

and Testament; in Witness whereof. I have hereunto set
my hand and Seal, this eighteenth day of March in the
Year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety
three. —

Signed Sealed Published and
delivered by the within Nancy
Jeffries, in the presence of (Us. —)

Nancy Jeffries Seal

John Lawson
John Graves
William C. Lawson

In the Name of God Amen. — I William Baker
of the County of Liberty, and State of Georgia Planter, being in
health of Body and Sound Mind & Memory, Calling to mind my
Mortality and knowing that it is appointed for all men Once to die
do make and Appoint this my last Will & Testament, in manners
and form following; Committing my Body to the Earth to be buried
with a decent and Christian like burial, at the discretion of my
Executors, And my Soul into the hands of God that gave it

I will that all my lawfull Debts and Funeral Charges be
paid; And in order thereto I hereby authorize and empower my
Executors to sell my Plantation & Tract of Land adjoining the meet-
ing land with all other pieces which have been purchased and
annexed therunto (if they find it necessary); and also to buy & sell
for the Use of my Estate, as the Majority of them shall Agree —
I give to my well beloved Wife Anna Baker One seventh
part of my Personal Estate, and the Use of One fourth part

all other Wills, Testaments and legacies whatever by me heretofore made or mentioned, Ratifying & Confirming this and no others to be my last Will and Testament. — — — — —

Published, pronounced & declared by the said William Baker to be his last Will & Testament this — day of — Anno Domini One thousand seven hundred and Ninety Six, in presence of Us. — — — — —

I the with Named William Baker intending the within Instrument to be my last Will and Testament, but not till, now Executed, do make this Codicil thereto, and to be a part of the same — And first I Will that, that part of my lands, as mentioned to be sold — as well as all my other lands be equally divided between all my Sons, all which I give to them their Heirs and Assigns forever. I Will that the wench Named Matilda and her Children be included as a part of what I have given my beloved Wife as within —

I then give and bequeath One Negro to be as nearly of equal Value as may be to each of my Daughters at the discretion of my Exors, & this to be in full for and in lieu of Lands which I give to them their Heirs and Assigns forever, —

And I do hereby Appoint Joseph Stevens Exor in addition to those named within — And I do hereby Ratify and further Confirm the within in every part that do not meddle against or Contradict this Codicil — And this I Publish, pronounce and declare to be, and in Addition to the within, my last Will and Testament, Executed this 4 day of October 1798.

in presence of ~~Me~~ that then words to each of my Daughters, well understood and taken notice of before signing
Robert Oswald
John Asgove
James Danvers } J.P.