

PATTERSON, Margaret

1840

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In the name of God Amen:—
I Margaret Patterson, of the County of Mecklenburg
and State of N. Carolina, being in a weak and
low state of health, but of sound mind and memory:
do make, and ordain, this my last Will and Testament,
in words and manner followingly:—

Item 1st I will and bequeath my soul to God, who
gave it, and my body to be buried in a decent and
Christian like manner:— As to my worldly affairs
which it has pleased God to bless me with, I devise in
the following manner and form:—

Item 2nd I will and bequeath, that all my just debts,
be paid:—

Item 3rd I will and bequeath to my son William
Patterson & his heirs, his negro man, David and Isaac
Also I give to his son John Newell and his daughter
Margaret S. Patterson, the sum of one hundred dollars
each, to be kept at Interest, until they marry or arrive
at age, or should one or both die before marriage
or arrival at age, the above sum or sums to des-
cend equally to the surviving children of the afo-
William Patterson:—

Item 4th I will and bequeath to my daughter Eliza-
beth Pinkins, and the heirs of her body, my two ne-
groes, Lucy and Venus, also one bedstead and
furniture, and all my kitchen furniture:—

Item 5th I will and bequeath to my two grand chil-
dren Marcellus Lee Pinkins, and Harriet E. Pin-
kins, the sum of one hundred dollars each, to be
kept at interest, until they arrive at age or marry,
or should one or both die before arrival at age
or marriage, the afo. sum or sums to descend equa-
ly to the surviving heirs of the body of afo. Eliza-
beth Pinkins, share and share alike:—

Item 6th I will and bequeath to my son Joseph
Patterson and his heirs, my negroes Washington,
Jane and her two children, Calvin & Dorcas, with

their increase.

Item 7th I will and bequeath to my grand daughter Elizabeth Pop, a negro girl Adeline and her increase, also one bed, bedstead and furniture, a Walnut falling leaf table and book case.

Item 8th I will and bequeath to my grandson John P. Pop one note of hand I hold upon him of thirty dollars and the interest thereon.

Item 9th I will and bequeath to my three grand children, Children of John Patterson Junr. viz Margaret A. Patterson the sum of Fifty dollars, also one bed bedstead and furniture, and Walnut falling leaf Table. - To Martha A. & Emily Patterson each the sum of Twenty dollars, to be kept at Interest, until they arrive at age or marriage, or should either die before arriving at age or marry, the afo. sum or sums to descend equally to the survivor or survivors, or should all die before the times specified the above sums to descend equally among the lawful heirs in the Patterson line.

Item 10th I will and bequeath, that all the Money & notes remaining on hand at my decease (except the special legacies above devised) be equally divided between my three children William Patterson, Joseph Patterson and Elizabeth Perkins, Share and Share alike.

Item 11th I will and bequeath to my son William Patterson my old negro woman Joice together with the sum of Fifty dollars out of my Estate for her maintenance.

Item 12th I will and bequeath, that my negroes Jacob, Con go and Nan, together with all my stock, crop, and house hold furniture (not above devised), Farming Utensils, Carriage &c together with all other undivided property, that may be found upon the premises at my decease, be sold at public Vendue, and the proceeds thereof with the exception

of the above specified fifty dollars allotted for the
maintenance of the old negro woman (Joice) be equa-
ly divided between my son William Patterson &
Joseph Patterson & Elizabeth Denton, and the children
of my daughter Mary Pop. dec^d as one heir, share
and share alike. —

Item 13th — I constitute, and appoint my son William
Patterson, sole Executor of this my last Will and
Testament. —

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed my seal, this 22nd day
of October 1839.

Signed sealed and
published in presence

Attest J. Williamson

Margaret Peterson

Attest P. H. Smith

[Signature]

State of North Carolina
Rockingham County January Term 1840

I certify that the execution of the
within will was duly ~~performed~~ ^{provided} and

William Patterson qualified to execute
the same J. B. Oates clerk

Wm. H. T. Patterson

April

January Term 1840

Rockingham County

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