

I A S Ingle Mahuldah M Staggons they are to have that amount left in the division of my Estate I do appoint Paul Ingle and William Tolly my Executors to this my last will given under my hand and seal this 18<sup>th</sup> day of July 1850  
Witness A Whitaker Joseph Frittle John Dusenberry

### Loisley Griffies will

I Loisley Griffies being in a very low state of health but of sound mind and perfect memory do make and publish this my last will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at any time made -

First I direct that my funeral expenses and all my last debts be paid out of any money that I may die seized of or may first come into the hands of my executors.

Secondly I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Nancy all my real <sup>or personal</sup> estate of every description during her natural life or widowhood and after her death or marriage my property shall be equally divided amongst all my children but provided any of my children should marry or become of age before the death of my wife then in that case she shall receive three equal parts of all my property.

I also direct that my wife Nancy shall not be required to give any bond or security for the safe keeping of any of my property, but it is my will provided she should marry that all the property be taken out of her hands except so much as the Law will allow her and her heirs I do hereby appoint my wife Nancy sole executrix of this my will in which I have subscribed this my last will with my hand and seal this 12 day of March 1857  
Loisley Griffies seal

Signed sealed & published in our presence  
and we have signed in the presence and  
at the Request of the Testator  
J. B. Shuppard  
Robert Cannon.

proved at April Term 1857

Know all men by these presents that I Leysina Smith of the County of Lincoln and State of Tennessee do covenant and make my last will and Testament whereas I will my son Alfred Smith one negro boy named Patrick and one sleeping table and one shaving table and one Bed and a lot of land I purchased from William Stephens supposed to be between thirty five and forty acres - And Clarissa Smith one negro girl named Mary & one fine Bedstead and Elizabeth Smith one negro boy named Lou and one falling leaf table - and Nancy Smith one negro boy named Lou and one leaftrough And it is my request my son Alfred Smith should live in the house and take charge of my plantation after my death and the children until they become of twenty one years of age or marry off And I leave my negro woman Leahy to stay with them for the purpose of raising the above named children together until the youngest child becomes of age or marries. And then some one of my children takes her at her true valuation in cash if not she is to be sold and the proceeds equally divided between all of my above named children if the said negro woman Leahy should have another child or more if one or more of the above named negroes that I have mentioned to my above named children should die before they are of twenty one years of age then she or they is to have another one of the said Leahy children if she should have any more children - If either or all of my ~~children~~ named daughters should marry before they become twenty one years of age it is my will that they shall have a cow and calf. All of the Balance of my property to remain in the possession of my son Alfred for the purpose of raising my above named children I appoint my Brother-in-law John Smith my executor to this my last will and Testament, revoking all other wills and Testament heretofore made by me And it is my request that there shall be no securitys required of my executor John Smith. Witness my hand and seal this 25<sup>th</sup> of April 1857  
Leysina Smith  
John Smith  
Wm Stephens  
James Smith  
Recd. May Term 1857