

In the name of God amen I Abraham Anderson of Berkeley County South Carolina being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory Bless God for his mercies calling to mind the mortality of all flesh and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner following. First I bequeath my soul to God that gave it me and my body I give to the earth from whence it came to be buried in a Christian manner at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named. Inprimis I bequeath and give to my loving wife Ruth all and singular household furniture her riding horse and saddle two best work horses six cows and calves and the privilege of killing the stock any she thinks necessary before the division. Excepting two beds and their furniture I also give her all my negroes Slaves and my home stead place during her natural life or day of widowhood I give and bequeath to Jacob Brown one negro girl called Nancy after the decease of my wife I also give and bequeath to William Gordon one negro boy called Bobb I also give and bequeath to Dorcas Gordon and George Gordon jointly and severally one negro woman called Chloe I also give and bequeath my dwelling plantation to be equally divided between my four youngest sons that is to say Abraham Henry Henry and Jacob my son Jacob to have my homestead place after my wife's decease my will and desire is that the residue of my Estate lands and Chattels be divided so that all my children and my wife's children have and equal part of it. Only William Gordon Jacob Brown Dorcas Gordon and George Gordon to have one half part with the rest in consideration of their legacies mentioned before. Item I give and bequeath my son Joshua my large bible and it is not to be valued with the rest I appoint my son Thomas Gordon and my Abell Anderson to be the Executors of this my last will and Testament utterly disavowing all former wills Ratifying and confirming this to be my last will and Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my

my Seal this 11th of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Sixty Three.
Signed sealed and acknowledged
before
Jm. Aubrey }
Philip Mithley }
Charles King }
Witnessed by virtue of a deed directed to Edmund Magnare Esq. 25th day January 1765 at the same time qualified Ruth Anderson
Executrix

In the Name of God amen I Jacob Naight of John's Island in the Province of South Carolina being sick & weak in body but of sound and disposing mind and memory (Blessed be God) therefore do this twenty seventh day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Sixty four and in the fifth year of the reign of our sovereign Lord King George The Third make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say Inprimis I commend my soul into the hands of almighty God who gave it me and my body to the earth from whence it came in sure and certain hopes of a joyful resurrection through the merits of my Lord and saviour Jesus Christ and as for that worldly Estate which it hath pleased God to enrich me with I dispose thereof as followeth (that is to say) First I will that all my just debts and funeral charges be paid by my Executors hereafter named as soon as conveniently can be after my decease. Item I give devise and bequeath unto my Brother William Naight and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten all that my plantation or tract of land of land situate and being on St. Helena Island in Charleville county in the Province aforesaid and in case of his death without such issue then my will is that my said plantation or tract of land on St. Helena Island aforesaid shall descend unto and become vested in my next heir male of the name of Naight and to the heirs of such stock. Item I give unto my Brother William Naight and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten all those my five negroes named Peter Carolina Henry May and one Old woman named Legg and in case of my said Brother's death without issue males then I give the said five negroes unto my next heir male of the name of Naight. Item I give and devise unto my nephew Abraham Naight the son of my Brother Abraham Naight and to his heirs and assigns all that my plantation or tract of land where I now live situate lying and being on John's Island in Colleton County in the Province of S^c Carolina. Item I give to my Brother Abraham Naight my new boat together with all and singular the sails and rigging to the same belonging. Item I give to my sister Mary