

WILL OF

SAMUEL DAWSEY

In the name of God Amen. I Samuel Dawsey of the State of South Carolina and Hery District Being Very Sick and Weak In Body but of perfect mind & memory thanks be god for his blessings Calling to mind the mortality of my Body and Knowing that it is appointed for all men once To Die Doe Make & ordain this my Last will and Testament That is to Say Principally & First of all I give Recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it and and my Body I Recommend to the Earth to be Burried in In Decent Christian Burial at the Descretion of my my Executors & as Touching Such worldly Estate wherewith It has Pleased god to Bless ~~me~~ with in this Life I give Demise & Dispose of the same in the following Manner and form First I Give and bequeath unto my Beloved Mother Sarah Dawsey one Negro Girl Named Beck and one Negro Man Named Tom and one Boy Named York and one woman Named Unty and one Gray Gelding horse, I give and Bequath unto my beloved Brother John Dawsey four hundred acres of Land in South Carolina in Colleton Distr on the Indian field Swamp that I Bought from Samuel Millar all the above named Negroes but Beck to Return to my Brother John Dawsey after the Death of my Mother, I Like, wise Constitute and appoint my well Beloved Brother John Graham juner and Mother Sarah Dawsey the sole Executors of this my Last will and Testament and I Do hereby utterly Difallow all and Every other former Testaments wills Legesys bequeath and Executors by me before mentioned willed and bequeath-
~~ed~~ Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to Be my Last will and Testament witness wher of I have here unto Set my hand and Seal this third day of October in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and three

Signed Sealed Published pronounced and Declared by The Said Samuel Dawsey as his Last will Will and Testament in the pres-
ents of us who In his presents & in the presents of Each other have have here unto Subscribed our Names

Samuel Dawsey (Seal)

Richard Lawrence

Deity Graham

Penelope Avant

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