

Will & Testament in presence of

John Hub Senf,

Joseph Stark.

In the name of God Amen. I Jerry Dentons of the County
of Cumberland and State of North Carolina taking into con-
sideration the frailty and Mortality of this mortal life &
being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind and
memory bequeath to the Almighty God for the same —
Do make & ordain this my last will & Testament in
manners & form following. Viz-

1st I Give & Bequeath to my Son Henry H. Glover one Gig and Harness, One bed and furniture, one Cow & calf, two horses all my Hogs with all other property buy me made or purchased since the death of my last husband John Smith to him and his Heirs forever - 2^d I wish my Son Henry H. Glover to take the three little children of Eury Smith if he the said Henry H. Glover has no occasion for them and keep and school them one year out of the above mentioned property after paying all my lawful debts - 3^d Having but little to will I have determined to leave it all to one child, though at the same time having in Remembrance all the rest of my Children to-wit: Matthew Washburn, Judy Houston, W. C. Glover, Barnes Glover, Benjamin Glover, Nancy Weathers and the above mentioned Henry H. Glover, John Glover & Joseph Glover and my Deceased daughter Rebecca Smith the mother of the three above mentioned little children

4thly and Lastly I nominate and appoint my Truly Son Henry
H. Green executor to this my last will & testament
Truly receiving all former bills by me made &c -
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed
my seal this 16th day of March 1824 - In presence of
William Rogers
Joseph A. Darnall }
Mary Doubtless }
v

William Rogers

Joseph A. Duran

1 Mary Dabkins p.c.

In the name of God Amen: I Thomas Kennedy of the County of
Mecklenburg and State of N^c Carolina, being in a ~~perfect~~ state of health
but of sound mind & memory this 10th day of March in the year of
our Lord 1846. make publish and declare this my last will &
testament in manner & form following Viz -

I give & bequeath unto my wife Rebecca Kennedy one negro
man named Andrew & one negro woman named Jelly & Polly
youngest child named Harry to be kept forever, I also give my
wife Rebecca the one half of the tract of Land I now live on
for her maintenance my son David Kennedy & if said David
should die longer than my wife Rebecca said negro & land
shall be maintained said David during his natural life &
at the death of said Rebecca & David said land to be the property of my
third son Francis Kennedy & also give my wife Rebecca two horses
two chairs of my stock &

I give & bequeath to my Daughter Eliza Kennedy one negro girl
named Lou & one boy named John & one horse named Black
with a saddle & bridle & furniture and one cow -

I give & bequeath unto my son Edmond Kennedy one negro man
named Nathan, and one horse named Grady his saddle and bridle
one bed & furniture and one cow -

I give & bequeath unto my son Francis Kennedy one half of the
plantation I now live on leaving the house & improvements ex-
cepted by for the use of my wife Rebecca & son David & his wife
Dick with one bed & furniture and one cow -

I give & bequeath unto my Daughter Agnes Kennedy one negro
girl named Harriet & one horse saddle & bridle one bed and
furniture and one cow -

I give & bequeath unto my son Thomas Kennedy one negro boy
named Samuel, & one negro boy named Jacob & three hundred dollars
in money & one horse saddle & bridle one bed & furniture with ^{and} my

I give & bequeath unto my wife Rebecca Kennedy the remainder
of my household & kitchen furniture, farming utensils and the
remainder of my stock of cattle, dogs & sheep to be kept forever
And I do my then present will, disannul & make void all former

Tentative and in manner & form following viz -

Item I give & bequeath unto my wife Rebecca Kennedy one negro man named Andrew & one negro woman named John & John's youngest child named Harry to be kept forever, I also give my wife Rebecca the one half of the tract of Land I now live on for her to maintain my son David Kennedy & his wife Daniel Kennedy during longer than my wife Rebecca said negro & land shall so maintain said David during his natural life & at the death of said Rebecca & David said land to be the property of my son Francis Kennedy & also give my wife Rebecca two horses her choice of my Stock &

Item I give & bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabet Kennedy one negro girl named Louise & one negro boy named Levy, & one horse named Rock with a saddle & bridle, one bed & furniture and one cow -

Item I give & bequeath unto my son Francis Kennedy one negro man named Nathan, and one horse named Grandy his saddle and bridle one bed & furniture and one cow -

Item I give & bequeath unto my son Francis Kennedy one half of the plantation I now live on for his house & improvements to stand by for the use of my wife Rebecca & son David & his wife Dick with one bed & furniture and one cow -

Item I give & bequeath unto my Daughter Agnes Kennedy one negro girl named Mariel & one horse saddle & bridle one bed and furniture and one cow -

Item I give & bequeath unto my son Thomas Kennedy one negro boy named Samuel, & one negro boy named Jacob & three hundred dollars in money & one horse saddle & bridle, one bed & furniture with my

lastly I give & bequeath unto my wife Rebecca Kennedy the remainder of my household & kitchen furniture, farming utensils and the remainder of my stock of cattle, hogs & sheep to be kept forever, And I do my then present will, declare, disavow & make void all former wills or Testaments, by me made - and I do now appoint my wife Rebecca Kennedy & my trusty friend Jacob McConnaughey my legal & lawful executor in my last will & Testament, to witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal the day & year above written legal seal & in presence of Jacob McConnaughey Thomas Kennedy &

In the name of God Amen. I am at thought of the County of
Mecklenburg & State of North Carolina, being of sound & disposing
mind & memory. Do make & contain the following and no other
to be my last will and Testament viz.

- 1st It is my desire that all my last debts be paid as soon
as possible after my decease --
- 2^d As to the remainder of my property after my debts are paid it
is my will that it be disposed of as follows. To my beloved wife
& Ann McNight I give & bequeath my negro woman Pegg, my
negro boy Luff, my negro girl Nancy Malinda also my bay mare
named Nancy, my riding gig her saddle & bridle, two beds with
suitable furniture her chamber furniture & cabinet one Bureau
Loom & what belongs to it, spinning wheel, my Cherry tree corner
cup board, likewise the use & privilege of my dwelling house
and other out Buildings, with the use of all the household
& kitchen furniture for herself & family so long as they remain
in a family capacity or the remaining in her widowhood --
- 3^d To my beloved son James McNight I give & bequeath together
with the lot or parcel of Land I have already deeded to him
my negro boys Sandy & Henry, also one once called Deacon
which he is in possession of, also two cows now in his possession
also my single Trussed Rifle gun, together with whatever
other articles I may have hereafter given him -- To my
Grandson James McNight and son of David I give and
bequeath my negro boy Absalom -- The above I consider
as his full share of my estate at this time --
- 4th To my beloved James McNight I give & bequeath to him the
lot or parcel of Land bounded as follows viz. beginning
on the west bank of big Sugar creek at the mouth of the Spring
branch, thence with said branch creek, back opposite to the negro
grave yard, thence with the lot or parcel of said branch creek
thence on a curve as run on yesterday by Mr. Horner to a Black
Oak near the road leading to Hugh McQuinn's, thence with said
Road to the corner thence with the same to the corner where
Mr. David's house on pine hill, thence with the same to the corner

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as possible at the my decease -

2^d As to the remainder of my property after my debts are paid it is my will that it be disposed of as follows. To my beloved wife Ann McNeill I will & bequeath my negro woman Peggy, my negro boy Luff, my negro girl Nancy Mahitday, also my boy named Jimmy, my riding gag her saddle & bridle, her bed with her table furniture her chairs two bowls & glasses one Bureau & her things to it, spinning wheels, my Cherry tree corner cup board, &c. &c. &c. the use & privilege of my dwelling house and other out buildings, with the use of all the household & kitchen furniture for herself & family so long as they remain in a family capacity or she remains in her widowhood -

3^d To my beloved son David McNeill I will & bequeath together with the lot or parcel of Land I have already decided to leave my negro boys Sandy & Henry, also one mare called Diana which he is in possession of, also two cows now in his possession also my single Trussed Rifle gun, together with whatever other articles I may have in my house I give him. To my grandson James McNeill and son of David I give and bequeath my negro boy Abner. The above I consider as his full share of my estate at this time -

4th To my beloved James McNeill I give & bequeath to him the whole of all that lot or parcel of Land lying a part of the present line on his bounded as follows. Beginning on the west bank of big Sugar creek at the mouth of the Spring branch, thence with said branch to the fork opposite to the negro grave yard, thence with the fork of said branch to a corner on a curve as seen on yesterday by Mr. Harrison is a Black Oak near the road leading to Hugh McNeill's, thence with the line to McNeill's line, thence with the line to McNeill's line to McNeill's line on pine hill, thence with my own line to the beginning all which course will more fully appear on a plat thereof made out by Mr. John Harrison and filed among my Land papers, also the grounds on the Spring side

which lying between my meadows and the lot I have laid off
for my son David McNight. Also my negro boys Edmund and
Prason & Greidger, also one bed and suitable furniture to
go therewith whatever articles of property I may have given him heretofore
to my beloved son William (P. M. Knight I give & bequeath to him
his horse & harness all the remainder of my funds & having that part
of my plantation now lying on town which my mansion house
stands, subject to the encumbrance of his mother I desire while
they remain in a family capacity that is to say so long as his
mother remains a widow and his sister unmarried. Also
my negro boys Charles, Bob & Jack one horse named Hornet
my wagon & gears, also my plantation Wagon, my other
wants to have the use of the waggon when needed until they
become supplied with waggon of their own, and my double
saddled Hester given, also my farming utensils, my Dutch Pan
my other tools to have the use of when needed, my grindstone
my wheelbarrow & all the rest of the furniture
together with his saddle and bridle —

6th I, a my beloved Son-in-law Reuben Price I give & bequeath my negro boy
named Sam. To my beloved Daughter Mary P. Price my negro woman
Nina and boy El Thompson. — To my Grand Daughter Mary & Reuben
my negro girl Rachel — To my said Son-in-law Reuben Price my
named pilot which he has possession of and all other articles of
property I have given them & put in their possession heretofore.
7th To my beloved Daughter Catharine L. McNight I give & bequeath
my negro girls Sylvia, Boy Alfred, Girl Cynthia and boy Andy
one horse saddle & bridle worth eighty dollars, one cow & calf
one spinning wheel & carder his bedding and other house hold and
kitchen, utensils I equal to her sister Mary Price —

8th To my beloved Daughter Mary A. McNight I will & bequeath
my negro girl named Hannah Boy Joe Neil & girls Grace & Martha
one horse saddle & bridle worth eighty dollars, one cow & calf
bedding & other furniture to make her in these respects to her
sister —

9th I will and direct that my negro woman Lolly be & remain

5th To my beloved son William A. McKnight I give & bequeath to him
this bond for all the remainder of my lands & being that part
of my plantation known as the one which my mansion house
stands, subject to the encumbrance of his mother I desire while
they remain in a family capacity that is to say so long as his
mother remains a widow and his sister unmarried also
my negro boys Charles, Bob & Jack one horse named Horace
my waggon & gears, also my plantation Waggon, my other
sons to have the use of the waggons when needed until they
become supplied with waggons of their own, and my double
barreled Rifle gun, all my farming utensils, my Dutch Saw
my other sons to have the use of when needed, my Grindstone
my bed and bed clothes and one bed & suitable furniture
together with his saddle and bridle --

6th To my beloved son-in-law Reese Price I give & bequeath my negro boy
named Sam. To my beloved daughter Mary A. Price my negro woman
Pinner and boy Ella Thompson. To my Grand daughter Mary A. Price
my negro girl Rachel. Mecklenburg Co. NC Wills 1783-1844
www.virginiapioneers.net To my Grand son-in-law Reese Price my
named pilot which he has possession of and all other articles of
property I have given them & part in their possession heretofore.

7th To my beloved daughter Catharine A. McKnight I give & bequeath
my negro girls Sylvia, Boy Alfred, Girl Cynthia and boy Andy
one horse saddle & bridle worth eighty dollars, one cow & calf
one spinning wheel & cards for spinning and other house hold and
kitchen utensils I give to her sister Mary Price --

8th To my beloved daughter Mary A. McKnight I will & bequeath
my negro girl named Hannah Boy Joe Neil & girls Grace & Martha
one horse saddle & bridle worth eighty dollars, one cow & calf
spinning wheel & other furniture to make her in these respects to be
the same as others --

9th I will and direct that my negro woman Lotty be & remain
with my wife & family on the plantation to the sole use and
benefit of my wife & family that remain in a family capacity
and at the death of my said wife (or in case she should marry
and cease to be my wife, I will & direct that the said negro