

In the name of God amen! I Henry Clay of Ashland do make, ordain and publish the following as and for my last Will and Testament: hereby revoking and annulling all former and other Wills by me heretofore made.

I give and devise to my Wife during her life, all my the use and occupation of Ashland with the exception of the piece thereof hereinafter devised to my Son John, and also during her life all my slaves except those heretofore or hereinafter otherwise disposed of without her being liable to any account for the Profits thereof. I also give to her in fee all my furniture, plate, paintings, library, carriages and Horses, and such of my other houses, mules, working beasts, Arable Cows and other live stock as she may select and choose to retain but upon this condition nevertheless, that either during her life, or by her last Will and Testament she dispose of the same among our children and our other descendants in such way as she may think proper according to her own sense of their kindness, affection and obedience to her. If she die without making such disposition the same is to be considered as part of my residuary estate.

Should my Wife not desire to reside at Ashland after my death I will and direct that a house and lot be purchased built, or rented for her wherever she may prefer to dwell.

Upon the death of my Wife or if she shall determine to remove from Ashland, I will and direct that the sale of that estate and of all my slaves bequeathed to her except such as she may choose to retain during her