

Will of Mary D. Ramsey 1766

In the name of God Amen, I Mary Ramsey of Tinicum Township in the County of Bucks, and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvanis, being weak of body but sound memory (blessed be to God) do this thirteenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety three make and publish this as my last Will and Testament, in manner following, hereby revoking all others heretofore made. That is to say, First I will that all my just and lawful debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon as convenient after my decease.

Secondly I will that my Real Estate and plantation situate in Tinicum TOWnship in Bucks COunty Pennsylvania shall be sold by my Executors after the expiration of one year after my decease and not before, and my Executors hereafter mentioned I do hereby authorize and impower to sell and convey the same to any person in as ample a manner as if I myself were living and the moneys arising from the sale of my said real and landed estate I give and bequeath among my five sones, namely William Rramsey and David Ramsey, living in North Carolina, Robert Ramsey living on my estate in Bucks County, Thomas Ramsey living in Northumberland County in Pennsylvania aforesaid and Samuel Ramsey living in Sussex County, State of New Jersey to be divided among them in the following manner viz:

After all necessary expenses are paid my five sons before mentioned shall have the remainder of the money divided to them share and share alike excepting ten pounds shall be taken from William Ramsey's share aforesaid and given to my grandson William Ramsey son of Robert Ramsey, and also ten pounds taken from David Ramsey's share aforesaid and given to my son John Ramsey son of Robert Ramsey aforesaid, as to my personal estate, I give and bequeath after my decease a feather bed with a diamond rug with all its furniture unto Mary Ramsey my granddaughter and daughter of Thomas Ramsey aforesaid. Also one feather bed and furniture I give unto my granddaughter Mary Ramsey daughter of Robert aforesaid. And also I give my mahogany tea table to my son Robert during his life and after his decease to my grandson William, son of Robert aforesaid and also my desk I give to Jaine Ramsey daughter of my son Thomas Ramsey, also all my pewter.

I give and bequeath after my decease to Mary Ramsey daughter of Thomas Ramsey aforesaid, and Mary Ramsey daughter of Robert Ramsey aforesaid to be divided between them share and share alike.

Also all my wearing apparel I give and bequeath unto Mary Ramsey wife of my son Robert and Ann Ramsey wife of my son Samuel aforesaid to be divided between them share and share alike, and the remainder of my personal property that I have not willed away I give unto my tow sons Samuel Ramsey and Robert Ramsey aforesaid to be divided between them equally share and share alike, and I do constitute and appoint my sons RObert Ramsey and Samuel Ramsey aforesaid to be my executors to execute this my last Will and Testament. Witness my hand and seal dated the day and year above first written.

Mary D. Ramsey (seal)

Signed sealed and published in the presence of John Neese, Jacob Weaver, George Wall

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