

In the name of God Amen: I Samuel Steel of Trade Co
 & State of N. Carolina being weak in body yet of a sound Mind & perfect
 understanding & Memory, do constitute this my last will & Testament
 & desire it may be received by all as such. First, I most humbly bequeath
 my Soul unto God my maker; & desire my burial may be decent.

As to my worldly Estate, I will & Positively Order, First all my debts,
 be paid, Then I give & bequeath unto my son in law Joseph M. Haffey,
 my table. Again I give & bequeath to my granddaughter Jean Steel
 my bed & furniture & all the dresser & Kitchen furniture & Empliments,
 Again, I give & bequeath unto my grandson A. Alexander Campbell
 my Saddle & bridle & when all the plantation tools & every sort of my Books
 Again I give & bequeath unto my grandson George Campbell Ten pounds
 in money & a small Bill. The remainder of my money after discharging
 my debts & the expence of Burial. I give & bequeath unto my above mentioned
 Grandson Samuel Alexander Campbell. Lastly I constitute my true
 friend James Steel executor of this my last will & Testament in witness
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this Eighteenth day of May
 One thousand eight Hundred & Forty Seven.

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In Presence of
 James Steel

Henry Steel

Samuel Steel