

In the name of God Amen I James Bigham of South Carolina
Marion District Being frail in body but of sound mind and
understanding thank be to Almighty God for the same do make
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my corps. to interred in my own burying ground in a Chris-
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daughters Martha Bigham and Jane Bigham One hundred and twen-
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whereon I now reside the land to be laid off at their own e-
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and calves/^{two sows} and ten year old hogs Two Bedsteads beds and fur-
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Kitchen furniture my full share of the provision crop now
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heirs and assigns forever. Item I give. and bequeath unto
my son John Bigham One hundred acres of land to be laid off
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land adjoining Thomas Stephenson and John Haile supposed to
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son James Bigham and daughter Elisabeth Frierson (residing in
the State of Tennessee) One hundred Dollars each to be paid at
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Dollars each and Samuel Bigham to pay One hundred and twenty five dollars it being their full share of my Estate both Real and personal to them their heirs and assigns forever. It is further my will and desire that the whole remaining part part of personal property which I may die possessed of be sold at Publick auction by my Exors and the monies arising from said sale be appropriated for the purpose of paying the debts contracted for the use of My Estate and the balance if any there be to be equally divided between my four sons John David, David William and Samuel to them and their heirs forever And I do nominate constitute and appoint my said four sons John Bigham, David Bigham, William Bigham, and Samuel Bigham my lawful Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all and every other Will or Wills at any time by me heretofore made and do declare this to be my last Will and testament In Witnefs whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Thirty first day of August in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifteen

John Gregg

James Bigham (SEAL)

Daniel Smith

Robert Hudson

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Thos. Harllee, Ord.

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