

In the name of God Amen I Joseph Pugh of the County
of Tucker and State of Georgia, being afflicted in body,
but of sound mind & memory and willing to make the
mortality of the body & knowing that it is appointed un-
to all men once to die, do make this my last Will and
Testament in maner and form as follows Viz In the first
place I commit my soul to God who gave it and my bo-
dy to the dust, to be buried in a plain maner and
so trusting such worldly substance as here the God has been
pleased to bless me I dispose of it in the following man-
ner, namely

To my dearly beloved Wife Elizabeth Pugh I
give the following property for her use and support dur-
ing her natural life, and at her death to be disposed
of as is herein after mentioned Viz. Sundry, Deer, Ben,
Jason, Solomon, Caroline Betty and a Lewis. Six of the
choicest milks, the stock of cattle & hogs as many planta-
tion tools as will be necessary to carry on her business, my
carriage and Suggy, the wagon and two oxen and every
I also the stock of sheep And it is further my will
that she have as much of my land in which I live as
she sees proper to cultivate and the use of the dwelling
house and such other out houses contiguous as she may
stand in need of, without rent, the use of all the house-
hold and Kitchen furniture spinning machine & cotton gin
during her natural life except such as are not otherwise
disposed of

To William H. Chistler the following negroes
Viz. Juliana Malissa.

To my son Walter B Pugh I give the following
negroes Viz Susan Gessa and a Nancy, and also one
fifth of my land lying in the

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