

I, William Grant, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, in order to dispose of such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with do make and ordain unto my heirs and testament in manner following:

1st. I will that all my just debts be paid and funeral expenses out of personal property.

ITEM 2nd. I will and bequeath unto my son William Grant a horse to have and to hold as a fee simple.

ITEM 3rd. I will and bequeath unto Mary Simmons my daughter one cow and calf one bed and furniture.

ITEM 4th. I will and bequeath unto my son George Grant a horse to have and to hold as a fee simple.

ITEM 5th. I will and bequeath unto my daughter Martha Catherine Grant one cow & calf one bed and furniture.

ITEM 6th. I will and bequeath unto my son Bird C. Grant a horse to be held by him when he comes to the years of maturity.

ITEM 7th. I will and bequeath unto my son Noah Washington a horse to be held by him out of my estate when he comes to the years of maturity.

ITEM 8th. I will and bequeath unto my son Richard Dannelly a horse to be held by him out of my estate when he comes to the years of maturity.

ITEM 9th. I will and bequeath unto my son Pressley Allen Grant a horse to be held by him out of my estate when he comes to the years of maturity.

ITEM 10th. I will and bequeath unto my daughter Nancy Emaline one cow and calf and one bed and furniture.

ITEM 11th. I will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Nancy Grant my tract of land which I am now in possession of with stock, horses and cattle and hogs household and kitchen furniture, together with all the implements of husbandry to have and to hold during her

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natural life or widowhood, with exception of what my children will receive when they arrive at the age years of maturity, then at the decease of my beloved wife, the land and all that pertaineth thereunto my will is that it be sold and equally divided among my before named children.

~~I hereby~~ I do constitute and appoint my son George Grant Executor of this my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this the twenty-fifth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five and in the eightieth year of American Independence.

Signed and sealed
in the presence of

WILLIAM GRANT. (SEAL)

JAMES YOUNG.
ROBERT O. TRIBBLE.
J. F. M. HUTCHINS.

SOUTH CAROLINA.)

PICKENS DISTRICT.)

PERSONALLY appeared before me Robert O. Tribble who being duly sworn says on oath that he was present and did see William Grant sign and seal the foregoing will and that James Young and J. F. M. Hutchins were present and subscribed their names with himself as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

SWORN to and subscribed before

me March 19th, 1860.

ROBT. O. TRIBBLE.

W. E. HOLCOMBE, C.P.D.

RECORDED in Pickens District Will Book No. 1, pages 275-276.

(Copied from recorded will. Original will transferred.)