

WILL OF

ELI SPARROW

In The name of God, Amen-----

I Eli Sparrow of Sumter District & State of South Carolina

being of Sound mind & memory & calling unto mind the Shortnefs of life & the certainty of death, do make this my last will & testament-----st I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it & my body to be buried in a decent Christian manner---and as touching my Worldly goods &c. I. Make the following distribution disposition (Viz) I. give unto Six of my children (Viz) Susan, Martha, John, Eliza Suffrona, & Abigail Sparrow all of my Estate my lands negroes horses Cattle hogs house hold & kitchen furnitur and all other articles not mentioned (after paying my Just debts) to be Equally divided between all the above named heirs either by partition or Sale as may be thought best by my Executor & three nighboring freeholders to be Selected for that purpose and lastly I. nominate constitute & appoint my Son William Sparrow Executor to this my last will & testament revoking & disannulling all other wills or instruments as wills, as I. hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Seventeenth day of February in the year of our lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight.

Signed in presence of)

Alfred Scarborough)

Jarvis Scarborough)

William Sparrow)

his
Eli X Sparrow (SAL)
mark

(Recorded in Will Book M pge 125)

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W. Lewis Ordy S.D.

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