

Miles Rivers' last will and testament Number X. 10 No 44
 In the name of God Amen I Miles Rivers of Ashley river and of the
 said County of South Carolina Planter being weak of body but of
 perfect memory thanks be given to Almighty God for the same setting
 No 49 termined the mortallit of my body and that it is appointed for all men to die
 Therefore recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it and my
 body to Christian埋葬 according to the description aforesaid Executioe hereof to my
 executors and to the world estate goods and chattels God has been pleased to bless me with
 (After all my debts and funeral expences paid and discharged) I give and bequeath the
 same as follows: To my wife Mary one neigbor named Alannah Lott and her assignesmen and their heirs to be divided
 among said wife at the time of my decease Also give and bequeath unto my said wife
 all the land I had by her together with liberty to dwell in the house and plantation now
 known by the name of her widowhood. Give also and bequeath unto my self
 Thomas my dwelling house and plantation and to my heirs and assigns forever. But if
 he happens to die and leave no issue then my self is the same should go to the child of
 my said wife to son with my self house and assignes forever. Also give and
 bequeath all the rest of my estate goods and chattels not heretofore given are bequeathed
 by me in thre quartals to be divided between myself and son Thomas by my wife
 to have the said part. Lastly I naming remanant and respend my self Thomas
 my self the sum even amitt 40 Pounds to be Executed of this my last will and
 testament not having done any thing to the contrary of this my last will and
 testament concerning dividing and making and setteling sumers with my self
 before by me made. Ratifying affixing to and见证 my last will and testa-
 ment. In witness whereof I have written set my hand and seal this 20th day of
 February in the year of our Lord 1777. And George Peteson
 William Mason and Samuel Horden witness to the same on the 21st day of Feb 1777
 Signed sealed published declared by us as in this testator
 Miles Rivers to his last will & testament in the presence of
 Wm Miles Rivers in Horden Other Mason
 mark

Miles Rivers Jr.

Signed and attested

19 April 1777. Personally appeared before me Elizabeth Rivers, Deborah Horden and
 Wm Mason three witnesses to the written will was found to be true and perfectly
 Evangelist Peteson they were present and did see the above Rivers Rivers sign seal
 and affix and set her and publica and declare the above instrument as
 his last will and testament and that he has then certain understandings to the
 best of his knowledge and that they subscribed their names as witnesses in the
 said testator presence and at his request.

20 April 1777 Recorded p Chas Hart Socy.

Dr. Middleton

Letter of Warrant granted that the executors & executors by the Hon. Dr. Middleton 8th Aug 4, 1777

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testator

The last will and testament of George Peterson late Planter testis to so
 South Carolina. In the name of God Amen this day of April in the
 year of our Lord One thousand and seven hundred twenty and eleven. George
 Peterson of South Carolina in Berkeley County in the County of Calhoun County
 being weak of body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be
 given to Almighty God for the same do make and ordain this my last will &
 testament in manner and form following that is to say. First I commend
 my soul into the hands of Almighty God hoping and assuredly believing by the
 precious death and merits of blessed God and Saviour Jesus Christ have
 and deserve full pardon and remission of all my sins. And my body I commit
 to the Earth from whence it was taken like decently enterd at the discretion of
 my executors hereinafter named. I by Testis that all my just debts and
 funeral charges be first paid & discharged. I by sign and signature at all the
 times and in my estate after my debts be paid both real and personal being
 what kind and nature soever either in this Province or in any part of the World
 where it maye shall be found more special that one tract of land containing
 four hundred and fifty acres less more or less Buttins and Boundary to the
 Southward & Westward belonging to the Barony Called Mattos Little cataract or
 lands belonging to the Southward on lands belonging to
 and to the Westward on lands belonging to _____ unto my self and living
 wif Elizabeth Peterson and my daughter Elizabeth Peterson to be equally divided
 between them share and share of the testator and their heirs forever. Lastly
 I make over my young brother William Blavell the true only and sole Executioe
 of my last will and testament making null and void all former will and
 testament and testators by me heretofore made or intended to be made.
 Signe sealed published and declared by the
 testator George Peterson to his last will and
 testament in the presence of Elizabeth Burdell
 and Wm. Burdell Esq. Attestig

George Peterson Q

5 May 1777

Personally appeared before me Elizabeth Burdell Jacob Burdell &
 Wm Miles the three subscribers witnesses to the above and witness att
 wo being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God deince whereon
 Thursday 5th day of May last they were present and did see the above and
 witness named George Peterson signe seal publish and declare this present
 instrument containing now produced to them to be the last will and testament of
 the said George Peterson and that at the same time the said George Peterson
 was found to be of sound memory understanding to the best of these
 deponents judgment and that they these deponents did generally subscribe these
 names as witnesses in the said testator presence and at his request.

10 May 1777 Recorded p Chas Hart Socy.

Mr. Middleton

Letter of Warrant granted 5 May 1777 to Wm Blavell qual. Esq by the Hon. Dr. Middleton

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