

State of South Carolina ) In the Name of God Amen I Edward  
Barnwell District ) Kirkland Planter Being in a Low  
State of health, and Calling unto mind that is appointed for  
all men Once to Die, Do make ordain and appoint this my last  
Will and Testament that is to Say principally first of all of  
all I give and Recomend my Soul into the Hand of Almighty God  
Who gave it me, and my Body I Recommend to the Earth to Buried  
at the descretion of My Executor Nothing Doubting But I shall  
Receive the same again at the at the day of Resurrection by  
the mighty Power of God-----

Touching such wordly Estate as it hath pleased God to Bless  
me with I give demise and Disposal of the Same in following  
manner and form- first I give and Bequeath unto my dearly be-  
loved Mother Mary Kirkland, My Negro man Jack, Secondly, give  
or wish raised out of my Estate one hundred & fifty dollars  
to My Sister Ann Beal, anually During her Natural Life, pro-  
vided she Intirely disowns Nathan Beal as her husband, but  
provided she the said Ann is know to have any Commucation with  
Nathan Beal this Legacy to Cease from that time-, all the re-  
maing part of my Estate Real ~~and Personal~~, not already beeded  
of Coveyed away I give and Bequeath to my Brother William  
Townsend Kirkland Whom I ordain Constitute my True and Lawful  
Executor and I do herby Disallow Disown & Disannul all other  
Wills hereafefore made By me Confirming this to be my last  
Will and Testament in Witnefs hereof I have set my hand and  
Seal this 24th of March in Year of Lord one thousand Eight  
Hund & seven and in the thirty first Year of america Inde-  
pendance

Edward Kirkland (SEAL)

Witness--

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