

In the name of God amen I William M^c Sharp of the county of Muhlenberg and state of Kentucky being of sound mind and memory and not knowing the certain time when it will please God to take my life which he has graciously given me I think proper to make of this endorsement my last will and testament in the first place I desire and request that my body shall be decently buried in a christian like manner and as to my soul I submit it into the hands of the almighty the donor of all things to be disposed of it agreeably to his own pleasure as to. &c. to my worldly effects which it has pleased God almighty to bestow upon me I give and bequeath in memory and honor following Viz
 Item 1 James H. & Elizabeth of Isaac S. Ellen et Sharp, the sons and daughters of William M^c Sharp & William M^c Sharp will to the children before mentioned one hundred dollars more than an equal division with my children

Item 2 I want the children to remain on the farm and sell all the surplus property & they all are to have a saddle & and my young children is to be educated & I do not want the land sold until the youngest child is of age & I also will Robert G. Shanks my sole administrator and to pay to Joseph Milligan two hundred dollars for building me a large barn when finished I and my last I will that my administrator have tomb stones erected at my grave & also at the grave of my deceased wife

Attest this 22 day of January 1838

G. W. Jones,
 Tho^s Pittman
 J. Milligan

William M^c Sharp

Muhlenberg County Court
 January 25 1838

The foregoing last Will and testament of William Sharp dec^d having been produced into court and proven to be the act and deed of said Sharp by the oaths of Joseph Milligan & Thomas A. Pittman two of the Subscribing Witnesses, there to is ordered to and Which is truly recorded Given under my hand this the date above written

W. H. Reno clk