas C. Bacon
John F. Johnson.

clerk court ordinary

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