

James Cox Will

from him to me one hundred dollars and the other one hundred and six dollars & fifty cents in property to be paid to him when my youngest daughter Dorcas comes of age or marries. 6th I give to my daughter Mary Hale wife of Nicholas Hale twenty dollars in property to be paid to her when my youngest daughter Dorcas comes of age or marries. 7th I give to my son John Cox fifty dollars to be paid to him in property by my executors when he shall think proper. 8th I give to my daughter Sarah Strong the following books the life of Wesley and some volume of his sermons and Fletchers fifth volume. Ninety appears and my small dictionary and ten dollars in property to be paid to her when my youngest daughter Dorcas comes of age or marries. 9th I give to my daughter Fanny Hale wife of George Hale the sum of ten dollars in property to be paid to her when my youngest daughter Dorcas comes of age or marries. Should there be any of my personal estate unexpended by this my last will and testament I leave it to be equally divided between the following persons (VIDE) My son George and my son Mahony Tucker and my daughter Sarah Strong the wife of Abraham Strong and my daughter Mary Hale the wife of Nicholas Hale and Fanny Hale the wife of George Hale except one woman's share that give to my two youngest daughters, Savannah and Dorcas. I appoint John H. Keph as Joseph Branch and Charles Dayworth to be executors of this my last will and testament. As witness my hand and seal this 13th day of November 1810.

Signed sealed and delivered by the testator
in the presence of us

James Cox (Seal)

Peter Keph
Henry Bowers
Thomas C. Cunningham, Henry Bowers & Thomas C. Cunningham the subscribing witnesses
that is at February sessions 1812 & ordered to be recorded.

Ed Cunningham Will

In the Name of God Amen.

I John Cunningham of the County of Washington & State of Tennessee being sick and weak in body but of sound mind Memory & Judgment do hereby make the following of death and the uncertainty of life. As on this 5th day of March 1812 Make this my last will & testament in manner and form following (VIDE) Then I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Martha Cunningham the full possession of all my estate real & personal in power to raise and educate my children until the youngest comes of age provided she lives longer but if she marries to have the third of my land during her life and an equal proportion of the personal estate with the children but if she continues single to have the care of the plantation and other property and to pay to the several children the portions hereafter stated to each of them. Then I wish my son Samuel B. Cunningham to be put at College until he obtains a degree and when he is of age to receive a good home and a salary of fifty dollars in cash and a good suit of clothes. Then I give & bequeath unto my daughter Mary Cunningham one hundred pounds in property to be valued by two honest men when she comes of age. Then I give & bequeath unto my son John Whetfear Cunningham one hundred acres in the County of Washington & State of Tennessee to be valued by two honest men when he comes of age.

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Then I give and bequeath unto my son Alexander Newton Cunningham one hundred pounds in property to be valued by two honest men chosen by him & my executors when he comes of age. Then I give & bequeath unto my son William Madison Cunningham one hundred pounds in property to be valued by two honest men chosen by him and my executors when he comes of age. Then I give and bequeath unto my daughter Martha Rowe Cunningham one hundred pounds in property to be valued by two honest men chosen by her and my executors when she comes of age. Then it is also my will that if my nephew Man torn cannot be kept in subjection by my wife or by my executor employing a Cripple or Cripple to be sold at the discretion of my executor and if there should not be property sufficient to pay of the several legacies mentioned above to pay each legatee an equal proportion in cash arising from the sale of him or any other parts of my estate it is also my will that when my youngest child comes of age two thirds of my plantation and all the slaves that may then belong to my estate shall be sold and the money arising from the sale divided among my five youngest children the three sons to have double the portion of it and my two daughters to have each half the portion of it as the three sons. Are lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my wife Martha Cunningham executrix and my friends James Nathan St. Johnson & William M. H. executors of this my last will and testament and I do hereby revoke and annul all former wills or testaments made by me declaring this only to be my last will and testament. Signed sealed and attested by the testator as his last will & testament in the presence of us

John Nelson
John Helton
John Lowman

Ed Cunningham (Seal)

The foregoing will was proven in court by the Oaths of John Nelson and John Helton two of the subscribing witnesses that is at May sessions 1812 & ordered to be recorded. Martha Cunningham executrix of the foregoing will.

William Nodding Will

In the Name of God Amen.

I William Nodding of Tennessee State Washington County being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind & Memory do hereby make the following of death and the uncertainty of life. As on this 5th day of March 1812 Make this my last will & testament in manner and form following (VIDE) Then I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Mary Nodding all that land that I have that I have from Daniel McGray for that land where the said McGray now lives. which I give to my life and Mary Nodding's life. I also give & bequeath unto my daughter Mary

Whereas for a deed of conveyance from me for together with the Oregon Man named Tony
 in their possession to be set free in the year one thousand eight hundred and six on the twenty
 fourth day of December I also give him my smallest slave together with my two side furniture
 and moderate effects which he and Tony are in their possession - I also give unto my
 daughter Mary Boyke sixty two acres of land which Samuel Boyke her husband hath taken a
 deed of conveyance from me for - together with a Man of Color named Tom in his
 Boyke's possession said Tom to be set free on the fourteenth day of February in the year
 one thousand eight hundred and eleven - I also give my daughter Elizabeth Calvert
 twenty five acres of land now in the possession of William Calvert her husband by and
 from me together with the following persons of Color - Pat Dork, Sarah Peter &
 George now in the possession of said Calvert & all set free by my direction at the
 age of thirty five years except George who is free at living first year by an order of
 the County Court of our County at the petition of said William Calvert to pay the above
 by paying John Browne five Caphan Children two hundred and fifty dollars in present
 the future sum is said Calvert one of the following year But thirty years of age the
 twentieth day of February said Dork eleven the sixth day of May said Sarah eight the
 fourteenth day of February said Peter six the twentieth of the next year from the
 growth of May term - I also give to my daughter Eleanor White one girl of Color
 named Miss now in her possession to be free on the twenty fifth day of June one
 thousand eight hundred and twelve and as touching the property of any of the Slaves
 or persons of Color heretofore named in this will I declare and will them their goods
 and as white people are by law - except the future Children of test. who are to have
 twenty five years and their Children free born - I also give to John Browne Caphan
 Children two hundred and fifty dollars to be paid by Calvert as aforesaid -

I also constitute & declare Anne Mearns and William Belmont the sole Executors of this my last will & testament. I do hereby utterly disavow revoke & disannul all & every other former testament wills bequests or executors by me in any wise before named made or bequeathed contrary & confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty fourth day of October in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and four — Signed sealed published & declared by the said William Moseley as his last will & testament in the presence of us who in his presence & in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names

Wm Bayles
Reuben Boyles

William Moseley (Seal)
Mark

Wm Bayles
Reuben Bayles

Reuben Bayler
Hannah Bayler)

Manach Bayler

The young wife was proven in court by the father of William
Payle and Eleazer Payle to be two of the following witnesses & that
at May Session 1812 & he was by record —

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In the Name of God Amen

I, Nedam Rader of Washington County, & State of Tennessee being of
 sound mind & perfect Memory yet calling to mind the Mortality of My body and that it is
 appointed for all men One to die do Make and Ordain this My last Will & Testament
 to remain in force following (to-wit) first of all I commend my Soul to god who gave it &
 my body to the dust from whence it came to be decently buried at the discretion of My
 Executors to be hereafter named and as touching such worldly Estate as god hath been
 pleased to bless me with in this life Ith will & bequeath to My loving wife Ann
 Rader the full and peaceable possession of all My real & personal Estate I to keep
 in her possession during her Natural life 3rd I will & bequeath to My loving wife Ann
 Elizabeth Bashley and the lawful heirs of her body the full & peaceable possession of all
 My Estate both real & personal after the demise of My loving wife Ann before-
 named 4th I now will & bequeath to My Grandson John Rader Bashley and
 before boy named Dan to be at his disposal after the demise of My said loving wife
 Ann 5th I do hereby constitute & appoint My well beloved wife
 Ann Rader to be sole executrix of this My last will and Testament I do
 hereby and do hereby null all other & former wills & testaments here-
 before executed by me ratifying & confirming this & no other as My last
 will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set My hand & affixed
 My seal the fourth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand
 eight hundred & seven
 Ann Rader

Adam Rader (Seal)

The foregoing will was proven in court by the oath of Peter Bownman, Jonathan Mulkey, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto at August Sessions 1842 & ordered to be recorded John Rader qualified as executor to the foregoing will —

In the name of God Amen

I, Anthony Gott of the State of Tennessee Washington County
being of full age very informed and sound in health but of perfect sound mind & memory
do hereby give and bequeath to my son John Gott the plantation where on he now lives supposed to contain two hundred
and fifty acres and as it lies in two different tracts my will is that he have all the
same — Second I give and bequeath to my daughter Ruth Gott thirty acres
of land fronting acres that belongs to a part of land that the other part was conveyed
by me to Richard Barck and the balance to be taken of my other sons Lewis
and James — Thirdly I give & bequeath to my son Richard Gott one
hundred acres of land lying on the land belong to the estate of William Barck
and as to the land lying on the land belong to the estate of William Barck