

Matthew Britt's
Will

In the name of God amen, I Matthew Britt of the County of Southampton
being sick and weak in body, but of sound mind and perfect memory, do make
and ordain this to be my last will and Testament in manner and form as
followeth. Item, I leave my land in the County of Greenville to be sold to
pay my debts, also my lands in Isle of White to be sold and the money to be
equally divided between all my children namely Peter Britt, Joseph Britt,
and Asenath Britt, Nancy Britt, and Benjamin Britt, Matthew Britt and
Meritt Britt. Item, I lend my plantation whereon I now live (and all my
negroes and stock of all kinds and all my personal Estate to my loving
wife Batson Britt during her natural life or widowhood, and then all
except my plantation to be sold (and equally to be divided amongst my
children above mentioned, and my plantation and land whereon I now live
to be equally divided between my four sons Joseph Britt, Benjamin Britt,
Matthew Britt and Meritt Britt to them and their heirs forever. And lastly
I do appoint my brother Batson Britt and my son Joseph Britt my whole and
sole Executors of this my last will and Testament, I do revoke all other wills
heretofore made by me and I do establish this to be my last will and
Testament, At Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed
my seal this twenty & ninth day of January Anno Dom: 1796.

Signed and Sealed
in presence of
Benjamin Allen,
Elizabeth ^{his} Mias,
mark

Matthew Britt

At a Court held for Southampton County January the 16th 1809.
This last will and Testament of Matthew Britt deceased was proved by
the oaths of Benjamin Allen and Elizabeth Mias witnesses thereto (and is
ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of Joseph Britt and Batson
Britt the executors therein named who made oath according to law
probate is granted them thereof in due form, on giving Security, whereupon

Teste Samuel Wells

Thos: Glover's
Acct. Court

Estate of Thomas Glover dec'd. To Mills Everett admor		D ^r	
1800	To paid clerk for administration &c	70 cts	" 4 3.
	To amount of your note to me as Trustee for M ^r Everett		15 16.
	To paid for Coffin		1 10.
	To winding Sheet		" 9 2.
	To the clerk to record this Acct &c 75 cts		" 4 6.
	To 6 p ^{ts} &c cont: on \$28.13.6 for Selling the Estate		1 14.4.
			19 18.3.
			8 15.3.
	To hath due the Estate		\$ 28.13.6.
Supra b ⁿ			\$ 28.13.6.
By Sales of the Estate as acct			8 15.3.
By hath due the Estate			

Ans

In the name of God amen, I Jacob D...
do make and ordain this to be my last will and Testament in manner and form as
followeth. Item, I leave my land in the County of Greenville to be sold to
pay my debts, also my lands in Isle of White to be sold and the money to be
equally divided between all my children namely Peter Britt, Joseph Britt,
and Asenath Britt, Nancy Britt, and Benjamin Britt, Matthew Britt and
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I do appoint my brother Batson Britt and my son Joseph Britt my whole and
sole Executors of this my last will and Testament, I do revoke all other wills
heretofore made by me and I do establish this to be my last will and
Testament, At Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed
my seal this twenty & ninth day of January Anno Dom: 1796.

At a Court held for Southampton County January the 16th 1809.
This last will and Testament of Jacob D... deceased was proved by
the oaths of Benjamin Allen and Elizabeth Mias witnesses thereto (and is
ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of Joseph Britt and Batson
Britt the executors therein named who made oath according to law
probate is granted them thereof in due form, on giving Security, whereupon

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Appraisement

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