

Alexander Trotter will

In the name of God Amen,

I Alexander Trotter of the county of Washington in the territory south of the river Ohio being of perfect mind and memory being to go for the last time and publish this my last will and testament in the manner & form following. That is to say I commend my soul unto almighty God who gave it me and my body to the earth to be buried in a quiet Christian manner at the discretion of my executor or executors in full resurrection through means of my resurrection Jesus Christ - and for that worthy end wherewith it has pleased God to bless me with & give and dispose thereof as follows I give & bequeath to my loving wife Isabella Trotter all her clothes & trappings and all the furniture of the house & two cows of my own choice and twenty dollars and I give and bequeath all my cloth to my two sons David and Joseph Trotter to be equally divided between them and all the rest of my property after funeral expenses and legal debts is paid to be equally divided between my loving wife Isabella & my three children Susanna David Joseph Trotter all my property that I have not bequeathed Bonds Notes and Cash excepted, to go to public sale Also I appointed Isabella Trotter and James Carmichael Senr. the whole executors of this my last will & testament desiring them to execute the same according to my true intent and meaning and lastly I do hereby revoke all former wills or wills by me made and declare this only to be my last will and testament In witness whereof I the said Alexander Trotter have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twenty fourth day of April One thousand seven hundred and Ninety five - Signed sealed published and declared by me Alexander Trotter as his last will in the presence of us whose names is here written at his request in the same room when & in the same Alexander Trotter was -

Alexander Stuart Alex<sup>r</sup> Trotter Sealed

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Abigail <sup>his</sup> Carmichael  
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The foregoing will was proven in court by the oath  
of Abigail Carmichael one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered  
to be recorded - Isabella Trotter & James Carmichael sen<sup>r</sup> qualified as the  
Executors of the foregoing will at November Session 1795 —