

**Will, SC, Spartanburg, James Camp 1817**

In the Name of God Amen.

I **JAMES CAMP** of Spartanburg District being of sound mind memory and understanding for Which I thank almighty God and calling to mind the uncertainty or human life and desirous of disposing of such worldly Estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with do make and ordain this to be my last will and testament in manner and form following Viz:

It is my will and desire that my Just debts and funeral Expenses be first paid.

ITEM 1<sup>st</sup> I Give and bequeath unto my Son **ALFRED** a Negro Boy Named CARTER when he arrives to the age of twenty one years.

ITEM 2<sup>nd</sup> I give unto my daughter **NARCISSA** a Negro girl named RIAH on her marriage day, also a good beast worth sixty dollars & a saddle.

ITEM 3<sup>rd</sup> I give to my son **GEORGE** one Negro PATRUM when he when he arrives to the age of twenty one years old one Negros Boy Name JACK.

ITEM 4<sup>th</sup> I give my son **LANGLY** when he arrives at the age of twenty one years old one Negros boy name LEWIS.

ITEM 5<sup>th</sup> I give to my daughter **HARRIET** on her marriage day or arrive at lawful age one Negro girl Named ARRABELL.

ITEM 6<sup>th</sup> I give unto my two youngest sons **JAMES & WILLIAM** five hundred dollars each or one Negro boy each equal to the above Negro boys which I give to my other sons when they arrive at the age of twenty one years old.

ITEM 7<sup>th</sup> I give to my beloved wife **SARAH CAMP** the balance of my Negroes, Viz: one fellow named FARMER, three wenches DICE, JANE, & CLARACY, also one small Negro girl named FILLER also the whole of the stock of every kind, also my dwelling house & plantation where on I now live, also my mill and plantation enjoining to it over the river, also all my house hold & kitchen furniture, black smith tools & plantation utensils & stills it is to be further understood that She is to raise, school, clothe the children, clear of board & when they come to age or marry she is to give them one horse, saddle & bridle each to be worth eighty dollars, all except **NARCISSA**, also one feather bed and furniture each, & one cow and calf each.

ITEM 8<sup>th</sup> is further my will that my loving wife sell my land in Virginia and lay out the money in young Negroes for the use of my children & also my plantation on Buck Creek known by the name of West Harris's place place.

ITEM 9<sup>th</sup> I will that the whole of my property left my wife during her life at her death be equally divided amongst my children.

ITEM 10<sup>th</sup> I will that all my land not mentioned be equally divided amongst my children.

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ITEM 11<sup>th</sup> I nominate my loving wife & **JAMES YOUNG** executors to this my last will and testament, hereunto revoking and renouncing all other wills heretofore made by me.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the 28th day of January, 1817

**JAMES CAMP** {seal}

**ALEXANDER COPELAND  
GEORGEETH WILLIAMS  
WILLIAM COPELAND**

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**WILLIAM LANCASTER O.S.D.**