

# TIGHT BINDING

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In the Name of God Amen  
Henry Isenberger wife

My last will of Mr Henry Isenberger on October 28<sup>th</sup>  
1809 First My wife Sarah shall have all my Movables pertaining that I  
possess Secondly My wife becomes wife Sarah shall have My bed as  
long as she remains My widow and after falls to my children or his heirs  
Thirdly it is my will that my father shall pay thing debts that  
I owe upon the land from them It is my will that Anne Bowman  
shall be my executor and to let my things to her till the time this will is  
made in Washington County State of Virginia begun & delivered in the  
presence of us

Henry Isenberger (Seal)  
John Isenberger (Seal)

Rebecca Bowman & Robert Isenberger The foregoing will was proven in court by the both  
of us Robert Isenberger & Sarah Isenberger two of the  
Subscribing witness & thereunto affixed

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In the Name of God Amen  
John Adams Will

I John Adams of the County of Washington being now well & able in good  
and very great of body but of perfect sound Mind & Memory knowing the uncertainty of this life  
and that all flesh is subject to Mortality and it is appropriate for all men Once to die to Christ  
in Nazareth in order to have my temporal affairs in as little expense as possible to make a last will and  
testament which after consultation of my soul to god who gave it with due Subscriptions and  
resignation I will as follows (Dated) Not all my just debts however due I owing shall &  
may be satisfied and paid in convenient time after my decease by my executors hereafter  
named Item I give & bequeath to my wife beloved daughter Mary Hanley One cow &  
a common Bible Item I give & bequeath to my wife beloved daughter Mary One  
common Bible Item I give & bequeath to my wife beloved daughter Lucy, fiftt one  
common Bible Item I give & bequeath to my wife beloved daughter Mary on common  
Bible Item I give and bequeath to my wife beloved son William all my right title & claim  
to one hundred & eighty acres of land on big bottoms being the plantation whereon I now live to him  
and his heirs for ever and likewise all the remaining part of my personal estate except a small  
sum to the price of two year Schooley which I give to come Moira who is now at school with this  
reservce that my wife beloved wife Agnes shall have & enjoy one full third thereof of my wife both  
real & personal during her natural life and at her death have her wearey clothes her bed & bedding to whom  
the said estate Lastly I do nominate & appoint my son Samuel Hanley John Adams & James Montgomery  
executors of this my last will & testament & administer all & every other will or wills whatsoever of me  
herein made by me before published & acknowledged by the testator John Adams to be his last will and  
testament in favor of

John Adams (Seal)

Also Mother The foregoing will was proven in court by the both of us Mother and the  
Subscribing witness above named  
John McComas Samuele Hanley William Adams & James Montgomery qualified as executors  
to the foregoing will

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Alexander McEwen Will  
In the Name of God Amen

Alexander McEwen of the County of Washington ~~now~~ Territory  
South of the Ohio being now in infirmitie of body but of perfect sound Mind & Memory  
knowing the uncertainty of life and that all flesh is subject to Mortality as it is appropriate for all  
men to die do think it necessary in order to have my temporal affairs in as little a way & state  
as possible to make a last will & testament which after recommending my soul to god who gave it  
with Subscriptions and a humble resignation I will as follows (Dated) That all my last will however  
be and among shall & may be Subscriptions and paid in convenient time after my decease by my exec-  
utors hereafter named Item I give & bequeath to my son John McEwen to him his heirs and  
spouse forever the land wherein I now live with the improvements thereon to belonging containing  
by estimation one hundred and eighty acres of more still with his reserve that my wife Margaret  
McEwen shall have up and enjoy one third part of said land including the houses improvements  
during her widowhood Item I give & bequeath to my son Ebenezer McEwen to him his heirs  
and spouse for ever one hundred and nearly five acres of land here by two acts concerning the  
above mentioned lands also my wife is the! My son John shall pay out of his part one hundred  
and ten pounds which shall be equally divided between my two sons Samuel McEwen & Robert  
McEwen Likewise my wife is that my son Ebenezer shall pay twenty pounds to be equally  
divided between the above named boys & by Samuel & Robert Item my wife is that my  
personal estate shall not be exposed to sale but shall remain in the hands of the executors for the  
benefit of my family till they are of age also my wife is that my daughter Sarah McEwen  
shall receive no part when she is of age at the discretion of my executors according to their  
judgment they have then in their hands and in order to provide for a child that is yet unborn my  
wife is of it shewd be in a way that it shall be made equal in part to my other boys that have  
no lands by each of the four paying a proportionable part out of their share to him —  
And if it should be a girl to stand upon a land with my above mentioned daughter Sarah  
and as to my personal estate my wife is that it be divided amongst my children when they  
have age at the discretion of my executors Lastly I do nominate and appoint also  
Mother Andrew Hannah & my wife beloved wife Margaret McEwen executors of  
this my last will & testament and reserving all and every other article of will  
whatever by me heretofore made & signed here published & acknowledged by the testator  
Alexander McEwen to be his last will & testament in the presence of  
James Montgomery  
John McComas

Alexander McEwen (Seal)

The foregoing will was proven in court by the both of us  
McComas one of the Subscribing witness Thru to Lypson 1779  
Alexander Mother Andrew Hannah & Margaret McEwen qualified as executors  
to the foregoing will