

Item 3^d after all my just debts are paid the remainder of the property which I may die in possession of of every description I leave unto my Mother Lucretia Bates during her widowhood but provided she should get married then it is my will and desire that all my worldly property should be equally divided between my three sisters Mary Bottoms Sally Bates & Lucy Bates and my Mother Lucretia Bates share & share alike to them & their heirs forever
 Item 4 I do constitute & appoint my Friend William B. Bottoms Executor to this my last will & Testament as witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 15th of January 1834.

Witness

Attest, Eldridge,
 John D. Phillips!

Arthur J. Bates Esq

Northampton County March Court 1834

This last will and Testament of Arthur J. Bates was submitted in open Court and proved in due form of Law by the oath of Alfred Eldridge & John D. Phillips being witnesses thereto and ordered to be certified & recorded whereupon William B. Bottoms the Executor therein named qualified according to Law.

Test R. H. Weaver Clerk
 by J. H. Drake Esq

John Davis Will. In the name of God Amen I John Davis of the County of Northampton State of Mass. being of sound perfect mind & memory blessed be God do this 23^d of July 1832 make & publish this my last will & Testament in manner following that is to say First I give & bequeath unto my dear beloved son John Davis all of the lands that I own on the north side of the road whereon he now lives or are situate to him his heirs forever second I leave unto my dear beloved wife Elizabeth Davis during her natural life all of the lands that I own west of that I have before given away & also all of my stock of cattle sheep hogs share none & house which I have now lived & all of my farming utensils of every description & provision & standing Crops of Corn house hold & kitchen furniture & every other species of property whatsoever I give unto my son Jonathan Davis, his one dollar to him & their heirs forever I give unto my son Edward Davis his one dollar to him & their heirs forever I give unto my son Lewis Davis his one dollar to him & their heirs forever I give unto my son Samuel Davis his one dollar to him & their heirs forever I give unto Mary Pope the daughter of Rhoda Pope one third of furniture that I have my daughter Rhoda Pope to her & her heirs forever I give unto my daughter Rhoda Pope one dollar to her and her heirs forever I give unto my Grand daughter Rebecca Parker one half of furniture that I have my daughter Elizabeth Parker I give unto my daughter Elizabeth Parker one dollar to her & her heirs forever I give unto my daughter Betty Smith one dollar to her & her heirs forever I give unto my son Joshua Davis one dollar to him & his heirs forever I leave unto my son Joshua Davis the plantation whereon he now lives during

his natural life I give unto my son Arthur Davis one dollar to him and his heirs forever I give unto my grand son Samuel Knight one half of furniture to him & his heirs forever after the death of my wife Elizabeth Davis the property I have her I give it as follows I give the lands unto my two sons William Davis & Samuel Davis to be equally divided between them & their heirs forever & my three daughters named Mary Davis Lucy Davis & Sally Davis to remain upon the plantation as one of the family until they get married I give my three daughters namely Mary Lucy & Sally Davis one bed and furniture to each of them & one chest of drawers to them & their heirs forever I give unto my two sons William & Samuel Davis one third of furniture above to them & their heirs forever then I give unto my two sons after the death of my wife, William & Samuel Davis & my three daughters, namely Mary Lucy & Sally Davis all of the household property to them as long as my three daughters live single & if they should get married as either of them or the other I wish then the property to be equally divided between them and their heirs forever I hereby make & confirm my friendly friend Nathaniel Allen Executor of this my last will & Testament in witness whereof I the said John Davis have hereunto set this my last will & Testament with my hand & seal the day & year wrote on the other side of us who is in the presence of him

Witness

Attest Eldridge,
 John D. Phillips

John Davis Esq

Northampton County March Court 1834 This last will and Testament of John Davis was submitted in open Court and proved in due form of Law by the oath of Attest Eldridge being witnesses thereto and ordered to be certified & recorded whereupon the Executor therein named qualified according to Law as witness

Test R. H. Weaver Clerk
 by J. H. Drake Esq

William Lightfoot Will. In the name of God Amen I William Lightfoot being of sound and perfect mind and memory blessed be God do this same day of Decr in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty three make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form as follows First I leave the use of my plantation on which I live called the Coffin place to my daughter Elizabeth Smith I also leave her my man James during the term of her natural life and then after her death I give and bequeath the said land, house and negro man James to my Grand daughter Matilda Smith to her and her heirs forever I give and bequeath unto my Grand daughter Rebecca Smith my other lands and plantation called the Arroweethy place and also my man Eliza to her and her heirs forever I give and bequeath unto my Grand daughter Catherine Lightfoot daughter of James Lightfoot all the rest of my Estate be it what it may to be sold and after the payment of all my just debts to her and her heirs forever lastly I hereby make & confirm and appoint John Patten Executor of this my last will & Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and date first above written