

of December in the year of our Lord 1774 in

John Hager

Abraham

My 2d Beloved

James Scott



In the name of God Amen. I James Scott of South Carolina
County in the province of S^c Carolina being sick & weak of
Body but of perfect mind & memory Thanks be given to
God, therefore calling to mind the mortality of the Body
& that it is appointed for all men once to die, Do make
& declare this my last will & Testament: That is to say
Principally & first of all, I give & bequeath my Soul to
Almighty God who gave it, nothing doubting but
I shall receive the same again reunited to my Body
at the General resurrection by the Mighty power of
God, & my Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried
in a Christian like & decent manner at the discretion
of my Executors— And as Touching such worldly goods
& Estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with in
this life I give, Devise, Bequeath & dispose of the same
in the following manner & form— First I will and
call my lawful debts & several charges to be honestly
paid out of the whole of my Estate— Then I give & Bequeath
unto Sarah my dearly beloved wife, my Young Son
Mar, his saddle his bed & furniture to gether with
one third part of the plantation whereon I now
well serving her natural life— Item 2^d I give to
my dear & only Daughter Sarah I leave
& to my well beloved daughter Mary I leave
each of them one horse & saddle & a bed &
bed clothes— Item 3^d I will bequeath
to my daughter Mary I leave one third part of the
plantation whereon I now well serving her natural life
& to my well beloved daughter Mary I leave

at eighteen years of Age. & to have the Expense of her
 schooling paid out of the whole of my moveable Estate.
Item 3^d I give & Devise & bequeath unto my much beloved
 son David Sloan a certain ~~Tract of Land~~ ^{Tract of Land} containing
 three hundred acres or thereabouts which I bought from
 Mr. Crack. Item 4th I give, ~~bequeath~~ ^{bequeath} unto
 my well beloved son John Sloan & Robert Sloan all the
 Rest of my ~~deceased~~ ^{deceased} ~~length~~ ^{length} which I allow to be equally
 divided between them & Robert Sloan that part
 whereon my ~~deceased~~ ^{deceased} ~~brain~~ ^{brain} stands and he to fall
 into his ~~deceased~~ ^{deceased} ~~burial~~ ^{burial} ~~grave~~ ^{grave} at the age of
 Twenty one years. ~~allowing~~ ^{allowing} ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~deceased~~ ^{deceased} ~~son~~ ^{son}
Robert to give his mother one convenient room in
 said dwelling house to give her a comfortable
 maintenance & to keep & maintain one maid for his said
 mother during her widowhood. Item 5th I give and
 bequeath unto my well beloved son James Sloan
 Twenty pounds to be paid out of my moveable estate
 & it is my will that my said son James be bound
 out by my Executors to learn the Black Smith Trade
 or any other creditable Trade which he may choose
 and Lastly it is my will that all the rest, Residue &
 Residue of my Goods, Chattels & moveable Estate be sold
 at public Auction & the money there arising (after
 deducting what is mentioned above) to be equally
 divided between ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~dearly~~ ^{dearly} ~~beloved~~ ^{beloved} ~~wife~~ ^{wife} & my
 seven Children — And I do hereby nominate constitute
 & appoint my dearly beloved wife Sarah Sloan, my
 beloved son David Sloan together with my trusty &
 beloved Brother John Sloan to be Executors of this
 my Last Will & Testament. & I do hereby wholly revoke
 & disallow all former Wills Testaments or Executions
 by me in any wise made nominated or appointed
 Ratifying & confirming this & no other to be my last Will
 & Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand and seal this Twenty fourth day
 of March in the Year of our Lord Christ 1772

signed, sealed, published, pronounced & declared by
the said James Stoen as his last will & Testament
in the presence of us

Matthew M. Stoen

James Stoen

Daniel D. Stoen

John Stoen

In the name of God. I Thomas Stewart of Scotch
Irish County & State of N. Carolina, being to mind my mor-
tality & knowing that it is appointed for all men once
to die, Do make this my last will & Testament --
Imprimis I give up my soul to almighty God
who gives it hoping his gracious acceptance of this same
& that his merits of the ever blessed & adorable Jesus, his
as it shall please God to bless me with a numerous fa-
mily & a little of this worldly goods I have to dispose of
about of the worldly goods I am possessor of being my wife &
family in the following manner. Item I bequeath to my
well beloved wife Elizabeth Stoen a young boy now
called Swift & her saddle, and bed & bedding of clothes with
her spinning wheel & the kind of all the necessary
effects of goods & chattels, Together with her living on the
place I now possess clearing up & a house I bought
from brother Levi Stoen & Caroline Stoen & Adrian Stoen
with her wearing apparel. Item I bequeath to my well
beloved son William Stewart a mare of the white skin
& now live on at Stoen house & of her living
at the plantation some of that field between the old school
house from there to a white Oak standing in the field right
over the garden from there a straight line as far as to
my seven line or claim goes all on the south & east side
of the above described line. I bequeath unto my son
William together with my blue silk of clothes his horse
& saddle it is to be observed that the line from said place
from is to last as far as my claim. Item I bequeath
to my son Thomas Stewart his horse