

WILL OF

JOHN KOON.

South Carolina }

Be it known by these presents that I, John Koon, of the State and District aforesaid, do make and ordain this to be my last will and testament in manner and form following, viz.

First, I resign my soul to God who gave it me,

Second, I will that all my just debts be paid by my executor

Third, I will and devise to my son David Koon, Fifty acres of land, as will more fully appear by a deed here to fore executed by me to my said son.

Fourth, I will and devise to my son Jacob Koon Fifty acres of land, as will more fully appear by a deed here to fore executed by me to my said son.

Fifth, I will and devise to my son Ephraim Koon Fifty acres of land, being one half of the tract of land where on I now reside, to him and his heirs forever.

Sixth, I will and devise to my beloved wife Barbara Koon Fifty acres of land, being the other half of the tract of land where on I now live, to be laid off so as to include the dwelling house and all the out buildings and I further will and bequeath to my beloved wife Barbara, a negro girl Lint by name, now about fifteen years old, two cows and calves, ten head of hogs, one horse, saddle and bridle, two beds and bedding as much household and kitchen furniture, as she thinkes she may need, half the crop that may be gathered in, and half the crop that may be growing during the year in which I may die, all the property, both real and personal, mentioned in this clause, to be hers, during her life.

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Seventh, I will and bequeath to my daughter Christena Prysock,  
Five Dollars, which is the whole she shall receive out of my  
estate.

Eighth, I will and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Koon Two  
hundred dollars.

Ninth, I will and bequeath to my daughter Happy Caroline Koon, Two  
hundred dollars

Tenth, I will and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth and Happy  
Caroline Koon, one bed and furniture each, of their own choosing.

Eleventh, I will and bequeath to my son Henry Koon one hundred dollars

Twelfth, I will and bequeath to my sons Martin Koon and Adam Koon, fifty dollars each.

Thirteenth, I will and devise to my son Ephraim Koon and his heirs forever, the Fifty acres of land, devised by the sixth clause of this will to my wife Barbara during her life, after her death to him and his heirs forever

Fourteenth, I will and bequeath to my following children viz. David Koon, Elizabeth Koon, Jacob Koon, Ephraim Koon, Happy Koon, ~~and~~ Henry Koon, Martin Koon and Adam Koon, all the personal property (except the negro girl Lint) bequeathed to my wife during her life, share and share alike after the death of said wife.

Fifteenth, I will and bequeath my negro girl Lint, after the death of my wife, to my daughters, Elizabeth Koon and Happy Caroline Koon: and should there be any issue of the said Lint, at the time of the death of my wife, the half of said issue, I will and bequeath to my daughters, Elizabeth Koon and Happy Caroline Koon, and the other half of said issue, I will and bequeath to my sons David Koon, Jacob Koon, and Ephraim Koon.

Sixteenth, The devises and bequests contained in the foregoing fifteen clauses of this my will, contain and convey to my wife and children respectively the share and shares they are to receive out of my estate:- and it is my will that they are not to account to each other, on a final settlement of my estate, for any of the advancements made by me to them, in my life time, so I have willed and bequeathed to each of my children what share of my estate, he or she is to receive

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eventeenth, The property, not willed in the foregoing clause of this will, is to be sold after my death by my Executor, and divided equally share and share alike between my following named children viz., David Koon, Jacob Koon, Ephraim Koon, Martin Koon, Adam Koon, Henry Koon, Elizabeth Koon and Happy Caroline Koon

ninteenth, I appoint my beloved son David Koon to be the executor of this my last will and testament.

In testimony where of I have here unto set my hand & Seal, this second day of January in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and forty five

Witnessed, Sealed and acknowledged by the said John Koon as his last will and testament in the presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other witnessed the due execution thereof

Mary Summer

John Koon (L S)

M. Summer

John Summer

With Caroline } Whereas I John Koon of the District and  
Wberry District } State afore said made and executed my last  
will and testament on the 2<sup>d</sup> day of January 1845 and where as I  
desire to change my said will so as to admit the children of my  
daughter Christina Prysock, by her former husband Michael  
Charles being five in number, to a participation in the division  
of my Estate.

I therefore will, bequeath and devise unto my grand children  
Kriet Charles, Franklin Charles, Anderson Charles, David  
Charles and Elizabeth Charles one ninth part of the property  
that may be subject to distribution under the Fourteenth and  
Seventeenth clauses of my will, these five grand children tak-  
ing a share amongst them equal to the share of each of my  
children named in the said clauses of this my will

I hereby appoint Ephraim Koon my son executor with my son  
David Koon of my last will and testament and of this codicil to  
my said last will and testament

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Ephraim Koon

John Koon (L.S.)

E. Koon

John Koon

South Carolina } Whereas I John Koon of the District and  
Newberry District } State aforesaid made and executed my last  
will and testament on the 27 day of January 1845 and whereupon  
I desire to change my said will so as to admit the children of my  
daughter Christina Prysock, by her former husband Michael  
Charles being five in number, to a participation in the division  
of my Estate.

I therefore will, bequeath and devise unto my grand children  
Harriet Charles, Franklin Charles, Anderson Charles, David  
Charles and Elizabeth Charles one ninth part of the property  
that may be subject to distribution under the fourteenth and  
seventeenth clauses of my will, these five grand children tak-  
ing a share amongst them equal to the share of each of my  
children named in the said clauses of this my will.

I here by appoint Ephraim Koon my son executor with my son  
David Koon of my last will and testament and of this codicil to  
my said last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal to this  
codicil, making the same a part of said last will and testament  
this 29th day of November 1847.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged by the said John Koon, as a  
codicil to his said last will and testament he having acknowledg-  
ed that the same has been read over to him before the execution  
of the same in our presence.

WILL OF JOHN KOON.

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John Gunzer

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John X Koon

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wife

J. M. Dickert

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