

WILL OF
JOHN MILLER
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN. I John Miller of the County of Craven and Province of South Carolina Being weak of Body, but in Sound Memory (Blessed be God for it and all his Other Mercies) do this tenth Day of September in the Year of Our Lord 1779 make and publish, this my Last will and Testament, in manner following (that is to say) first I make and Ordain my Dear wife Jean whole and sole Executrix of all my whole Estate and to have the whole Management of the same Both Real and personall, whilst she Remains a widow But if She Marrieth then She is to have the Choice of all the Negroes, to take One to herself. But at her Decease, the said Negro is to Return to my former Estate, and at the Marage or Death of my said wife Jean this my Estate is to be Equally Divided among my Sons and Daughters, But if my said Daughters gets any of the Negroes of this my Estate, they marrying, the said Negro or Negroes is go to their heirs Otherwise the said Daughter or Daughters having no Children, the Said Negroe or negroes, is at my Daughter or Daughters Death, to Return to y said Estate, and if any one or more of my Children die Before they are in possession of this my Estate then their part or parts is to be Equally Divided amongst the Surviving party, in Witness whereof I the said John Miller have to this my Last will and Testament Set my hand and Seal the Day and year first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered

in the presence of Us--

John Miller (Seal)

John Bryson

Stafford Curry

Deborah Ross

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