

WILL OF
REUBEN SMITH

In the name of God amen I Ruben Smith of the State of South Carolina Greenville District being Unwell but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God calling unto mind the mortality of My body and knowing that it is appointed for all min once to die do make and ordain this my last will and Testament that is to say princely and first of all I give and Recommend my soule into the hands of the Almighty God that give it--and my body I recommend to the Earth to be Buried in Decent Christain Burial at the Discretion of my Exeors. nothing Doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall Receive the same by The mighty power of God, and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me with in this life I give Demise and Dispose to the same in the following Manner and form.

Item First I give and bequeath to my beloved Daughter Millissa Walker two negroes woman one named Susanah the other named Pheba and also forty Dollars in cash and about thirty eight Dollars that Ed. Walker now Owes me--Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved Son Ruben Smith one negroe boy named James, in addition to the one that I have Give him before--Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Sarah land one negroe man named tom and one negroe girl named Feariba--Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved Son Abner Smith one negroe man named Dick and one negroe boy named Andy--Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Wm. Smith one negroe man named Sip and one negroe girl named Vina--Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved Daughter Mary Vaughn two negroe woman one named bet the other named Judah and one negroe boy named Jacob on her paying Fifty Dollars to her Brothers and Sisters. Item I give and Devise unto my beloved son John Boson Smith all my plantation and Tract of land where on I now live containing four Hundred and Forty three Acres--also I give and bequeath unto the Ed. John D. Smith One negroe lad named Abraham--and all my household and fur-

nitum and shows--Item the Remains of my estate to be Equally
divided between all the lawfull heirs of my Body--And I also con-
stitute and appoint my beloved sons in law David Vaughn Benjamin Land
and Nathaniel Walker, and my beloved son Abner Smith the Sole Execu-
tors of this my last will and Testament in witness whereof I have
hertsunto set my hand and seal the 9th day of June 1810

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D. Goodlett O.G.D.