

WILL OF

SAMUEL BRADLEY

In The Name of God Amen This Second day of January in the Year of God one Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Eight I Samuel Bradley in Salem of Black River South Carolina Craven County Planter, being in Perfect health and Sound Memory, Thanks be to God for it, and Calling to Remembrance the Mortality of my Body that it is appointed for All men Once to die, do make and ordain This my last will and Testament, That is to say, first and Princely of all, I give my Soul unto God who gave it me and my Body to the earth to be buried in a Christian and Decent like manner, Nothing doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the almighty power of God and as Touching such worldly estate as God has been pleased to bleſs me with, I shall leave and bequeath in manner and form following-----

Item I leave and bequeath unto my son James Bradley one Tract of Land, Containing Two Hundred and fifty acres of Land Bounding on William Roberts, on a place Call<sup>d</sup> Long branch also Two negroes named Judy and Moriah with their Child and Encrease, ~~and~~ also Two more negroes named Dublin and Dinah with their Child and their Encrease of which I have given a Deed of gift to him and his heirs forever with Two Horses and Cattle-----

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Roger Bradley, Three negroes named, Toney Hannah and Joe and Hannahs two Children, with the rest of their encrease forever, as also one Tract of Land Containing one Hundred & fifty Acres Lying on a swamp Caled Scape Whore, as may be seen in a Plate entered in the Au<sup>d</sup> Office in book H N 3 Page (27) 12th Sept 1768 all the above articles to be to him and his heirs forever with his horse & Cattle Known by his brand thus

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(R) and Two Hundred Pounds as an addition to his share-----

Item I Love and bequeth unto my daughter Mary Carter, Four  
negroes Named Farmer Amariah Judith and Ned Pomps Son, and their  
encrease with five Hundred pounds delivered her, Also all the House  
hold goods already got her Horse and Cattle Called here to be to  
her and her heirs forever,-----

Item I Love and bequeth Unto my Daughter Jennet Wilson, Five  
negroes viz Sharper Pillis Harry Latty and Derry Jacks son with  
their Encrease, with their horse and Cattle Containing four

Cows and Calves to be for her and her heirs forever as Also a Bed and furniture, as a farther addition to her Above part.-----

Item I leve and bequeth to my son Samuel Bradley Three Tracts of Land, two of which Contains one Hundred and fifty Acres each, the other Containing Five Hundred acres all of them just opposite to the Tract on which I, now Live, on the west side of the swamp of which I live, and Joining each other as may be seen by the Plates, Also Six negroes named Pompy, Crecacy, Bob, Sarah, Kate and July with ~~them~~ their Increase with a horse and saddle, and his Cattle to be to him and his heirs forever in Case he should (torn from Original will) the age of Twenty one years or is married if not to be sold at publick sale and Equally Divided amongst <sup>my</sup> childred all

Item I leve and bequeth Unto my son Moses Bradley, This Tract of Land on which my House stands. Containing Two Hundred and fifty Acres also that other Tract Containing One Hundred and fifty, Adjoining to the Said mentioned bounding to the South east on Lands of James Bradley Se<sup>r</sup> and Northeast on the first mentioned Tract, but he to have no possession until the Decease of my wife, with Four negroes Named Jack Sany Carolina and Manny with their Increase to him and his forever if in Case he lives till the age of Twenty one years or is married if not I authorise and Impower my <sup>rs</sup> Exc<sup>ts</sup> to Sell his and Samuels shares Real and personal at publick <sup>amongst</sup> Vandue and David the monies arising therefrom Equally among all my Children with his horse & saddle also three cows & calves

Item I Leve and bequeth unto my Daughter Elizabeth, one Tract of Land Joining the Land on which I live to the East and on James Bradley Lands and on ~~South~~ Lands Originally Arthur Tomlensons but now John Dickeys and Likewise on Lands of Rose Lloyds, but now Robert Elisons, and has such shapes and marks as may be seen in plate annexed to the Original grant in my hands, and also six

boy-called-Tony-Jacks-son -----

Item I give and bequath unto my well beloved wife Elizabeth this Tract of <sup>land</sup> ~~land~~ on which my House now stands that other tract of Land joining it on two squares on the same side of the swamp on which her house is to be for her in full possession During Life and then to become my son Moses's and to him and his heirs forever. Also I leave unto my wife these negroes Viz Prince older Nanny & Tamer Prince Young Peter Sibinah, and her Two Children with Sylvy, with their increase to be here and also all the remaining Cattle, Horses Hogs, & Sheep with all the furniture belonging to house and plantation with Bonds Notes and ready monies to be here during her widowhood and in Case she never Marry it is to be at her Disposal but in Case she doth marry then the whole of her part to be Equally Divided into Two parts and the one part to be Equally divided amongst all my Children ~~and the other~~ the other part to be here and at her Disposal, and this to be done by my, after named Executors and at their discretion Item I will and appoint my Just Debts to be paid and my Younger children schooled with Two Hundred pounds to be paid to my nease Elizabeth Bradley Daughter of Arthur Bradley all this out of the readiest of her whole part, with the above named Legacies of Six Hundred pounds Item I also will that my Executors take the management of my Two youngest Childrens estate into their Care after my Decease untill they are of age or at Marriage, I Likewise make Constitute and Ord in my well beloved wife Elizabeth, Executrix and my son James and Roger Bradley With my Brothers James and Thomas Bradleys David Wilson and Roger Wilson to be my Executors over this my Last will and Testament, and I do hereby utterly Disallow ~~and~~ Disannull and revoke all and every ~~my~~ other ~~former~~ Testaments, wills, and Legacies, with all Bequeathments and Executors by me in any ways before mentioned Ratifying and Confirming this and no~~x~~ other ~~to be my last will and Testament~~ In Witness Whereof I have here

unto set my hand and Seal the day and year first above Written--

Signed sealed Published Pronounced and Delivered by the Said

Samuel Bradley as his Last Will and Testament in Presence of us

Moses Gordon

Thomas Reese

Samuel Bradley (SEAL)

John Shaw

Jn<sup>o</sup> Dickey

(Not recorded in Will Book )

Sworn to 14th Day of Aug 1782

Roger Wilson J.P.

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