

WILL OF  
JOHN ROBERTSON, SEN.

In the name of God Amen I John Robertson Sen.<sup>r</sup> of the County of Abbeville and State of South Carolina being weak of body but of sound and disposing mind and memory Blessed be God therefore but calling to mind the uncertainty of life and that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say Imprimis my soul I recommend to God who gave it my body I gave to the earth in sure certain hopes that it shall be raised up by the power of God at the last day and as Touching and concerning such worldly goods as it has pleased God to bestow on me I give bequeath ~~to my~~ <sup>in the following</sup> manner in the first place I Will and devise that all my just debts and funeral charges be paid and satisfied Item I give and bequeath to my dearly beloved wife Jeon Robertson my Negrow man named Sam and his wife Delph and her child named Amy and Increase of the s.<sup>d</sup> wench and the third part of all my stock in cash and all my plantation tools and household furniture and the plantation whereon I now live during her lifetime and at her Death my desire is that the whole may be equally divided between my two sons William Robertson and Robert Robertson--Item I give to my son William Robertson one Negrow wench named Florance and my Negrow man named Andrew & the wench's increase--Item I give and bequeath to my son Robert Robertson my Negrow boy named Sam and Negrow girl named Nancy and one Tract of Land containing two hundred Acres that I purchased of Joseph Salvador wheareon Bennet Comer formerly lived--Item I give and bequeath to my son John Robertson Twenty-five Pounds Sterling to be paid him in cash out of my Estate--Item I give and bequeath to my Oldest son Andrew Robertson one hundred acres of Land to be lade of to him out of my Land & all the remainder of my Lands and Estate not already mentioned to be equally divided between my two sons William Robertson and Robert Robertson <sup>Robert</sup> I make constitute and ordain my two sons William Robertson and Robert Robertson Executors of this my last will and Testament and I do hereby revoke disallow and make her by void all former and other wills by me made confirming this

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AND as my laft will and Testament sealed with my seal and dated this thirtieth day of May one thoufand seven hundred and eighty seven and in the Eleventh year of the Independance of the United States of America Signed sealed publifhed and declared by the above named John Robertson Senr. for and as his laft Will and Testament in prefence of us -----

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JOHN X ROBERTSON Sen. L. S.  
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Ad<sup>r</sup> C<sup>r</sup> Jones

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