

# In the Name of God, Amen.

William Hrust of the Parish of St Andrews in Pickley, County being sick and Weak in Body but of sound and perfect mind and understanding, thanks be to almighty God for the same, do make and Ordaine this my Last will and testament in manner and forme, following, That is to say First and principally Give and bequeath my soul into the hands of my Almighty Creator, hoping for pardon and forgiveness of all my sins in and through the merits and intercession of Jesus Christ my only blessed saviour and redeemer and my body I Commit to the Earth to be buried in such Decent manner as my executors hereinafter named shall think meet and Convenient and as concerning such Temporal Estate as by the blessing of God I am now possessed of Give and Disposse therof as followeth, Item Give and bequeath all that my two lots of land withall the buildings Edifices, Tenements and Hereditaments whatsoever therunto belonging situate lying and being at ashley Ferry in the Parish beforeaid unto my Dear and loving Wife Elizabeth Hrust, during the term of her natural life, and then unto my Children of my Brother Thomas Hrust (of the County of Surry in old England) namely, William, Thomas, Mary, and Jane, Hrust, and unto the Children of my Brother John Street (of the same County of Surry) namely William, Anne and Jane Street to be equally Divided amongst them and to the heirs of their Bodys lawfully to be begotten for ever, Item all my Goods - Chattels

Chosen by the said Infant Child taken she shall attain to the age  
Twenty one years.

Given under my hand before the County  
Third day of April in the tenth year of his Majestys Reign anno  
Dominii 1737

Recorded 23 April 1737

Province of South Carolina. I

In the Name of God Amen the  
twentieth and sixth day of December in the year of Our Lord God One  
Thousand Seven hundred thirty and five 1735, I James Hrust in  
Whynaw prince frdick parish and County of Craven Planter being very  
weak in Body but in perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God  
therefore calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing  
that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make and Ordain this my  
Last Will and Testament that is to say principally and first of all I  
give and bequeath my soul unto the hands of God that have it and  
for my body I recommend it to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like  
manner at the Discretions of my executors nothing doubting but at the  
General Resurrection I shall Receive the same again by the mighty  
power of God, and as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath  
pleased almighty God to bless me in this life I give during and Disposse  
of the same after and in the following manner and form  
Imprimis Give and bequeath to Robert Young my Neighbour or my Son  
in law fifty pounds this currency  
Item, Give and bequeath to my Daughter Margaret Hrust fifty Pounds

more

This Currency this to be paid after my Death  
 As to the Remaining part of my Estate I have as follows etc.  
 Item, I give and bequeath to my Deare beloved Wife One  
 third part of my Estate this Remaining  
 Item, Give and bequeath unto my beloved Son Robert Fetherby the  
 Remaining two thirds parts of my Estate and my Will is  
 that During his minority the said two third parts of my  
 Estate Remaine in the hands of my loving Wife during her  
 Widowerhood but in case my Wife should before me then my  
 Will is that the said two thirds parts of my Estate shall return  
 unto the hands of my other Son's hereafter mentioned for the  
 use of my said Son and in Case of mortality to any of my said  
 Children my Will is that what is hereby bequeathed to the  
 Deputed shall be equally divided amonst the survivors Lastly  
 Nominate and appoint my loving wife Elizabeth and William  
 Swinton Esq; from James Fetherby Charles Town and Francis  
 Fetherby to be executors over my last will and testaments and to do  
 hereby utterly disallow Provoche and Disannul all and Every  
 Other former Testament Wills and legacies Bequests and Devises  
 by me in any ways before this time named Willed and bequeathed,  
 Righted and Confirmed this and no other to be my last Will and  
 Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand  
 and seal the day and year above written.

Signed sealed published pronounced James Fetherby (seal)  
 and Declared by the said James Fetherby  
 as his last Will and Testament in  
 presence of us the subscribers

John Thomson Junr.

William Fleming

David Fulton.

B. J. Oath of the Within Power from the hand of Thomas  
 Broughton Esquire Lieutenant Governor John Fleming John  
 Thompson & David Fulton who being duly sworn on the holy  
 Evangelist Declare they were present and did witness the Within men-  
 tioned instrument publish and declare the instrument hereunto  
 annexed to be his last Will and that he was at the same time of  
 sound and disposing mind memory and understanding to  
 the best of their knowledge and the said Deponents say they  
 severally subscribe their names as Witnesses in the said Testator's  
 presence and that they were present and saw the within named  
 William Fleming subscribe his Name as a Witness thereto likewise  
 Have administered the Oath according to the law Directs to the  
 within mentioned Elizabeth William Swinton and Francis  
 Fetherby three of the executors to the within will  
 sworn before me this —  
 Twenty third day of April  
 1739 — John Wallis Jr.

South Carolina. By the honble Thomas Broughton Esq; Lieut  
 Governor &c of this Province and Ordinary  
 of the same.

To John Wallis Esq;

Permitting special trust and confidence in the integrity  
 fidelity and incorruption of you the said John Wallis have  
 and by these presents Do give unto you full power and authority  
 to examine the several Writings to the last Will and Testament of  
 James Fetherby late of Craven County in the province aforesaid  
 Planter deceased upon their Corporal Oaths on the holy Evangelists  
 of almighty God before you to be taken touching the due Execution  
 of the same according to the form of the Statute in that Case made  
 and,

AND provided, and advised you of your Mngs: know you  
are to make and have under your hand and seal to me  
at the Council Chamber in Charles Town for my approbation  
and allowance, you are also to administer the usual Oath  
to the Custos thereon named constituted and appointed.

Given under my hand and Seal this  
fourteenth day of January in the tenth  
year of his Majesty's Reign anno Domini 1736.

I Hammerton *[Signature]* Tho. Broughton *[Signature]*

Recorded the 30<sup>th</sup> April 1737.

In the Fear of the Lord Amen Thomas  
Kimberly of Charles Town in Berkeley County in the province  
of South Carolina Merchant Considering the uncertain time we  
have in this life and being in perfect sense and memory blessed  
by the Lord therefore Do this twelfth day of November in the  
year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and thirty six &  
the tenth year of the reign of George the second of Great Britain  
France and Ireland King etc. Make and publish this my  
last Will and Testament in manner and form following that to say  
I primitis commend my soul into the hands of almighty God  
who gave it and my Body to the Earth from whence it came in  
hope of a Joyfull Resurrection through the alone merits of my Lord  
and Saviour Jesus Christ and as to that Mortal Estate which it  
has pleased God to bless me with I dispose thereof as follows to wit

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I Henry the said Thomas Kimberly of Charles Town  
Chapman did by a Deed of gift or Haffement bearing date the  
Nineteenth day of November anno domini 1721 with the Consent  
and approbation of my said wife Isabel Kimberly testified by her  
setting her hand and seal thereto in Consideration of my good  
Will and affition to my Daughter in law Anna Shute Wife of  
Joseph Shute and of the Shillings Current money did give grant  
Morgan Bell Transfer Convey assue and Conform a tract of Land  
Containing six acres English measure to the same more or less  
Situate in Berkeley County near Charles Town lately bought and  
purchased of George Claypool as by Indentures of sale and Release  
bearing Date the fourteenth and fifteenth days of March anno  
Domini 1728 to have and to hold the said six acres of Land with all  
houses Edifices Buildings as shall be thereafter built thereon  
and all appurtenances theron then standing growing or being or  
therunto belonging or in any wise appertaining unto the said  
Anna Shute Wife of the said Joseph Shute her heirs and assigns for  
ever and which Deed of gift or Haffement contains sundry  
Declarations Covenants agreements and proviso as by the said  
Deed reference being thereto to had will more fully appear the  
said Thomas Kimberly do hereby Confirm and allow of the said  
Deed of Haffement or gift and of every thing therein contained &  
do hereby Devise the said tract to the person or persons in the said  
Deed mentioned according to the intention of the said Deed and  
subject to the several Covenants and Declarations therein inserted  
leaving to my said wife Isabel for life Remeinder to the said Anna  
Shute and her heirs for ever Item I give and bequeath to my  
Brother John Kimberly One Shilling Sterling, Item Five Pounds  
and Divise all the rest and Residue of my Estate real or personal  
and all my goods and Chattels to my Beloved Wife Isabel Kimberly  
her