

WILL OF

JAMES DAVIS

In the Name of God Amen I James Davis of the County of Winton in South Carolina being through the abundant Mercy of God the Weak in Body, Yet of Sound and perfect Understanding and Memory I do Constitute this to be my last Will and Testament and desired it may be Received by all as Such, First I most Humbly Bequeath my Soul to God, my Maker Beseeching, his most Gracious Acceptance through the all Sufficient Merits & Mediation of my Most Compassionate Redeemer Jesus Christ Amen, blefed be the Name of God. I give my body to the Earth from whence it was it was taken in full Assurance of its Resurrection from thence at the last day. I Constitute my Wife Ann Davis as an executrix and my Sons Guardiner & James Davis as Executors I Bequeath my Lands and all my Living Viz. four Negroes Namely Lucy, Hannah, Joseph, & Phillis, my Horses Cattle &c to my Beloved Wife during her Natural life and also at the decease of my Wife I bequeath my whole Living that is to say both Real and personal Estate to my Three Sons Viz. Guardener, James & Budd Davis by an Equal distribution amongst the Three In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Thirteenth day of October 1792 --

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James K Davis (SEAL)
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Budd X Davis

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Daniel Green, J. P., Orange Burgh District.

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