

WILL OF

ABSALOM GALLOWAY

In the name of God, Amen, the first day of January one thousand seven hundred and ninety three and in the seventeenth year of the Independence of the united States of America I Absalom Galloway of Darlington County and State of South Carolina planter being very sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto 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 & recommend my Soul into the hands of God that gave it, and my Body I recommend to the Earth, to be buried in decent Christian Burial at the discretion of my Executors; nothing doubting but ^{Index to Darlington County Will Book 1 (1785-1797)} ^{www.southcarolinapioneers.net} 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 God to Bless me in this life, I give demise and dis pose of the same in the following manner and form. Imprimis I lend to Rachael my dearly beloved Wife one third of the plantation whereon I now I live for her dowry during her widowhood I give Her one bay Mare two Cows and Yearlings one pot one Skillet one dish and a half-dozen of pewter plates two Basons half a dozen of Knives and forks one spkinning Wheel and Cards and lastly all the Hogs and Sheep in my mark for her Children begotten by me and my former Wife 's Children till they become of Age. Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Penelope Wilson one Shilling Sterling Item I give and bequeath to my Son James his heirs and assigns a Negro fellow named Moses and that when he attains to the age of twenty one Item I give and bequeath to each of my daughters namely Margaret Tilpah Elizabeth and Mary one featherbed Item

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give and bequeath two pots and the remaining part of my household effects And I do hereby constitute and ordain Jehu Mixon and Samuel Mixon Executors of this my last Will and Testament and I do hereby utterly disallow revoke and disannul all and every other former Testaments Wills Legacies and Bequests and Executors by me in any ways before named willed and bequeathed ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and testament In witness whereof I have here unto set my hand and Seal the day and Year first above written

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