

and Seal thirteenth day of November, in the year of
one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven
and in the twelfth Year of the Independence of the United
States of America. Josiah Maxwell Seal
Witness

Stephen Baker
John Baker Junr.
Asimus Baker

} Proved and Recorded the 25th
day of April 1790
At: Alexander R. p.

Georgia). In the name of God Amen. I
John Foster, Planter in Liberty County in the State aforesaid
being awake in body, tho' of sound mind & memory, and con-
-sidering my mortality, do hereby make and ordain
this my last will and Testament, that is to say, first of
all I commend my soul into the merciful hands of
Jesus Christ my only hope and saviour, and my body
to decent burial at the discretion of my Executor, not
doubting the Resurrection of the same at the last day, and
as touching my worldly Goods, wherewith God has blessed
me in this life, I give and dispose of them in the following
manner, that is to say first, my will is that my Child's
and funeral Charges be paid out of my Estate.

Item, I give and bequeath unto my beloved Daughter
Mary Foster one negro Girl named Arney to Her and
Her heirs forever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my
beloved Son William Foster one Negro Girl named S. of

To Him and his heirs forever. Item, I give and
bequeath unto my beloved daughter Elizabeth Foster, one
Negro boy, named Stephen, and girl named Buter, to
her and her heirs forever. One Negro wench and her
Increase named Dinah, I leave to be equally divided
between all my children, when the first of them shall
marry or come of age, and all the rest of my personal
and Real Estate, I leave to be equally divided between
all my children when the first shall marry or come
of age. Lastly, I hereby nominate and constitute
my beloved Friends John Way and Samuel Jones my
Executors of this my last will and Testament, and I
hereby give and grant unto my said Executors, power
and authority for the use, benefit, behoof and best advantage
of my said Estate, and to do as they shall Judge, will
most conance to the Interest and welfare of my
Children, In witness whereof I the said John Foster,
to this my said last will and Testament have set my
hand and seal this twenty eight day of September
in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and
ninety, and in the fourteenth Year of the Independence of America.
Sealed, published and — John Foster Seal
Declared by us John Foster to
be his last will and Testament, in presence of us, who
at the Testator's request have hereunto set our Names
as witnesses. Signed.

James Wood

George Lane

And: Maybank Junr

Proved & Recorded this
26th day of October 1790
At: Alexandria, D. C.



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