

South Carolina
Colleton County

In the name of God Amen

Colleton County and province of being of sound mind and memory do hereby
be Almighty God for the same and humbly the same to be
Life do make and ordain this my last will & Testament in the
following terms & Principally I Resign my soul unto Almighty God
it me hoping through the alone merits & Intercession of my Beloved
Jesus Christ to obtain Pardon & Remission of my sins my Body I bequeath to the
Earth to be decently Buried at the Discretion of my Exors & they be my will
and as to the my dear goods wherewith it has Pleased God to bless me I bequeath
as follows I bequeath I give that all my just debts such as I have
be just paid Satisfied & so Touching my sd debts of my sd estate I am
Satisfied to stay till the Income of my Estate works out my sd debts
then my will further is that my Beloved Wife Elizabeth Elliott shall
order & direct such part of my Estate for the payment of the same as she
shall think fit I Give I Give I Give I Give I Give I Give I Give I Give
Beloved wife Elizabeth Elliott the use of all my real & Personal Estate during
her natural life & if she have any heir or heirs lawfully Begotten of her Body
at the time of my decease I Give I Give I Give I Give I Give I Give I Give I Give
Estate af^r to such heir or heirs and if none Children that one my will is yt all
my said whole Estate be Equally divided among them when and when alike but
if my sd Beloved wife should die without any heir or Children as af^r my will
then is that my Real Estate be divided according to my Brother William Elliott my
Personal Estate shall be Equally divided between my sd Brother William my niece Mary Elliott
sister daughter of W^m & Elizabeth Butler & my sd Brother William my niece Mary Elliott
friend & kinsman Thos Elliott just my dear Beloved Wife Elizabeth Elliott my Exors & heirs of
this my last will & Testament Revoking & making void hereby all former wills by me
heretofore made, declaring this and this only to be my last will & Testament In witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 20th December 1750.

Signed Sealed Published & declared to
be the last will & Testm^t of the Testator
in the presence of us

Witness
Elisha Butler
m^r Henry

Stephen Elliott B

This will was Read before
his Ex^{cy} the Gov^r the 15th of
March 1750 & at the same time
the Ex^{cy} herein named
Qualified