

In the name of God Amen I George Cherry of the State of S
Carolina, and County of Marlborough being Sick and weak of
body but of sound mind and memory, do make and declare ~~this~~^{just}
my last will and Testament, I do recommend my soul to God who
gave it and my body to its mother dust to be burrid in a de-
cent Christian like manner,----- first it is my desire that
all my Just debts be paid.

2 dly It is my desire that my beloved wife and Children be
decently maintained out of my estate at the discretion of my
executors until my Son George Cherry Arrives to the age of
twenty one years, Also my wifes daughter Sarah McTear

3 dly I give and bequeath to my Beloved Daughter Elizabeth
two hundred pounds Ster.g. to be paid her on the day of her
marriage or when she shall arrive to the age of twenty one
years which I do consider Equal to the Hands I have given my
daughter Sarah.

It is my desire that my executors hereafter to be mentioned
doly out Six hundred Acres of land beginning at my Corner
where Watkins land adjoins Humes,s land thence Runing East
with saidHumes,s line to my East Corner thence along with my
other until it ascertains the quantity of six hundred Acres
which is to be euqgly divided between my ^{two} Sons George & John---
it is my desire that my plantation in Cashua Neck and on the
marsh be rented and my five negro men (viz) Lot, Adam, mingo,
Toby and Harry be hired out until my son George arrives to
the age of twenty one Years, at which time it is my desire
that all my estate both real and personal not heretofore dis-
posed of shall be equally divided between my beloved wife
Susanna and ^{all} my Children (viz) Elizabeth, Sarah, George, Cath-
erine, John and the Child that my ^{wife} is now pregnant with, also
Sarah McTear except the two Hundred pounds before mentioned
to Elizabeth & Sarah is to be divided out of their dividend
of my estate at said direction, notwithstanding ^{if} my wifes

daughter ~~Sarah Moreau~~ or my daughter Catherine, or either of them should marry before said direction takes place,--- it is my desire they should each have a Negro or the value thereof at the discretion of my executors and lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint my friends, Thomas Evans, Susanna cherry, Stephen Williams, George Cannon, George Hodges and Frances ~~no~~ Ly, my executors & executrix to this my last will and Testament, and hereby ~~vesting~~ ^{vesting} with full power to Act for my Heirs and I do hereby revoke every former Will and declare this to be my last will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this ~~Seventh day of January in the year of our Lord one hundred~~ ^{Sixty} and ninety eight-----

George Cherry (LS)

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Susanna X Cherry (LS)
mark

Signed, Sealed & Acknowledged

before us

Test Herman Gibbs

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Test Lyda Gibbs

Recorded 7th day of March 1798

Elizabeth Evans

Case I Box I.

J. Winfield CLK.