

In the name of God Amen I David Muckelduff of South Carolina
Horry District planter being weak of Body but of a Sound mind
and memory and Calling to mind the Mortality of the Body and
knowing that it is ordained for all man once to Die do nominate
and Constitute this my Last Will and testament first I Give my
Soul to God that Gave it and My Body to be buried at the Discre-
tion of My Executors hereafter mentioned and as touching my
Worldly property that it hath pleased God to Bless me with I Give
and Dispose of in the following Manner and form here after men-
tioned -----

first It is my Desire that my Executors as soon as Convenient
after my Death Shall Sell My two negro fellows George & Ben and
the Money arisinge their from Shall be Laid ^{out} / in Buying young
negroes for the use of My family and after the period of Seven
years have Liberty of Selling Jack & Sam and the money Laid out
as above for young negroes and them Negroes So bought by ^{my} Execu-
tors Shall be Considered as part of my personall Estate and be
Divided as such I Give my Beloved wife Mary Muckelduff the use
of third part of all my Lands During her Life with one fift part
of all my personall Estate that is to say and Equal Share with my
four Children of all my Negroes hores Cattle and hogs & Sheep
house & kitchen furniture and at her Death to be Equally Divided
amongst My Surviveing Children

I Give and Bequthe unto my son William all my Land that I shall
have at the time of my Death with on feather Bed and furniture
the Remainder of my Estate be Divided Between My son William &
Daughters Rebekah Ann & Elisabeth Share and Share alike to
Receive thair Shares as thay arrive to thair Lawfull age but if
any of My Childreen Should Die Before that time thair Share be
Divided amongst My Surviveing Childreen -----

Lastly I nominate Constitute and apoint My Father inlaw Adam
Jordan and Rich, Green ⁴ ^{8r} Executors to this My Last Will and test-
ament to pay my Just Debts and to See My Estate / as above
Directed and I do hereby Revoke and Disanul any other will or

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**under my hand and Seal this October one thousand Eight hun-
dred & three and in the presence of these witnesses**

David McKeluff (Seal)

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