

Matthew A. Steele age 1 James Steeple
David Davis " " "
John Steele

In the Name of God. I Thomas Stewart of Kirkton
- Inver County & Isle of Skye, being to mind my Mor-
- tality & knowing that it is appointed for all men once
- to die, Do make this my last will & testament --

To dear Darmoree my very dear son
Imprimis I first give up my soul to Almighty God
who gives it before his glorious creation of this same in
the other world of the ever blessed & adorable Jesus, and
as it shall please God to bless me with a numerous, ha-
mily & a little of this worlds good I knowe to dispose of
what of the worlds goods I am possesse of leaving my wife &
family in the following manner time I beginne to my
well beloved wife Elizabeth Stewart a young boy to our
called Sixty then saddle and back the riding of clothes & the
her spinnes which other land thare of the right & clothes
Effects of good & clothes, Together with her living on the
place I may suppose during her anchord & a lass I bought
from brother James his Elizabes daughter here third
with her weareing apparel then I beginne unto my well
beloved son William Stewart to make of the plantation
I now have one at state here described by beginning
at the petition fence of that field between the old school
house from thence to a white Oak standing in the field right
over the garden from thence a straight line as far as to
my screen line on claim goes all on the south & last side
of the above described line. I beginne unto my son
William together with my horse suit of clothes his horse
& saddle it is to be observed that the line from said petition
fence is to last as far as my claim then I beginne the
unto my well beloved son Thomas Stewart his horse
& saddle alway his saddle & a stallion colt, together

Signed, Sealed, published, pronounced & declared by
the said James Stewert as his last will & Testament
in the presence of us,

Matthew St. Clare Jr.

James Stewert Esq. 

Daniel Davis

John Stewert

In the name of God our Lord, I Thomas Stewart of Rockland
County State of New York, being to mind my Mor-
tality & knowing that it is appointed for all men once
to die, Do make this my last will & Testimony -

Impressed ~~desirous~~ before I give up my soul to Almighty God
who gave it hoping his gracious acceptance of this same in
& thro' the merits of the ever blessed God & Jesus, and
as it hath pleased God to bless me with a numerous fa-
mily & a little of this world's good I choose to dispose of
what of the world's goods I am possessed of among my wife &
family in the following manner Item I bequeath to my
wife Elizabeth ~~my~~ beloved Stewart a young bay mare
called Lucy, then saddle her back & clothing of old cloth wth
her spurs being to the best of my knowledge the
effects of good & cattle, Together with her living on the
place I now possess during her life & a coat bought
from brother Lawrence Gossman over & above her bed
with her wearing apparel Item I bequeath to my wife
beloved son William Stewart to mead of the plantation
I now live on at state here described beginning
at the partition fence of that field between the old school
house from thence to a white oak standing in the field right
over the garden from thence a straight line as far as to
my sonne line or claim goes all on the south & last side
of the above described line. I bequeath unto my son
William together with my slaves wch of clothing his horse
& saddle it is to be observed that the line from said partition
fence is to last as far as my claim Item I bequeath the

with the remainder of my wearing apparel with what I
 shall hereafter mention. Item I bequeath to my wife beloved
 daughter Elizabeth Stewart my secret war & his bows & three
 sheep. Item I bequeath or allow this man my working stock
 to be kept on the place for labour in trade to help for the sup-
 port of my younger children. Item I bequeath to my wife beloved
 may have it to be equally divided amongst my five young
 children & likewise my two slaves & all working tools
 house gear & household furniture bed & bedding not allotted
 I allow to be kept on the place for the support of my
 youngest children as above named. Item I allow all
 my just & lawful debts to be paid by my personal charge
 to be justly paid. After that is done I allow all the re-
 mainding or residue of my personal estate not allotted to
 be put to publick sale & freely bound to be took off the
 what & be applied to educating & learning of my two young
 est children John & Ann & the remainder to be equally
 divided amongst my children to wit Thomas Oliver Mary
Elizabeth John & Ann Stewart. Item I bequeath unto my
 beloved son John Stewart the remainder of my plantation
 both Survey & clause. Item I consider & appear to my
 Freely & well beloved friends & brethren Thomas Davis &
Andrew Davis to be my only executors of this my
 last will & Testament and doth revoke all other
 wills or Testaments whatsoever acknowledging this
 to be my last will & Testament, in witness whereof
 I have set to my hand & seal this 8th day of June
 in the year of our Lord 1778.

Witness present.

Francis Stewart

Jane Giville

Charlotte White

Thomas Stewart (Seal)