

WILL OF

WILLIAM CLEMSON.

In the name of God amen I William Clemson of Camden dist  
trict planter in the State of SeCarolina, This 30th day of  
June 1784 being of sound and disposing mind & memory do  
make and ordain this my last will & testament in manner  
& form following, first that my funeral charges and all my  
lawful & Just debts be paid.

Item I give & bequeath unto my son Michael that plantation  
or Tract of Land contg. 100 Acres which I now dwell on,  
neverthelefs my dear and well beloved wife is to have the  
priviledge of living upon <sup>d</sup>Land during her natural life--

Item, I do positively order that when my son Michael arrives  
to the age of Twenty one years That my two negroes named  
be equally divided between my wife and all my children each  
to have an equal share, provided nevertheless if my said  
wife be then alive, she is to have one negro during her  
natural life, and after her death to be divided equally  
among all my children--

Item my wish and desire is that my daughter Martha's pro-  
portionable part of the above mentioned Negroes, and the  
cattle she has already rec'd be to her her and her Issue for  
ever , Item my wish & desire is that the whole profits made  
of my estate after my death be equally divided between my  
wife and Seven children viz--- Katherine, Sarah, William,  
James, Christian, David & Michael, and if any of my said  
Seven children die before of age their part to equally  
divided among the Surviving children.

And lastly all the rem<sup>r</sup> of my estate shall be equally  
divided into Seven equal shares, between my said Seven  
children Viz---Katherine, Sarah, William, James, Christian  
David & Michael, when my said son Michael is twenty one  
years of age, he now being in the Seventh yr of his age---  
And further that my children be schooled of the whole profits-

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And I do hereby authorise, constitute nominate and appo. my  
dear wife Martha Ext--. Arthur Clemmons and W. Clemmons my  
two fens Executors of this my last will & testament. and do  
hereby disannul every former will & testament & do declare t  
this my last will & Testament in the presence of  
  
Witnesses

John McFaddien

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William x. Clemmons (SEAL)

John Graham

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Robert Graham

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Jno. Dickey J.P.

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