

132 In the name of God Amen. The 28th day of February 1805
Joseph Channel in the parishes & County of Southampton being weak in
body but in perfect memory and sense thanks be to God for the same
calling to mind the mortality of my body & knowing that it is appointed
for all men to die I make and ordain this my last will & Testament and
first of all I recommend my soul to the hands of God: that have it
me and for my body I recommend it to the Earth to be buried in a
Decent manner by the hands of my Executors and as keeping such man-
dly Estate as wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me with I give &
dispose as follows in the manner and form: I Give I Give to my
dear beloved wife Patty Channel the whole of my estate real and
Personal during her natural life or widowhood after my death
at my wife's death or widowhood. I leave the whole of my Estate to be
Sold for nine months Credit and the money arising from such
Sale to be equally divided between my four children, viz. Nathaniel
Livy Guelley and James Channel to them & their heirs forever
after paying my just debts. I Appoint Thomas Browne my whole
sole Executors to this my last Will and Testament — —

Signed sealed and delivered
In the presence of us —

Joseph Channel
mark

Lewis W. Hall

Galley & Colman

Nicholas & Bryant

At a Court held for the County of Southampton
the 17th day of October 1813 This Will was
presented in Court by Thomas Browne the executor therein named
proved by the oaths of Lewis W. Hall Galley Colman and Nicholas
Bryant the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded, and on the
motion of the said Executor who made oath according to law Confession
was granted him for obtaining a probate thereof in due form giving
Security whereupon —

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