

JOHN HAVIS

State of South Carolina

In the Name of God Amen

I John Havis of the District of Fairfield and State aforesaid planter, being Sick and weak of body but of sound and disposing mind, Memory and understanding, Blisfed be God, do make and Ordain this My last Will and Testament in manner and form following. (VIZ)

1st I desire that immediately after my decease all My personal property shall be sold ^{at public sale} upon a credit of Twelve months, with such security as my Executors shall approve of, One third part of the moneys Cussing from this sale, together with the third part of all other moneys, or Accounts belonging to my Estate, I leave and bequeath to my beloved wife Susannah Havis during her Natural Life, together with the plantation whereon I now live, and at her decease the personal property thus bequeathed to my wife ^{shall} descend in Equal portions to the following ^{my Sons} persons, (VIZ) Jesse Havis, John Havis, & Thomas Havis, and my Daughters, Elizabeth Auston Lidy Knighton and Mary Yarbery, and my Grand Daughters Shariotte ONeal, Mary Martin, Susannah Martin and Elizabeth Martin, to them and their Heirs forever, share and share alike 2^d on the decease of my wife the plantation wherin I now live with all my lands Joining the same, I leave and bequeath unto my son Thomas Havis, to him and his heirs and assigns For-ever --

3^d The remainder of my Estate I leave and bequeath to my Sons, Jesse Havis John Havis & Thomas Havis, and my Daughters Elizabeth Auston, Lidy Knighton and Mary Yarbery, to them and their Heirs Forever, Share & Share alike---

4th I do hereby constitute and appoint my beloved wife Susannah Havis Executrix, and My Son Jesse Havis, and my good friend John Woodward Esquire, Executors of this my last will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills

WILL OF

JOHN HAVIS

by me made retifying, and confirming this to be my last will & Testament.

Signed, Sealed, Published Pronounced and delivered in presence of us

Obed Kirkland

Robert Wilson

Samuel Wiley

In witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Fourth day of March in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and Seven

^{his} John Havis 
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Jn^o Buchanan J, C, P

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