

South Carolina

In the name of God Amen

The Twentyeth day of November, Anno Domini 1758, in the Thirty second year of His Majesty's Reign; I Henry Bonneau of Berkeley County in the said Province of South Carolina, Planter, being very sick and weak of Body but (blessed be God) of sound and Disposing Mind & Memory. Considering the uncertainty of this Transitory Life and the Certainty of Death, I do make publish and Declare this my Last Will and Testament. Infirmities I recommend my Immortal Spirit to God, who garrat, in and through the merits of Jesus Christ my Blessed Saviour and Redeemer, in whose Righteousness I trust for the Pardon of all my Sins, and for eternal life and Salvation and my Body at death I Comitt to the Earth to be buried in a decent and Christian manner at the Discretion of my Executors and Executors hereinafter named, and as to my Worldly Estate, I will and Dispose of the same as follows: First I will and ordain, that all my Just Debts and Funeral Expenses shall be duly paid and that with all possible Expedition after my Decease I give Devise and bequeath unto my Dearly beloved Wife Sarah Bonneau (on the Terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned limited and Declared of and concerning her, and not otherwise) after my said Debts and Funeral Charges shall be paid and Discharged; my negro Wench named Fanny, and her youngest Daughter, named Billy and each of their Future issue and Marriage, my Riding Chair & Harness thereto belonging, one Horse, a Side Saddle, and one bed, Bedstead and Turnstone to the same belonging, with one third Part of all the Surplus, Rest and Residue of my Clear personal Estate for ever, and also all the use of all that my Plantation and Land where I now live with the appurtenances thereto belonging for and during the term and time, she my said wife Sarah shall live my Widow and no longer. But I do hereby declare that the said several Legacies Gifts and Devises by me herein given to my said Wife, are so given and bequeathed unto, and are meant and intended to be in Recompense full Satisfaction and Bar, of all such Dower, Interest Customary Part Share or Thirds of in or out of my real or personal Estate which she can or may claim, Challenge or Demand any Dower, Thirds Customary Part or other claim or Interest in or out of all or any my Estate Real or personal, except only such part thereof, and for such Estate & Interest as is herein given, bequeathed and Divided unto her, I do hereby Will Declare and appoint, that all and every the Devises, Legacies Gifts and Bequests to her herein given, devised and bequeathed shall be void and of none Effect and in such case I give devise and bequeath the same in such manner as the Surplus Rest and residue of my Estate is hereafter given devised & Disposed of. I then I give devise bequeath all the Surplus Rest & residue of my Estate as well real as personal, whatsoever and wheresoever unto my Loving Son, and only Child Henry Bonneau at his arrival to the age of Twenty one years or when he shall have issue of his Body lawfully begotten, which shall first happen, To have and to hold thence forward to him his Heirs and Assigns forever and I will and direct authorize and Impower my Executors or

Hereinafter named, to maintain Cloath, School and Educate him
 suitably in the meantime, out of the Profits and Gains thereof.
 And in case of the Death of my said Son Henry Bonneau before
 he shall attain his age of Twenty one years or have a lawful Issue
 of his Body begotten as aforesaid, then and not otherwise I further
 give bequeath Devise, and Dispose of the said surplus, Rent and
 residue of my Estate in manner and form following, that is to say
 I give and bequeath unto my loving Sister Elizabeth Simmons for
 and during her Natural Life, and no longer the use or interest
 of the sum of Five hundred pounds current money past thereof
 in such manner and way, as my Executors and Executors
 hereinafter named shall in her life or their Discretion see fit
 and at the Death of my said Sister Elizabeth Simmons,
 further give the said Five hundred Pounds principal unto my loving
 Son Henry Simmons his Exors admors or assigns forever
 Item to my loving Brother, Samuel Bonneau his heirs and assigns
 for ever, my Plantation which I now live on, being in Two Tracts,
 containing in the whole, about six hundred and ninety Two acres
 off and with the appurtenances. Item to my loving Brother
 Benjamin Bonneau his heirs and assigns for ever, my Plantation
 which I now live on being in Two Tracts containing in the whole,
 about six hundred and ninety Two Acres of Land with the appurte-
 nances. Item all the rest and residue of my said Personal Estate
 unto my said Two Brothers Samuel Bonneau & Benjamin
 Bonneau to be equally shared and divided between them, their
 heirs and respective Executors admors and assigns by my said
 Executors or Executors hereinafter named. Lastly I nominate Constitute
 and appoint my said loving Wife Sarah, so long as she shall live
 my widow and no longer and also upon Condition she shall agree
 to and accept of the Legacies and Devises mentioned in and
 given to her by this my last Will and Testament on the Terms
 hereby limited and declared, and not otherwise, Executors
 of this my said last Will & Testament. And I hereby Constitute
 & appoint my loving friend Captain John Delargue and said
 Two Brothers Sam Bonneau and Benjamin Bonneau Executors
 of the same, and do hereby utterly revoke and make void all other
 Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made or declared. In
 Witness whereof I the said Henry Bonneau have to this my said
 last Will and Testament set my hand and seal the day and year
 first above written.

Henry Bonneau (ES)

Sealed, Published & Declared by Mr. Henry Bonneau & For his
 last Will and Testament in the presence of us who in the
 presence and at his request have severally subscribed
 hereunto as witnesses.

William Barden
 Lewis Mazon
 John Leroy

Given before the Governor in the Court of Ordinary the 13th.
February 1761, at the same time qualified Sarah Bonneau Esq.
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In the name of God Amen.

I Ralph Izard of Berkeley County in the Province aforesaid being of sound and disposing mind and memory thanks be given to God, Do make and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say, I recommend my Soul unto almighty God, hoping for eternal life, through the merits of my Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, my Body I commit to the earth to be buried at the Discretion of my Executors hereinafter named, and as to such Worldly Estate as God hath bestowed upon me, I give and Dispose of the same as follows. I Will that all my just Debts and funeral Charges be first paid, I give and bequeath unto my son Ralph Izard my Plantation whereupon I now live called Buxton together with my land up the Cypress path left me by my Father also my part of a Tract of Land left me by my Brother Thomas Izard - called Mountboone, and my Plantation on New Savannah, which I purchased from Dr. Rhind, Mr. W^m Green & Mrs. Golding, also my Plantation on Combakee River, which was given to me by my Father and my Brother Thomas Izards, to have and to hold the said Plantations or Tracts of Land unto my son Ralph Izard and to his heirs for ever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Walter Izard, and to his heirs for ever my Plantation on Timothy Savannah which I bought from Mr. James Durand also my share of Land on Lady's Island left me by my Father Thomas Izard, to have and to hold the said Plantations or Tracts of Land unto my son Walter Izard and to his heirs for ever.

Item, I give and bequeath unto my Daughters Sarah Izard and Rebecca Izard, my Plantation at Wasserau, left me by my Father in Law Joseph Blake Esquire, and by my Father Walter Izard Esq^r, which said Plantation or Tracts of Land, I give and bequeath unto my Daughters Sarah Izard and Rebecca Izard and to their heirs for ever. Item in case either of my said Daughters, should Die before they come of age, or without lawful Issue, Then I give the said Plantation or Tracts of Land, unto the Survivor of them, and to their heirs for ever. Item I will and empower my Executors hereafter named to settle a Plantation upon my Combakee Tract of Land given to my son Ralph Izard on a Run commonly called the Sheep Run, and to clear and Plant as much of the Run Land as my Friends, as shall be necessary Negroes as my Exors shall think fit until my Daughters respectively come of age or Day of Marriage. Item if Mrs. Gallagher had been living in my family at the time of my Death, I will and empower my Exors to pay her fifty pounds sterling, over and above such wages that may be due unto her. Item I do hereby