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**Last Will
Testament
of Peter
Vardeman
Deceas^d**

In the name of God Amen July the 22nd On thousand Eight hundred and Eight I Peter Vardeman of Shelby County and State of Kentucky sick and weakly yet of perfect mind and memory do Constitute and Ordain this my last will and Testament First it is my will and Request that all my Just Debts be paid by me Executors.

Second I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Prudence the land whereon I now live being One hundred Acres which I purchased of my son in law George Marshall with all the Utentials and negroes for her support during her natural life Thirdly I will & bequeath to my beloved Daughter Prudence Marshall One negro Boy named Bob Fourthly I will & bequeath to my beloved Daughter Naomi Marshall One negro Girl named delily. Fifthly I will and bequeath to my Beloved Daughter Dorcas Overall one negro Boy named Jonas Also One by the name of Brackston. Sixthly I will and Bequeath to my son Thomas Vardeman 2 hundred Dollars to be paid by George Marshall instead of a negro Boy on or before the first day of August Eighteen hundred & Ten Seventhly I will and bequeath to my well Beloved Grand Child Patty Daughter of my D Daughter Molly mine fifteen pounds In property to be paid by the Executors Eightly I will and bequeath to my Beloved Grand Children Naoma Nash and Sally lancaster Daughter Molly Minefee One Dollar each to be paid by my Executors Ninthly I will and bequeath to my well beloved son Thomas Vardeman the within mentioned land.

Tenthly the property and negroes Remaining after the decease of my wife it is my will and Request that Equal Devision take place among my Children of said property and negroes the negroes to be so devided that if the lot as devision of One should excede the Other the One Receives the Gratis lot to make up to them that are deficient according to the excess of property that falls to them and the negroes to be divided among according to valuation without being exposed to sale

Item It is my will and Request and I do hereby appoint and Authorise my sons in law Lewis & George Marshall Together with my son Thomas Vardeman my Joint Executors in this my last will and Testament sealed with my seal and subscribed this 23rd day of July 1808

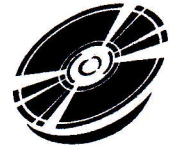
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**John Ford
Jesse Rice**

Peter Vardeman {seal}



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Samuel Ridgway

**Shelby County Sct October County Court 1811
This within last will and Testament of Peter Vardeman Deceased was
produced into Court and proven by the Oath of Samuel Ridgway a
subscribing witness thereto And Ordered to be Recorded
Att James Craig Clk**

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Samuel Ridgway, Shelly County Oct 1811

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Inventory
of
Appraisement
of the
estate of
Richard
Churchills
Deceased

The following is an Inventory of the estate of Richard Churchills Deceased Appraised by Lanty Johnston Nelson & Scotland & James Martin

	\$	Col	M
Seventy Shoats at			
Barrows at	14	50	"
5 cows	16	"	"
One sound Mare and Colt	5	50	"
One sound horse with a blaze face	49	50	"
One yearling Colt	30	"	"
One Bay horse	10	"	"
One Red Cow with a white back and calf	30	"	"
One Red Cow and Bull	11	50	"
One white Cow	11	"	"
One white horse	10	"	"
One white heifer	4	50	"
One white Steer	3	"	"