

WILL OF

ELY POSTON

State of South Carolina) In the Name of God Amen

Marion District

) I Ely Poston of the state and District

afore said being Sick but in perfect mind and memory thankse be to god for his mercyes Calling into mind the mortality of my body 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 and Recommend my soul to god who gave it and my body I Recommend to the Earth to be buried in a Christian manner and as touching such worldly Estate whare with it has pleased god to bless me with in this life I give dimisses and dispose off in the following manner and form -- first I gave to my beloved wife one Cow and Calf and all the household furniture she has now in posseessen off I also give to my bolved Daughter Elisabeth one Cow and Calf which she has now in posession I also gave to my beloved son Isaacs Poston one Cow and Calf which he Claims the mark of I also gave to bolved Daughter Nicy one feather bed and furniture that belongs to the bed I also gave to my beloved grandson David poston one hundred acres of land Joining North west on larry Cains land East Cypress branch being a part of a track land bought of Thomas harman one hiffer Earling in my mark one she goat her kid I also gave to my well beloved son in law James Daniels whence I likewise appoint Constitute and ordain my sole Executor of this my laist will and testament I gave to said James Daniels one feather bed and furniture that belongs to it half dozen of Chairs one small Desk I also gave to my beloved son in law andrew Poston two Dollar I also gave to my beloved son ched Poston two Dollar I also gave to my beloved son Aaron Poston one Cow and Calf I also gave to my beloved son Elijah Poston one Dry Cow the Chys feather bed and furniture belonging to it the largest Desk half dozen Chaires the Remained part of my Estate to be sold all my my Just debts paid the ballance if any to be Equally devided betwene James Daniels Isaacs Poston Aaron Poston Elijah Poston my wife Elisabeth Poston signed sealed ~~and delivered~~ this the 10th of November 1843 in the presence of us

John P. Coleman
Josiah Poston
John Bellflower

Ely Poston (SEAL)