

## Last will &amp; Testament

Susan <sup>of</sup> ~~Roberts~~ Probated June term 1894  
Roberts dec'd.

In the name of God Amen,  
I Susan Roberts bring of sound and disposing mind  
and memory do make and publish this my last will and  
Testament.

First. I will that all my just debts be first paid out  
of my estate.

Second. I bequeath and give to my Grandson Samuel  
P. Elliott two bags and brading.

Third. I give and bequeath to my Son in law G. M. Elliott  
all the remaining part of my personal property, after  
paying my debts and the other legacy to my Grandson  
Samuel P. Elliott.

Fourth. I give and bequeath to my Grand children  
Katie Stoffle, formerly Katie Oall, five dollars. I give  
to Saile Oall five dollars and to Elizabeth Oall  
five dollars. Each of said sums is made a charge on  
my real estate and shall be paid by my Son in law  
G. M. Elliott and my Grand Son Sam'l. P. Elliott within  
one year after my decease.

Fifth. I will and devise to my Son in law G. M. Elliott  
and to my Grand Son Samuel P. Elliott my tract  
of land, lying on the the South of Holston River in 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Civil District of Sullivan County Tennessee, adjoining  
the lands of Ruy. Webb, Jas. Riley, Sarah Smith and  
D. J. Brunley and containing about forty four acres  
of land. Each to have and own the same equally.

Sixth. I hereby appoint and constitute G. M. Elliott  
Guardian of my Grand Sons Sam'l. P. Elliott, to charge of and  
to manage the interest of the said child (he being a minor) in  
the said property real and personal until he arrives at  
the age of twenty one years.

Eighth. I hereby appoint the said G. M. Elliott my  
Executor of this my last will and Testament and  
herself waives and request that he shall not be required  
to give bond as such Executor.

Given under my hand this the 5<sup>th</sup> day of December 1892  
Attest.

Susan <sup>her</sup> ~~Roberts~~  
Signed in our presence and both present at time of

signing the above and acknowledged in our presence

M. L. Blackley

John H. Cawood.

The foregoing instrument was proven by  
the oaths of M. L. Blackley and John H. Cawood subscribing  
witnesses to the same on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of June 1894 and  
thereupon the said instrument was adjudged and declared  
by the Court to be the last will and Testament of Susan  
Roberts deceased and ordered to be recorded in the  
book of Wills.

Dated - N D Bachman Clerk.

## Last will &amp; Testament

of David Bookh Probated July term 1894  
Booker dec'd.

Knew all men by these presents  
that I David Booker of the County of Sullivan and  
State of Tennessee do make and ordain this as my last  
will and testament revoking all other wills by me made  
hitherto. Bring as I am of sound mind and disposing  
memory.

First. I direct and bequeath to my wife Jane eight  
hundred dollars cash to be paid one year after my death.  
Also 1 cow which she is to have choice, also my safe,  
and all my casting, also two small brass kettles, also  
a set gunnison that I bought in Bristol, and all of  
my glass ware, also two breads and clothing, also  
two hogs. My home place, I think it best that I  
should give the boundary in full as it will tend to  
shorten this instrument. My homestead beginning  
at a planted rock at mouth of Mattie lane on a ridge  
thence nearly west 71 poles to a planted rock at foot a  
hill, thence South or nearly so 42 forty two poles to a  
planted rock a short distance South East of the willow  
spring. Thence west 5 poles to a planted rock, thence  
South 36 East 12 poles to a road. Thence down the branch  
with Dulany's line 25 poles to lower end of meadow, thence  
nearly South 48 poles to a planted rock on Anderson's line  
thence with Anderson's line to two white oaks Anderson's corner  
thence North 78 $\frac{1}{2}$  East 112 poles to the old Lauglin corner  
a white oak now fallen. Thence running with the north

Maxwell line 18 poles on a division line between me and Rutherford. Thence with said line to a poplar corner. Thence a short distance nearly west to a planted rock on the old Laughlin line, thence with the dividing line between Rutherford & myself North 13 west 95 poles to a large white oak on Mattos line, thence with said Mattos line nearly west to a gum in a hollow, then North 59 $\frac{3}{4}$  west with Mattos line to the beginning.

To the heirs of the body of my daughter Rosaria Wampler I give and bequeath the tract of land I purchased of A.D. Wearn and also twenty two acres I purchased of Peter Kiser.

To my son John I give and bequeath three hundred and seventy dollars, one year after my death.

To my daughter Mary Ann and the heirs of her body I give and bequeath my cedar creek farm that I purchased from Buckels adjoining Loon and others, also a parcel of land in the west end of the Homestead, known as the Sells land, including the house my daughter now lives in. To my Son Conrad Bookw I give and bequeath all that portion of land laying North of the Homestead, including the lands I purchased of the Worleys, and also a portion of the plantation I now live on laying North of the Homestead line and not included in the Homestead place.

To my Son Josiah I give and bequeath all the land I purchased of John G. King and Maxwell, and a small piece of land laying north of the Maxwell land, to the Homestead line.

To my daughter Elizabeth Wampler, I give and bequeath to her and the heirs of her body, the land I now have purchased of J. A. Murphy and Charles Cate adjoining the lands of Blenius and others, also five acres, the west end of the Kiser land purchased of Peter Kiser by me.

To my daughter Martha, I give and bequeath to her and the heirs of her body the homestead, the boundaries of which is first described in the will. I also give to my daughter Martha one burrum. My wheat farm I direct that Martha shall keep, but shall allow any of my children to use it at home. My mowing machine & my part of the wheat drill I give my son Conrad.

I give my Hay Rake to Josiah.

All my property not herein mentioned both real and personal shall be divided equally by my Executors and all my children share and share alike, except the money on hand at my death considering that my daughter Martha has been made whole in real estate.

Lastly I direct that my Sons Conrad & Josiah shall act as my Executors without bond or security.

I now direct that if any of my children contest this will or any part thereof that they shall forfeit their interest they have in this will and receive instead five dollars and no more.

Signed under my hand and seal this 20 Augt 1892  
Witness

H. H. DeLaney

J. H. Rutherford.

Maria Bookw. (Seal)

The foregoing instrument was drawn in open Court by the parties of H H DeLaney and J H Rutherford, subscribing witnesses, unto on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July 1892, and thereupon said instrument was adjudged and declared by the Court to be the last will and testament of David Bookw deceased, and ordered to be recorded in the book of Wills.

Date N. D. Buchanan Clerk

By L. N. Dunn, A.C.

Last will & Testament

of  
Mary G. Childress deceased

Probated July 20th 1894

In the name of God Amen,  
I Mary G. Childress wife of Moses Childress being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make this my last will & Testament hereby revoking & making void any former wills by me made at any time  
First- I give my Soul to God to be disposed of according to his good pleasure.

As to the worldly goods with which it has pleased God to bless me. I dispose of them in the following manner.

I give bequeath and devise to my husband Moses Childress all of my personal property of every kind and description

Second. I also give to my said husband all of my