

ELIZABETH BRIZNA

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN. I Elizabeth Brizna of Richland District and State of South Carolina being in the full possessions of all my intellectual faculties, but being old, and believing that my body must, at no distant period, dissolve and decay- do make and ordain this my last will Testament in manner and form following -- First- My Soul I commend to God- my body I desire decently interred- In relation to my Estate both real and personal, all of which having been acquired during the period of my widowhood- I give and devise in mannner, following Viz. First I desire my Just debts to be paid- Item I give and devise to my beloved Son Francis Brizna, Fifty acres, of land on which I now reside, bounded on the West, by Jas. Rivers land and on all other Sides, by lands of Jas. Douglass Senr. I give and devise also to my Son Francis, all my right interest and title, to four hundred acres of land in Fairfield District originally granted to Simon Kelly. The Said tracts of land to be held by the Said Francis and the lawful issue of his body forever--- but should my Son Francis die leaving no lawful child or children living at the time of his death, in that case I desire all the Estate herein given to him, to vest in my grand Son William Griffin in fee Simple. ----- I give and bequeath to my Son Francis the following negroes Viz. one negro woman, named Rhody one negro girl, Derinder, and one negro boy, named Ishmael To be held and possess'd by Said Francis and the lawful issue of his body- but Should Said Francis die leaving no lawful child or children living at the time of his death-then and in that case I direct---- The aforesaid, negroes to be equally divided between my grand Son Wm. Griffin and my Daughter Bethenia Faust--- I give and bequeath to my Son Francis Two Feather beds and furniture all my House hold and Kitchen, furniture all my stock and personal property of every de-

cription. except that herein after given Item. I give and bequeath to my Daughter Charlotte Griffin one negro girl named Rachael for the use and benefit of Sd. Charlotte during the term of her natural life- at her death to be held and possess'd by William Griffin and the lawful issue of his body. Item I give to my grand Son William Griffin one Feather bed and one Cow and Calf--- Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Bethenia Faust; one negro girl, named Claussa for the use and benefit of Said Bethenia during the term of ^{natural} her/life- at her death to be possess'd and enjoyed by my grand Daughter Sarah Faust- Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my beloved Son Francis Brizna, and my friend C. Booker Exrs. of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and makeing void all former Wills and Lagacies by me heretofore made In testimony where of I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 16th day of October anno domini 1829.

Elizabeth Brizna

Signed Sealed, publish and declared ~~xxxx~~ as and for the last will and Testament of the above named Elizabeth Brizna in the presence of us.

Solomon L. Barrett

John J. Kinsler

Mary Kinsler

Whereas I Elizabeth Brizna of Richland District and State of So. Carolina have executed my last Will and Testament bearing date, the 16th of Octobr. 1829 now I do by this, instrument, which I declare to be a Supplement or Codecil to Said Will- give and bequeath to my Son Francis Brizna one negro Child

to him and the issue of his body forever- but should the Said Francis die leaving no lawful Child or children living at the time of his death- in that case I desire said negro

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child to be held and possess'd by my Daughters Bethenia Faust,
and Charlotte Griffin or their lawful heirs- In Witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this... day of November
1834.

Signed Sealed published and declared by the above named E.
Brizna as a Codacil to be annexed to her last will and
Testament in the presence of us.-----

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)

RICHLAND DISTRICT

) Before me personally came and

appeared Solomon J Barrett who being duly sworn made Oath that
he saw Elizabeth Brizna sign seal publish pronounce and
declare the within Instrument of writing to be her last will
and Testament that she was then of sound and desposing mind
according to the best of this Deponents knowledge and belief
and that he with John F Kinsler and Mary Kinsler at the
request of the Testatrix in her presence and in the presence
of each other witnessed the due execution thereof

Solomon J. Barrett

Sworn to before me 21 November 1834

James S. Guignard

Ordinary

Francis Brizna qualified 3d. January 1835 as Executor.

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