

WILL OF

WILLIAM GRIGGS

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN I William Griggs of Marion District and province of South Carolina Planter, being Sick and weak in Body but of Perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God Therefore Calling unto me the mortality of my Body and knowing that it is Appointed unto all men once to Die do make and ordain this my last will and testament, that I to say Principally and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul into the hands of God that gave it, and my Body I Recommend to the Earth to be buried in a Decent Christian Burial at the discretion of my Executors nothing Doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Mighty power of God and as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me in this life I give demise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form-----

Imprimis I Will that my lawfull Debt be Discharged and paid, Item I will that my Negroe man named Jack, have his freedom together with all my wearing apparel Except such part as shall be hereafter mentioned and the above named Negro Jack is to Remain on the plantation of M^{RS} Mary Davis and to be under her protection, Item I give and bequeath unto Beloved Nephew William Godbolt one Bay Mare Team will and Bequeath unto my beloved Nephew William Collins one sorrell Horse, Item I give and Bequeath unto my Beloved friend James Davis one Shot Gun Item I give and Bequeath unto my Beloved friend Zachariah Godbolt one Saddle & Bridle-I Also do constitute and Appoint my Beloved Friends Zachariah Godbolt Demsey Collins and Mary Davis Sole Executors and Executrix to this my last Will and Testament and do hereby utterly Revoke and disannul all former Wills Bequest or Legacies by me in anywise made heretofore, Acknowledging Ratifying and Confirming this to be my last will and Testament. In Witnes whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Nineteenth day of March in the year of our lord one thousand Eight Hundred

Sealed Signed published & declared William Gregg (SEAL)
In the Presence of--
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Sarah Robert
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