

South Carolina. In the name of God, Amen. I, Joshua Washington
Box 4 Former of the City of Charleston do declare this to be my last Will
N. 19 & Testament; I give devise & bequeath to my beloved wife, Thirty thousand
Dollars, to be taken in any part of my property which she may select
In addition to which, I give her my Carriage & Horses, all my house
hold furniture & plate & Library. The rest & residue of my Estate, I
give devise & bequeath between & among my children, Henry, John,
Eliza & Eleanor - share & share alike equally to be divided between
them, after deducting from the share of my son Henry Laurens, the
sum of Ten thousand dollars which I have advanced to him in
my life time. Having given my Daughter, Ann Wagg the sum of
Eleven thousand Dollars, I expect my son in Law William Wagg
to secure this portion to my beloved Grand Daughter Ann Toomer
Wagg, should she survive him. I therefore do not add to her portion,
knowing that the tender Love, her Uncles & Aunts for their much
beloved Sister, her sainted Mother, will induce them always to take
care of her & to share with her their portions if need be in their
opinion. I constitute my Wife, Executrix & Guardian to my minor
children. Should she die before the Estate is divided, I constitute
my son Henry Laurens Toomer, Executor & Guardian to my minor
children. My son must see that the sum I usually paid to my
sister, be punctually paid; and I bequeath to her a mourning
Bust Pin as a token of affection. I leave my niece Harley
Toomer fifty dollars p Annum & to Annetta & Martha each fifty
dollars - fifty dollars, in addition to the Taxes & expenses on her
House to be

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Toomer fifty dollars pr Annum & to Henrietta & Martha each fifty
dollars - fifty dollars, in addition to the Taxes & Insurance on her
House to be annually laid out in clothing & other necessaries for
my Sister Mary. I hope that my son in Law will see that the
property I gave him for my Daughter be secured to her Opinion,
jointly with him, & to her if she survives him.

Witness my hand & Seal this fifth day of June, Ann

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Dominic Eighteen Hundred & Forty Nine. Joshua W. Fomer.

Signed & sealed in our presence and in the presence of each other. Daniel Kavenel. J. F. Robinson. J. Kingman.

Proved before Wm. Lehn Esq. O.T.D. on the 15 day of September 1840. and on the 21 September 1840, qualified Eliza R. Fomer, Executrix.

Box 4
No. 22
United States of America, Charleston S.C. Wishing to die in the Christian Religion. I bequeath my soul to God, my body to the Earth to be decently buried. I bequeath and give all my property real and personal to Belsie Antoine during her natural life, and that after her death my property shall return to my Children Amelie Cecile and Remis Sean; and in case that I recover and that I have other issue by her, there shall be an equal division at the end of one Year after my death. I would request my Executors with the permission of the above named Belsie Antoine that they will dispose of it, to the highest bidder, permitting her to retain such Articles as will suit her convenience. I would request my Executors aforesaid to take care of my Children, to instruct them in religion education and morals as far as means will permit. The last request I ask of them on my death bed. I would request them to pay no debts except those which are written in my Book of Entries. I would request them as soon as they have means in hand to have one