

riously also I give and bequeath to my son James three hundred and fifty one & half acres of land lying, situated, Grifton and William Smith lying on Savannah river.

Also I constitute My Sons Edmund, James and Son in Law George Stovman Executors of this My last will and testament and trustees for my children

In witness whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal this second day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred & three.  
Test James C. Stark

James Green P.S.

Wm. Caldwell Jr.

Beswally appears in open Court James C. Stark  
and Wm. Caldwell Jr. and being duly sworn saith they  
have heard James Green do sign Seale Parker and by the  
within instrument of Writing as his last will and  
testament and at the time of his so doing he  
was of a sound disposing mind and memory to  
the best of their knowledge.

William Harper Esq. D.

The last Will and testament of James Green  
do record this 3rd day of December 1803

William Harper Esq. D.

In the name of God Amen I James Harris of the State  
of Georgia and County of Lincoln being sick and weak  
in body but of perfect and sound mind and memory therefore  
be unto almighty god for the same but calling to mind  
the Mortality of my body and knowing it is appointed  
for all men once to die do make constitute and  
ordain this my last will and testament by my principality  
and first of all I give and command my soul  
into the hands of almighty god who gives it and my  
body to the earth to be buried in a decent and Christian  
burial at the discretion of my Executors nothing  
doubting but to receive the same again by the Mighty  
power of god when soul and body are re-united at the  
general resurrection of the dead worldy

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State wherein with it hath pleased god to bless me with  
 I give and dispose of in manner and form following viz:-  
 first My will and desire is that all my just debts may  
 be paid and then I bequeath unto my beloved wife  
 Sally the land and plantation whereon I now live  
 together with the following negroes viz; Simon,  
 Peter and Fanny, together with all and singular my  
 stock of horses, cattle and hogs as also all my household  
 and kitchen furniture during her widowhood and in  
 case she should marry my wife is that she should  
 have an equal part with my children during  
 her natural life and the remainder to be kept together  
 for the use of my children viz, Henry, Betsey, James  
 Adams and one that I am apprehensive that my  
 wife now is pregnant with to be equally divided  
 as the others at maturity and after my wife's  
 decease my desire is that her fourth part of  
 the lands may in like manner be equally divided  
 among my children and in case my wife should  
 not marry after my decease and the estate remain  
 in her hands to wit the one fourth then and in  
 that case after her decease my will and desire is that  
 her part may be equally divided between my children  
 Henry, Betsey, James, Adams and the one she is now  
 pregnant with to them and their heirs forever

I nominate and appoint my loving wife Sally  
 Executrix and my two friends William Dawson and  
 Robert Paul Executors to this my last will and testa-  
 ment and charge them with payment of my just debts  
 and the education of my children whom I desire to  
 have well educated in literature at their own expense  
 out of their share of patrimony. I do hereby disavow  
 all former wills and testaments ratifying and confirming  
 this and no other to be my last will and testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my  
 hand & seal this twenty third day of September  
 in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and

Eight hundred and three  
Signed sealed, pronounced and  
declared in presence of us who in  
presence of him and each other this James Harris (S)  
his last will and testament

First Henry Smith

Shadrack Mims

Nancy Bonor

Personally appeared in open Court Henry Smith and  
being sworn deposed that he saw James Harris do sign  
Seal and acknowledge the within instrument of writing  
as his last will and testament and at the time of  
his so doing he was of a sound disposing mind and  
Memory. To the best of his knowledge and also saw  
Shadrack Mims and Nancy Bonor sign as above  
witnesses thereto. Henry Smith

William Harper C.C.O.

The last will and testament of James Harris  
deceased recorded this seventh day of December 1803.

William Harper C.C.O.

In the Name of God Amen I William Walker of the  
State of Georgia and County of Lincoln being very pale  
and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory  
Thanks be given unto god letting into mind the mor-  
tality of my body and knowing that it is appointed  
for all men once to die do make and ordain this  
my last will and testament that is to say principally  
and first of all I give and command my soul into  
the hands of almighty god that gave it and my body  
I command to the earth to be buried in decent Christian  
burial at the discretion of my executors nothing doubting  
but at the general re-creation I shall receive the same  
again by the mighty power of god and notwithstanding  
such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased god to  
bless me in this life after all just debts which  
I have contracted