

WILL OF

JAMES PETTIGREW

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In the name of God amen, I James Pettigrew, of the dis-  
trict of ninty Six South Carolina, being weak in body,  
but of perfect mind & memory, thanks be given unto God,  
calling to mind the mortality of my body, and knowing that  
it is appointed for all men once to die, do make & ordain  
this my last Will and Testament; that is to say, princip-  
ally & first of all, I give & recommend my Soul into the  
hand of <sup>my</sup> allmighty Redeemer that gave it, and my Body I  
recommend it to Earth to be buried in decent Christian  
Burial at the discretion of my Executors, nothing doubting  
but at the Resurrection I shall receive the same again  
by the mighty Power of God. And as touching such worldly  
Estate wherewith it has pleased God to blese me in this  
Life, I give, demise, & dispose of the same, in the follow-  
ing manner, and Form

Imprimis, I give & bequeath to Mary ~~PETTIGREW~~ my dearly  
beloved wife, & companion in all my tribula-  
tions for & during her Life the one half of the  
Tract of Land on which I now live the dividing  
line, beginning at the conner Northeast, & runn-  
ing to the South West, with all the improvements  
thereson; likewise my Negro Man named Jack, &  
Negree Woman Named Phillis, likewise two Horses,  
& two cows, to be chosen by Her out of my stock  
as also all the Sheep Mags &-C I possefs

Item, I give & bequeath to my Daughter Martha Witherspoon,  
to my Son John Pettigrew to my Daughter Mary Verner,  
& to my Daughter Jean Tilly, to each, one dollar if  
likewise to  
demanded / My Sons James, & George Pettigrew each  
one dollar

Item. I give & bequeath to my Son Ebenezer the one half of  
the Tract of Land on which I now live, the part which