

George E. Kinchloe's Will.

I George E. Kinchloe of the State of Tennessee Washington County being in usual health and of perfect sound mind and memory, and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die, do make this instrument of writing my last will and testament in the following manner:

First. I give and bequeath to my son John Kinchloe two negro girls named Hannah and Harriet. Secondly. I give and bequeath to my son William Kinchloe a negro by name Ben. Thirdly. I give and bequeath unto my son James Kinchloe a negro by name Ace. Fourthly. I give and bequeath to Mary A. Pherson, Mary Owens, Sarah Kinchloe the tract of land wherein I now live containing one hundred and eighty eight acres, be the same more or less. Fifthly. I give and bequeath unto my six daughters, namely: Margaret Brown, Elizabeth Whillock, Mary Owens, Mary Hale, Margaret Brown and Sarah Kinchloe, all my horses, cattle, mares and livestock of every description, farming utensils and household and kitchen furniture of every description to be sold and equally divided amongst them. Sixthly. I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Whillock one negro by name Joe. Seventhly. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Hale, wife of John Hale one negro by name Henderson. Eighthly. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Margaret Brown, wife of John H. Brown, one negro woman named Emory. Ninthly. My will is that the negro girl named Barthine be sold and equally divided amongst my nine children, to be sold in the family, and if there should be any increase in negroes I want them sold in the family and the proceeds equally divided with my nine children. Tenthly. My will is that William Kinchloe and John Whillock be paid respect to debt and owing from James Owens, deceased, husband of Mary Owens out of the estate I now leave unto the said Mary Owens, wife of James Owens. Eleventh. My will is that my colored wife and her friends have her support and maintenance out of my estate if she have any need of it. Twelfthly. My will is that my wearing clothes be equally divided between my three sons and my wife I leave unto my grandson George Kinchloe son of John Kinchloe. Lastly. I here nominate and appoint my sons John Kinchloe, William Kinchloe and James Kinchloe Executors of this my last will and testament without giving them any special authority other than, legacies and bequests by me made and hereby make the said last will and testament. In testimony whereof

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I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 27th day of June 1860.

George Kinchloe

Wm. Fulkerson
George E. Kinchloe
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The foregoing will was proven in
open Court and Read and

Esther Young's Will.

I Esther Young of the County of Washington State of Tennessee being of sound and perfect mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following:

1st I give and bequeath unto my nephew Thompson Burdette my negro boy John who is to stay with his mother six years.

2nd I give and bequeath unto Joseph T. Burdette my negro boy called Sam.

3rd I give and bequeath unto my step daughter Elizabeth Burdette my negro woman Phoebe.

4th I give and bequeath unto Mary Esther Burdette my negro girl Ellen. 5th. I give and bequeath unto John Burdette Burdette my negro boy Henderson. 6th. I give and bequeath unto John Burdette my negro boy Eph. 7th. I give and bequeath unto John Elizabeth Burdette my negro girl Mary also one bed and bedding and side saddle. 8th. I give and bequeath unto James H. Burdette my negro boy Lewis. 9th. I give and bequeath unto Elizabeth T. Burdette my negro girl Catharine also one bed and furniture and Bureau and table and looking glass, and shoes, silver tea spoons &c. 10th. I give and bequeath unto Cordelia Burdette my negro boy Elbert. 11th. I give and bequeath unto Cordelia Burdette my negro woman Nina twin children to be divided between them by lots. 12th. I give and bequeath unto Frank Duncan, who is a free man of color my negro woman Nina and her youngest child called Elizabeth provided this then said Frank or Nina his wife never married with or use any influence with the negroes belonging to Joseph T. Burdette family, and in the event the said Burdette, or his heirs ever think that their influence over their negroes is such as to render them dissatisfied or uneasy, then the said Frank and Nina are at the disposal of the said Burdette, his heirs or assigns to

Esther Youngs Will

Suit of the neighborhood a sufficient distance to pre-
vent any such influence, and if they should fail to do so,
at them and in that case the said bond shall return to said
to Burts and his heirs as a lawful share for life.
And lastly I hereby appoint Joseph D Burts sole executor
of this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former
wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and for my seal the 28th day of June in the year of our
Lord One thousand eight hundred and forty three

Esther Youngs
Mar 11 1843

Aforeman signed published and declared by the above named
Esther Young to be her last will and testament in the presence of
two who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses in the
presence of the Testator. The foregoing will was proven in open
court and Recorded.
J. T. Waller
Samuel W. Hop

Mary Keblers Will

In the name of God Amen.
I Mary Kebler, wife of Jacob Kebler
of the State of the Upper Washington County being
in good health and of sound mind and memory, and
knowing that all are of mortalitie, do make this my last will
and testament in the following manner
First. I leave and bequeath to my daughter Mary one corner
plot of land one block one falling box table and one candle stand
Second. I leave and bequeath to my son Samuel one
large bed one large chest one corner cupboard one table and one
kitchen cupboard. It is further my will and testament that all
the personal property of what kind soever that I may die possessed
of, not herein named, shall be equally divided at my death be-
tween my daughter Mary and my son Samuel.
Lastly. I appoint my son Samuel Kebler my only executor of
this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other wills
legacies and bequests by me made and pronounce this my
last and my last will and testament. In testimony whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the eighth day of August
One thousand eight hundred and forty three

Mary Keblers Will

signed sealed and acknowledged in presence of
the Brothers Campbell 3 The foregoing will was proven in
Emmanuel Arnold 3 open court and recorded

Natharine Rublis Will

In the name of God Amen.
I Natharine Ruble of the
State of Tennessee and County of Washington, being in perfect
health, though advanced in years, knowing that the time of my
dissolution draweth nigh, therefore for proper disposition of
that portion of this world's goods with which my Heavenly Father
has blessed me, I do hereby constitute the following my last will
and testament in manner and form as follows.
1st. Personally and individually, I will and bequeath
unto my son Henry my chest of which he is to come in
possession of immediately after the dissolution of my mar-
riage, cloth he shall be hereafter mentioned.
2nd. I will and bequeath like wise unto my daughter Nath-
arine Peter a white counter pin
3rd. I will and bequeath like wise unto my daughter Lore
Roberts a white counter pin with lace round it.
4th. As to the property belonging to me I wish to be appor-
tioned by two freeholders, appointed by my Executors, my wife
Anna and myself among my children and as to his share that
my son will be possessor of the largest amount of the property and
my wife the balance of my estate that over and above the balance
that will give to each child an equal portion of the balance
of said property and my said estate shall then with wife
the decision of each child equal. 5th. I further order and
decide that whenever I have a legacy left me by my friends
but deceased late of the State of Washington, that it be collected
by my executor hereafter nominated, and after all expenses are paid
which may accrue from collecting said legacy and executing this
my last will and testament equally divided among my children
but save partly. I do hereby nominate and appoint my son Henry
Ruble my lawful executor of this my last will and testament.
In testimony hereof I have set my hand and seal at my home and
office my seal this twenty fourth day of April in the year
of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty seven
In addition to the above things I will and decree that my
wishes at the time of my death shall be as follows