

Adams Benjamin
Will

In the Name of God Amen I Benjamin Adams of Southam Blin County living
sick & weak in body but of sound sense & Memory thanks be to God for the same looking
to mind the certainty of death do think this the most proper time to make constitute
and ordain this my last Will and Testament. And first I recommend my soul
to God who gave it me Hoping he will receive it, through the merits of Jesus Christ
Redeemer And as to my worldly good which it hath pleased God to bless me
with I dispose of in manner & form following

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I Give and bequeath to my loving daughter Sally Joy one bed & furniture one cow
and calf three Sheep which she has now in possession and five Shillings to be paid
in twelve months after my death to her ^{heir} heirs forever

Item

I Give and bequeath to my loving daughter Pussilla Prince one feather bed &
furniture one cow & calf three Sheep which I have given her possession of Value 5/-
to be paid to her in 12 months after my death to her ^{heir} heirs forever

Item

I Give to my loving wife - Margaret Adams during her Natural life the use of my
Plantation whereon I now live also my negro man Will one feather bed & furniture
my bay mare two cows & calves two sows & Shoats or pigg one table & all my furniture &
can & meat to support her twelve Months after my death & all my sheep & all my
Kitchen furniture & the Loon & all the cards & wheel I have all my
Sides & brandy Casks & barrels two Axes two Hoes & 1/2 Plow & one Side saddle
& bridle

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I Give and bequeath to my loving daughter Charlott Adams one feather bed
& furniture one cow & calf & four dollars to be paid in twelve months after my
death to her & her heirs forever

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I Give & bequeath to my loving daughter - Nancy Adams one feather bed and
furniture one cow & calf & four dollars to be paid in twelve months after my
death to her & her heirs forever

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I Give & bequeath to my loving son Arthur Adams all the land I own but reserve the
use of the Plantation whereon I live for his Mother during her natural life also I
give him one feather bed & furniture all my Carpenters & Woodpeers tools & my bay
jelly & saddle & my Gun four pounds to be paid in twelve months after my death
to him & his heirs & assigns forever

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I Give & bequeath to my loving daughter Betsey Adams fifteen pounds to her
and her heirs forever

Item

I Give & bequeath to my loving Grand daughter Sally - Adams ten pounds
to her ^{heir} heirs forever