

WILL OF JAMES BARBER

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
FAIRFIELD DISTRICT

In the name of God Amen- I James Barber of the District and State aforesaid being weak of body but of sound and disposing mind and memory do make my last will and testament as follows:

Item 1 - I will and direct that all my negro slaves except those hereinafter disposed of be kept together and worked upon the plantation whereon I now reside for one year or until one crop is raised, after my death, under the control and management of my Executors hereinafter named - the proceeds of the crop thus raised to be appropriated to defray the expenses incurred upon the plantation to the necessary support and maintenance of my wife and two youngest children for the time and to the payment of of such debts if any, as I may owe at the time of my death.

Item 2 - I will and direct that my daughter-in-law, Malinda Barber, wife or widow, of my deceased son James Barber, be allowed to retain possession of the premises upon which she now lives, have land sufficient to cultivate and be continued in the enjoyment of all her present privileges in and about said place, until such time as my lands are sold by my Executors for division.

Item 3 - I give and bequeath to said Malinda Barber and her six children now living my negro woman Lucy and her six children, which slaves are now in the possession of said Malinda - The value of said woman Lucy and any child or children which she may have between this time and the time of the general division of my negroes to be accounted for or charged to said Malinda and her children in the final division of my negro slaves hereinafter directed to be made.

Item 4 - I give and bequeath to my beloved wife my negro woman called Big Louisa, to be held by her during her natural life and at her death to be sold and the proceeds of the sale to be equally divided among such of my children as may be living at that time, should said woman Louisa die before the general division of my slaves herein after directed, my wife is to be allowed to select another woman from among my negroes not specifically disposed of which is to be held by her.

Item 5 - I give and bequeath to my daughter Martha F., wife of Elias West, my negro girl called Caroline "to her sole and separate use" free from the control, contracts, or liabilities of her present or any future husband.

Item 6 - I give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy Barber my negro girl called Ruth, and to my son Thomas Barber my negro girl called Nesttus children of Rachel.

Item 7 - I direct my Executors to rent out my "Knighton Place" (giving to such of my sons as may wish to live upon and cultivate this place for the time, a preference at a moderate rate of rent) for the first

year after my death, so that all my lands may be sold as herein after directed, about the same time.

Item 8 - As soon as practicable after the expiration of one year from the time of my death, I will and direct that my Executors, with the aid of three practiced and disinterested persons to be selected by my Executors, shall appraise the whole of my negro slaves except those specifically disposed of and divided the same equally, share and share alike among all of my children excepting my daughter, Jane, wife of Musco Pickett, who is hereinafter and otherwise provided for - the widow and children of my deceased son, James Barber to represent my said son and take among them a share equal to one of my own childre - said widow and children to receive in this division as part of their share the woman Lucy and any child or children which she may hereafter have and which may be living at that time - should any of my children die before this final division of my estate, as contemplated by this will leaving issue, such issue shall in all cases represent the parent.

Item 9 - At the expiration of one year from my death or so soon thereafter as practicable I will and direct my Executors to sell all of my lands in such parcels and upon such terms as they may think, but for the interests of my estate; and my Executors or the survivors of them, are hereby authorized and empowered to execute good and sufficient title deeds to the purchasers of said land: however, if my daughter-in-law, Malinda Barber, should, when my lands are about to be brought to sale, desire to retain her present home and such quantity of my land lying around about the houses as will amount in value to a distributive share (child's part) of my real estate, I direct that my Executors shall have surveyed and laid off to her such parcel and execute to her and her children now living a conveyance in fee thereto - such parcel of land to be appraised by disinterested persons to be selected by my Executors and the value thereof accounted for by said Malinda and her children in the division of the proceeds of the sale of my lands hereinafter to be made.

Item 10 - Out of the proceeds of the sale of my lands made as herein before directed, my Executors are to pay to my beloved wife one thousand dollars to aid her in the support and education of my two youngest children, Nancy and Thomas; next to pay to my daughter, Jane, wife of Musco Pickett, a sum equal to a distributive share (a child's part) of my negroes herein before directed to be equally divided, such share to be ascertained by the appraisement herein before in their behalf, directed to be made - the balance of the proceeds of said sales to be equally divided among all my children including my said daughter Jane - the widow and children of my deceased son, James Barber, are in this division, together or among them to receive one share or a child's part, provided however, that said widow does not elect to take the share of herself and children in land, as herein before provided for in this distribution of the proceeds of the sale of my land, my son Alexander Barber, who has been advanced by me, is to account for five hundred dollars.

Item 11 - At or about the time of the division of my negroes, I direct my Executors to sell the remainder of my personal estate, and to divide the proceeds of such sale together with any other money that may belong to my estate after all my debts are paid, equally among all my children - the widow and children of my deceased son, James, to represent him, also in that division and to receive a child's part.

In the division of my negro slaves directed in a foregoing clause of my last will and testament, I desire and direct that a kind humanity shall be exercised and that no separation of families disagreeable to the negroes themselves, shall be made.

Lastly I nominate and appoint as Executors of this my last will and testament, my son Adam Barber and my son-in-law, John Wright.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty sixth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the eightieth year of American Independence.

Signed and sealed in our presence, who
in the presence of each other and of the
testator, witness the execution hereof

James Barber

James B. McCants
J. R. Stirling
Thomas M. McCants

I, James Barber, as an addition or codicil to the above annexed last will and testament of mine of date the twenty sixth day of September A. D. 1855 do make the following - that is as my son, Alexander has departed this life since the execution of my said last will and testament leaving him surviving but three children and they well provided for by him, and as my said son Alexander received considerable aid from me at that time and was allowed by me to engage in business on his account before he arrived at the age of twenty one years, therefore and for other good reasons, I will and direct that the children of my said son Alexander Barber shall not have or take as representatives of their father or otherwise any part or portion of my negroes or the proceeds of the sale of my land directed by my said will to be divided among all of my children in the 8th and 10th items thereof, but that said negroes and the proceeds of said land shall be divided among all of my children as directed by said will excluding the children of my said son, Alexander from any part or share thereof.

I also in addition to what I have given her by my said will, do will and bequeath to my wife one negro girl, Lizzy, child of my woman Charlotte, and my mare called Kate.

I will and bequeath to my son, Thomas J. Barber my filly, the youngest colt of my mare Poll and one bedstead, bed and furniture.

I will and bequeath to my daughter, Nancy E. Barber. my horse called Buck and one bedstead, bed and furniture.

As executors of said last will and testament and of this codicil to act with those already named as executors in said will I nominate my sons George Barber and William Barber.

In testamony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Oct. 23, 1858.

Witnesses:

James B. McCants
Jesse R. Stevenson
W. J. Price

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Item 2 - I will and direct that my daughter-in-law, Malinda Barber, wife or widow, of my deceased son James Barber, be allowed to retain possession of the premises upon which she now lives, have land sufficient to cultivate and be continued in the enjoyment of all her present privileges in and about said place, until such time as my lands are sold by my Executors for division.

Item 3 - I give and bequeath to said Malinda Barber and her six children now living my negro woman Lucy and her six children, which slaves are now in the possession of said Malinda - The value of said woman Lucy and any child or children which she may have between this time and the time of the general division of my negroes to be accounted for or charged to said Malinda and her children in the final division of my negro slaves hereinafter directed to be made.

Item 4 - I give and bequeath to my beloved wife my negro woman called Big Louisa, to be held by her during her natural life and at her death to be sold and the proceeds of the sale to be equally divided among such of my children as may be living at that time, should said woman Louisa die before the general division of my slaves herein after directed, my wife is to be allowed to select another woman from among my negroes not specifically disposed of which is to be held by her.

Item 5 - I give and bequeath to my daughter Martha E., wife of Elias West, my negro girl called Caroline "to her sole and separate use" free from the control, contracts, or liabilities of her present or any future husband.

Item 6 - I give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy Barber my negro girl called Ruth, and to my son Thomas Barber my negro girl called Hestus children of Rachel.

Item 7 - I direct my Executors to rent out my "Knighton Place" (giving to such of my sons as may wish to live upon and cultivate this place for the time, a preference at a moderate rate of rent) for the first

year after my death, so that all my lands may be sold as herein after directed, about the same time.

Item 8 - As soon as practicable after the expiration of one year from the time of my death, I will and direct that my Executors, with the aid of three practiced and disinterested persons to be selected by my Executors, shall appraise the whole of my negro slaves except those specifically disposed of and divided the same equally, share and share alike among all of my children excepting my daughter, Jane, wife of Musco Pickett, who is hereinafter and otherwise provided for - the widow and children of my deceased son, James Barber to represent my said son and take among them a share equal to one of my own childre - said widow and children to receive in this division as part of their share the woman Lucy and any child or children which she may hereafter have and which may be living at that time - should any of my children die before this final division of my estate, as contemplated by this will leaving issue, such issue shall in all cases represent the parent.

Item 9 - At the expiration of one year from my death or so soon thereafter as practicable I will and direct my Executors to sell all of my lands in such parcels and upon such terms as they may think, but for the interests of my estate; and my Executors or the survivors of them, are hereby authorized and empowered to execute good and sufficient title deeds to the purchasers of said land: however, if my daughter-in-law, Malinda Barber, should, when my lands are about to be brought to sale, desire to retain her present home and such quantity of my land lying around about the houses as will amount in value to a distributive share (child's part) of my real estate, I direct that my Executors shall have surveyed and laid off to her such parcel and execute to her and her children now living a conveyance in fee thereto - such parcel of land to be appraised by disinterested persons to be selected by my Executors and the value thereof accounted for by said Malinda and her children in the division of the proceeds of the sale of my lands hereinafter to be made.

Item 10 - Out of the proceeds of the sale of my lands made as herein before directed, my Executors are to pay to my beloved wife one thousand dollars to aid her in the support and education of my two youngest children, Nancy and Thomas; next to pay to my daughter, Jane, wife of Musco Pickett, a sum equal to a distributive share (a child's part) of my negroes herein before directed to be equally divided, such share to be ascertained by the appraisement herein before in their behalf, directed to be made - the balance of the proceeds of said sales to be equally divided among all my children including my said daughter Jane - the widow and children of my deceased son, James Barber, are in this division, together or among them to receive one share or a child's part, provided however, that said widow does not elect to take the share of herself and children in land, as herein before provided for in this distribution of the proceeds of the sale of my land, my son Alexander Barber, who has been advanced by me, is to account for five hundred dollars.

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In the division of my negro slaves directed in a foregoing clause of my last will and testament, I desire and direct that a kind humanity shall be exercised and that no separation of families disagreeable to the negroes themselves, shall be made.

Lastly I nominate and appoint as Executors of this my last will and testament, my son Adam Barber and my son-in-law, John Wright.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty sixth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the eightieth year of American Independence.

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I also in addition to what I have given her by my said will, do will and bequeath to my wife one negro girl, Lizzy, child of my woman Charlotte, and my mare called Kate.

I will and bequeath to my son, Thomas J. Barber my filly, the youngest colt of my mare Poll and one bedstead, bed and furniture.

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As executors of said last will and testament and of this codicil to act with those already named as executors in said will I nominate my sons George Barber and William Barber.

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incurred upon the plantation to the necessary support and maintainance
of my wife and two youngest children for the time and to the payment of
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or widow, of my deceased son James Barber, be allowed to retain possession
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about said place, until such time as my lands are sold by my Executors
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Item 5 - I give and bequeath to my daughter Martha E., wife of Elias
West, my negro girl called Caroline "to her sole and separate use" free
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of my wife and my youngest children for the time and to the payment of
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about said place, until such time as my lands are sold by my Executors
or Administrators.

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to said Malinda and her children in the final division of my negro slaves
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Item 4 - I give and bequeath to my beloved wife or widow woman called
Mary to be held by her during her natural life and at her death
to be sold and the proceeds of the sale to be equally divided among
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to each of my sons as may wish to live upon and cultivate this place
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Item 8 - As soon as practicable after the expiration of one year from the date of my death, I will and direct my Executors, with the aid of three qualified and disinterested persons to be selected by my Executors shall appraise the whole of my real and personal estate and divide the same equally, share and share alike among all of my children surviving my death, John, wife of Isaac Jackson, who is mentioned and otherwise provided for in the will of my deceased son, James, under the name of James Jackson, to represent my said son and take the same amount as a share equal to one of my own children - and said widow and children to receive in this division as part of their share the women they and any child or children which the said James had and which may be living at first time - should any of my children die before this final division of my estate, as contemplated by this will leaving issue, such issue shall in all cases represent the parent.

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Item 10 - Out of the proceeds of the sale of my lands made as herein before directed, my Executors are to pay to my beloved wife one thousand dollars to aid her in the support and education of my youngest children, Lancy and Thomas to pay to my daughter, Lara, wife of Isaac Jackson, a sum equal to a distributive share of a child's part of my real estate before directed to be equally divided, such share to be ascertained by the agreement herein before in their behalf, directed to be made - the balance of the proceeds of said sales to be equally divided among all my children including my said daughter Lara - the widow and children of my deceased son, James Barber, are in this division, together or among them to receive one share or a child's part, provided however, that said widow does not elect to take the share of herself and children in land, as herein before provided for in this distribution of the proceeds of the sale of my land, my son Alexander Barber, who has been advanced by me as to account for five hundred dollars.

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In the division of my negro slaves directed in a foregoing clause of my last will and testament, I desire and direct that a kind humanity shall be exercised and that no separation of families disagreeable to the negroes themselves, shall be made.

Lastly I nominate and appoint as Executors of this my last will and testament, my son Adam Barber and my son-in-law, John Wright.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty sixth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the eightieth year of American Independence.

(1855)

Signed and sealed in our presence, who in the presence of each other and of the testator, witness the execution hereof

James Barber

James B. McCants
J. R. Stirling
Thomas M. McCants

I, James Barber, as an addition or codicil to the above annexed last will and testament of mine of date the twenty sixth day of September A. D. 1855 do make the following - that is as my son, Alexander has departed this life since the execution of my said last will and testament leaving him surviving but three children and they well provided for by him, and as my said son Alexander received considerable aid from me at that time and was allowed by me to engage in business on his account before he arrived at the age of twenty one years, therefore and for other good reasons, I will and direct that the children of my said son Alexander Barber shall not have or take as representatives of their father or otherwise any part or portion of my negroes or the proceeds of the sale of my land directed by my said will to be divided among all of my children in the 8th and 10th items thereof, but that said negroes and the proceeds of said land shall be divided among all of my children as directed by said will excluding the children of my said son, Alexander from any part or share thereof.

I also in addition to what I have given her by my said will, do will and bequeath to my wife one negro girl, Lizzy, child of my woman Charlotte, and my mare called Kate.

I will and bequeath to my son, Thomas J. Barber my filly, the youngest colt of my mare Poll and one bedstead, bed and furniture.

I will and bequeath to my daughter, Nancy E. Barber. my horse called Buck and one bedstead, bed and furniture.

As executors of said last will and testament and of this codicil to act with those already named as executors in said will I nominate my sons George Barber and William Barber.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Oct. 23, 1858.

Witnesses:

James B. McCants
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In the division of my negro slaves placed in a foregoing clause of my last will and testament, I directed that a child born to me shall be considered as if he were a child of mine and that he shall be treated as such.

And I nominate and appoint as executor of this my last will and testament, my son James Barber and my son-in-law, John Wright.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty sixth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty five and the eighth year of American Independence.

Witness my hand and seal in my presence and in the presence of each other and of the testator, witness the execution hereof.

James Barber

James B. Barber
J. M. Gilling
Thomas M. McCants

I, James Barber, do hereby certify that on the twenty sixth day of September A. D. 1825 I did execute the foregoing and last will and testament of my said son Alexander Barber and that said Alexander Barber was at that time and age of twenty one years, therefore and for other good reasons, was allowed by me to engage in business on his account before he arrived at the age of twenty one years, and that the children of my said son Alexander Barber shall not have or take any representative or other interest of their father or otherwise any part or portion of my negroes or the proceeds of the sale of my said negroes, but that said proceeds shall be divided among all of my children in the 8th and 10th terms thereof, but that said proceeds and the proceeds of said land shall be divided among all of my children as directed by said will excluding the children of my said son Alexander from any part or share thereof.

I also in addition to what I have given by my said will, do will and bequeath to my wife one negro girl, named, child of my woman Charlotte, and my mare called Kate.

I will and bequeath to my son, Thomas M. Barber my lilly, the youngest child of my mare Kate and one bedstead, bed and furniture.

I will and bequeath to my daughter, Nancy E. Barber, my horse called Frank and one bedstead, bed and furniture.

As executor of said last will and testament and of this codicil to it I have already named as executor in said will I nominate my sons George Barber and William Barber.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26th day of September 1825.

Witness:

James B. McCants
James B. Evanson
W. J. Price