

of my Estate Here my will is & I hereby Constitute
& Appoint my friends Mr James Skirring & Mr John Glegg
Exors (& Testamentary Guardians) of this my last will & Testament
and in case of their Deaths or Resignation then my will is
that Charles Sanders & William Sanders Son of James Sanders
be Testamentary Guardians & Exors of this my last will & Testament
and I do hereby Revoke all former wills by me made & do
make & declare this only to be my last will & Testament
In witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
Affixed my seal this Ninth day of November one
Thousand Seven hundred & forty nine and in the
twenty third year of his Majesty's Reign

Signed Sealed & Declared to be his
last will & Testament in Presence of
Law^r Sanders (S)

Jr^o Moore
Jos. Waring
Rev. Postell

This will was Proved before H. Hymie Esq^r by
Virtue of a Subpoena the 18th March 1750 & at
the same time James Skirring Esq^r one of the
there named Exors Subscribed — 11 — 11

Bequeath and dispose of it in the manner following
Imprimis I give and Bequeath unto my dearly beloved wife
Ann Benison fifteen negroes and her to enjoy the same forever
without any sort hindrance or Molestation whatsoever Then I
give unto my said Beloved wife Ann Benison the Residue and
Remainder of my Estate Vizt all my goods & Chattels with all
other Properties of what kindsoever that do now shall appertain
unto me after a Division made of my fathers Estate between my
Sister & my Brother & self lastly I Constitute & appoint
my dearly Beloved wife Ann Benison my whole & Sole Exec^r
of this my last will & Testament In witness whereof I
have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 12th day of March
in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred
& fifty

Signed Sealed Published & Declared
to be last will & Testament of
the above named Testator in
in the Presence of us

J^m Benison (S)

Mary Boone
Charles Benyon
Levi Hubbard

This will was Proved before his Esq^r
the 19th of April 1751 & the Esq^r Subscribed

South Carolina In the name of God Amen I William Benison
of Christ Church Parish in Berkeley County Planter being of
Sound & Perfect mind & memory Considering the uncertainty
of human Life do make this my last will & Testament in
Witness and form following Ist & Principally I Commit my
Soul into the hands of my Creator trusting in his Mercy for
the merits of my Redeemer for the Remission of all my sins
my Body I Commit to the earth to be buried at the discretion
of my hereafter named Exec^r unto my Temporal Estate I

In the name of God Amen I Elizabeth Clapp Daughter and
Devisee of Ebenezer Clapp late of Charleston in the province of South
Carolina Merchant And being sick and weak of Body but of Sound
and disposing mind memory and understanding thanks be to
Almighty god for the same knowing that it is appointed for
all men once to die do in order to settle my Temporal affairs
make & declare my last will & Testament first Recommending
my Immortal Spirit into the hands of my Great Creator
trusting in his mercy and the merits of my beloved Saviour for
Pardon of all my sins and a happy admission into the
Regions of Bliss & Immortality & Finally the disposing
of such Worldly Estate with which it hath pleased God