

WILL OF

JOHN JENNINGS

In the name of God; amen. The Fifteenth day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Nine, I John Jennings of the District of Anderson in the State of South Carolina, being through the blessing of God, in a sound State of mind and memory, but weak in body, and calling to mind the frail tenure of this life that it is appointed to all men once to die, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament, that is to say, I will and bequeath in the manner here following.

First. I bequeath and commit my spirit into the hands of God who gave it. And after my death it is my will and desire to be decently interred and the expenses paid out of my estate.

Secondly. It is my will and desire that a sufficient amount of property be sold to pay all of my just debts.

Thirdly. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Jane all my land, and all my other property, ~~after paying my just debts as~~ above stated, to have to hold and dispose of, in any way or manner she may think proper, entirely and unreservedly forever: provided however that all the property or its proceeds which may be left at her death, shall be equally divided between all my children, or their lawful heirs.

Lastly. I appoint and make Roberson Smith and Joel H Berry my sole executors of this my last Will and Testament, and I do hereby utterly revoke and disannul all and every other former Testament Wills, Legacies and bequests and executors, by me in any way before named, willed and bequeathed; ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal; the day and the year, above written.

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Signed, Sealed and declared by the above

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