

WILL OF
WOOD TUCKER

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN. I Wood Tucker of Richland District
and State of South Carolina knowing that it is appointed unto
all men once to die, and believing that my End is at hand, do
make and declare the following to be my last will and Testament
First I recommend my Soul to God its Author, and my Body to a
decent christian burial, and as touching such worldly Estate as
it has pleased God to bless me with, I dispose of it in the
following manner. Viz. I give and bequeath unto my son Joel T
Tucker one Cow and Calf to him and his heirs forever, this I
do because I have already make similar Gifts to my other
children. I give devise and bequeath unto my wife Martha Tucker
all the rest and residue of my property and Estate of whatso-
ever kind or nature it may be, for and during the term of her
natural life, to be by her used and enjoyed without any hin-
drance or molestation and it is my will and desire, that after
the death of my said wife, the property which may then remain
shall be disposed of as follows one Bed and furniture I give
and bequeath unto Martha Beddel child of my Daughter Sally
Beddel to her and her Heirs forever. And the balance of the
remainder of my said property and Estate I give and bequeath
to be equally divided amongst my Children Nancy Watkins,
Richard Tucker, Sally Beddel Joel Tucker and Martha Jumper
to them and their Heirs forever. and if either of my said
Children shall die before my wife I shall leave a child or
children alive at the death of my wife then it is my will that
that child or those children shall take the share to which their
parent would have been entitled. And I do hereby nominate
constitute and appoint my said wife Martha Tucker and my son
Joel Tucker to be Executrix and Executor of this my will ratify-
ing and declaring this and this only to be my last will and

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Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
affixed my seal this ninth day of October in the year of our
Lord one Thousand Eight hundred and Seventeen .

Signed and sealed the day above written in the presence of us

John Threewits

Jno Chappell

Wood Tucker

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RICHLAND DISTRICT) Personally appeared before me John J.
Chappell Esq. who being duly sworn upon the Holy Evangelists of
Almighty God did make Oath that he saw Wood Tucker sign Seal
publish pronounce and declare this within Instrument of writing
to be his last will and Testament that he was then of sound
and disposing mind memory and understanding according to be
best of this Deponents knowledge and belief and that John
Threewits with this Deponent at the request of the Testator in
his presence and in the presence of each other subscribed their
names as witnesses to the due execution thereof

Sworn to before me 20 February 1818.

Jno. J Chappell

James S. Guignard. Ordinary

Martha and Joel Tucker qualified same day.

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