JOHN OWENS

In the Name of God Amain I John Ciwns of ninty six Destrick being sick I in a low condition or body out of perfut mind and memory thanks be unto God for it calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to... die 1 do make and ordain this my last will a testament that is to say, principally and first of all E give and recommend my Soule into the hand of Almighty God that give it and my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in decent. Christan burial at the discretion of my executers nothing doubting but at the gell eral resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and as touching worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this wife I give and demise and dispose of the same in the folling manner & form -- First I give and bequeth unto my loving wife Ulyms all and singarly my whole estate that I hold now in posheshion that is lands and movibles while she is alive or in her widowhood and at the altration of life the whole is to be devided equaly monest the three Girls that now it was that is Heliner Secondly 1 Blain Rosey Oiwns & Maxey Oiwns & leave and bequeath unto my son William Diwon one english shilling Kirdly I leave and bequeath unto my Daughter Keety Oiwon one english shilling. Fourthly + leave and bequeath unto my Daughter Jane Oiwons one english shilling. Fifthly I leave and bequeath unto my Daughter ElizebethOiwons one english shilling. Sixthly le Beave and bequeath unto my Daughter Marget Diwns one english smilling . Mastly I apoint constute make and ordain William Stuart & ames Seawritht Executors of this my last will and Testament to see my Childen done justice. I do hereby utterly disalow Abbeville County Wills 1787-1815

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