

witnesses thereto & made oath that they heard the said James Cunningham acknowledge the same to be his last will & testament & that he was at the time of signing sealing publishing & declaring the same of sound mind & memory

In testimony whereof I Bridget
James Clerk of the Court of
Pleas & Quarter Sessions for said
County have here unto set my
hand and affixed the seal of
said Court of office this
29th day of July 1818

Bridget M. Gardner

In The Name of God Amen
I Benjamin Marshall Sr of the State
of Tennessee & County of Lincoln being
very weak in body but of perfect mind
and memory do make & constitute this
my last will & testament disposing all
others & as touching such Estate as it has
pleased God to give me I and give bequeath
in the following manner
1st) I and unto my beloved wife Elizabeth
Marshall all my estate with the increase
both Real & personal during her natural
life and at her death to be divided in the
following manner (viz) 2nd) I give to my

George Archer acknowledge the

beloved son Allen Marshall & son of John
3rd) to my beloved Daughter Sarah Draper

I give to these two children I have give their
parts of my estate before this time

4th) I give to my beloved son James Marshall

& Jesse Marshall the Land & Improvement where
I now live containing 30 acres to be equally
divided between them after my wife's death

6th) and all the residue of my Estate after
my wife's death I give to my following named

children (viz) Julius Marshall Benjamin
Marshall Samuel Marshall Pompey Sted

John Marshall Polly Brady & Daniel Marshall

to be divided by them as they may see proper

& lastly I appoint & constitute my son Richard
Marshall & Allen Sted my son-in-law my

Executors in fact to see this my will & testament
lawfully executed, signed sealed published &

Proven in presence of us October 26th 1818

Samuel Campbell Benjamin Marshall

James Campbell

State of Tennessee } January 1819
Lincoln County }

This the last will & testament of
Benjamin Marshall Dead, was this day
exhibited in open Court for probate
where upon came Samuel Campbell &
James Campbell the subscribing witnesses
there to and made oath that they saw

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I have the said Benj^r Marshal sign, publish
& declare the same to be his last will
& testament. & that he was of sound mind
& memory, whereupon came Julius
Marshal & Oliver Stiles who were appointed
by said will & testament of Benj^r Marshal
Dec^r 2 to the execution of the said duly
qualified as executors of the said last
will & testament. & gave bond & security
in the sum of two thousand dollars
according to law

In Testimony whereof I Oliver
Ganey clerk of the court of
pleas & quarter sessions for said
County have here unto set my
hand and affixed the seal
of said Court at office
the 20th day of January
A.D. 1818 Oliver M. Ganey

In the name of God Amen
I William A. Patterson being very weak
in body but of sound mind & memory
do make and bequeath this my last will
& testament (1st) of all I give and bequeath
my body and soul to the Lord who give it and
my body to be buried in a decent like manner
by my executors at their discretion then after
that I wish all my perishable property and
tools of every description such as plantation
tools as well as a set of bench plains

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Groove Archon as known by the
tongue & grove moulding Plains and other
Plains necessary for Cabinet work to be sold
and put to the use of Paying all my
debts and contracts and if any left to go to
the use of my wife and children all my
house hold furniture to go to the use of my wife
and children Provides what has been named to
be sold are sufficient to pay my last debts
and as for my land I wish and want my
executors to give up the bond I have on John
Price for the title of the land to him
the said John Price and take an obligation
on him the said John Price for what
is justly due me from him to be left
to any two disinterested men that may
be chosen by said Price & my Executors at
their discretion; and last of all I do
hereby appoint my beloved and trusty friends
John Price and Jonathan Floyd my only
executors to put this my last will and
testament into effect and to do and act
for me as though I was present myself
and do hereby ordain and appoint this
my last will & testament in witness
whereof I have here unto set my hand
and affixed my seal this 19th day of Dec^r
1818 signed sealed and delivered in the presence
of ~~William Patterson~~
Little B. Batten
Thomas Metton
William A. Patterson