

Martin Cutserger's Will 1832

A will In the name of God Amen

I Martin Cutserger of the county of Orange and State of Indiana being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind memory, and understanding. Bless be the Almighty God for the same do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following

First all my just debts to be paid. I do devise and bequeath unto my oldest son Jacob Cutserger fifteen dollars for the balance of his legacy of my estate. I do devise and bequeath unto Catharine Fricke my daughter fifteen dollars for her legacy of my estate. I do devise and bequeath unto Elizabeth Fricke my daughter fifteen dollars for her legacy of my estate. I do devise and bequeath unto my son Michael Cutserger a certain tract of land that he now holds a deed for as his legacy of my estate. I do devise and bequeath unto my daughter Polly Spaulding fifteen dollars as her legacy of my estate. I do devise and bequeath unto my daughter Margaret Gammon fifteen dollars as her legacy of my estate. I do devise and bequeath unto my son William Cutserger a certain young filly and saddle that is now in my possession as his part of the legacy that is now given to the balance. I do devise and bequeath unto my daughter Sally Cutserger sixty five dollars to make her legacy as much as the other girls of my estate. I do devise and bequeath unto my youngest son Martin Cutserger sixty five dollars to make his part of the legacy equal with the other boys. I also devise and bequeath unto my two youngest sons William and Martin Cutserger the plantation where I now live to be equally divided between the boys by my executor giving William Cutserger his part where I now live. I also do devise and bequeath all the balance of my personal estate to be equally divided between three of my daughters namely. Polly Spaulding, Margaret Gammon and Sally Cutserger to be divided by my executor.

I the said Martin Cutserger moreover appoint William Case and Michael Cutserger my sole executor of this my last will and testament truly revoking all other wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand

and seal this twelfth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one

signed sealed published and declared by the above named Martin Cutserger to be his last will and testament in the presence of who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of us and each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses to the same

John <sup>his</sup> Mullany  
Jacob <sup>mark</sup> Duffort

Wm Case  
Michael Cutserger



The State of Indiana }  
Orange County } Be it remembered that on the twenty <sup>46</sup>  
first day of May in the year 1832  
personally came before me in vacation John Mullam and  
Jacob Suffer Subscribing witnesses to the foregoing Will who  
made oath that they saw the testator Martin Cutseingon sign  
and heard him declare and publish the foregoing to be his last  
will and testament when of sound mind - and that they subscribed  
their names thereto as witnesses in his presence and in the presence  
of each other. In testimony whereof I hereto subscribe my  
name the day and date aforesaid  
J. H. M. [Signature]

## Martin Webb's Will

State of Indiana  
Orange County

In the name of God amen, the  
the twenty fourth day of November one thousand eight hundred  
and twenty eight Martin Webb of the county and state  
aforesaid planter being perfect mind and memory thank be  
given to God, therefore calling to mind the mortality of my  
body and knowing that it is appointed for all men one to die  
make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament that is  
to say principally ~~sole~~ into the hands of God that have  
it and for my body I recommend it to the earth to be  
buried in a Christian like and decent like manner at the  
direction of my Executor and Executrix nothing  
doubting but at the General resurrection I shall receive  
the same again by the right power of God, and as touching  
such local Estate where with it pleases God to bless me  
with in this life I give and dispose in the following manner  
and form it. ss: My Will I do order that in the first  
place; All my just debts and funeral charges be satisfied  
then the first I in like manner give and bequeath unto  
my beloved Wife, Martha Webb the land she now  
lives on supposed to be sixty acres during her natural  
life or widowhood; I like manner I give and bequeath  
all my stock and household furniture and kitchen  
furniture and all the farming utensils and shop  
tools, and all debts dues and demands; If in case she  
marries, I want the land and all the proceeds and sole  
and to be Equally divided between my wife Martha  
Webb and Andrew Webb and John Webb and  
William Webb and Nancy Webb and baby Webb and  
one she is like for; my wife shall be at liberty to be

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