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J. Joyner
Will

In the name of God Amen I Joseph Joyner of the county of
Southampton being weak in body but of sound mind & memory do hereby
testify to be almost wholly blind for the same, do make constitute and ordain this writing
to be my last will and testament in manner of form following to wit
First I leave unto my daughter Elizabeth, Patsy, Mary, Susan & Mary Ann
acres of land on the back part of my young orchard unto the same
Barrett during their lives. And I give and bequeath unto the same
son Joseph the whole of my lands & what I am now possessed of
also one negro man by the name of George one still one small mare
& a bay colt fine head of cattle called his two sons & their heirs
& to his heirs forever. 3^d After the payments of my just debts to him
ballance of my estate I give unto my daughter Elizabeth, Patsy,
Mary, Susan & Mary to be equally divided between them, to them
& their heirs forever. Lastly I do hereby appoint my son Joseph
and my friend John Thomas, my executor to this my last will &
testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this 25th day of September one thousand eight hundred & seven

Joseph Barrett
Barton Chitty
Bolling B Barrett
Elisha C Barrett

Joseph Joyner decd. *(Signature)*

At a court held for the county of Southampton
the 19th day of January 1818 This will was presented in court by Joseph
Joyner the testator, then named, proved by the oaths of Joseph Barrett
& Barton Chitty two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be read.
On the motion of the said testator who made oath according to law
Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probat thereof in due
form, on his giving bond and security, whereupon the said Joseph
Joyner with Anthony Woodard & Richd. B. Day his securities entered
into and acknowledged their bond in the penalty of twenty thousand
dollars conditioned as the law directs

James Rockelle D

D. Bottom
Will

I Denny Bottom of the county of Southampton and state of Virginia
do hereby make my last will and testament in manner and form
following that is to say. First I give to my friend Benjamin
Branch of the county of state aforesaid the plantation or tract of
land whereon I now live to him and his heirs forever, I also give
to my friend Benjamin Branch all my other lands and tenements
lying to him and his heirs forever. 2^{dly} It is my will and
desire that my negro man Jim and my negro woman Age
should be emancipated if the law at the time of my death should
permit them to be emancipated, and remain in this state, but if they
cannot be legally emancipated and permitted to remain in this state
of Virginia aforesaid then and in that case, I give them and their
increase to my friend Benjamin Branch to him and his heirs
forever. 3^{dly} I give to my friend Benjamin Branch one