

Will of Moses H. Giddens

State of Georgia
Berrien County

In the name of God
Amen.

I Moses H. Giddens of
said County and State being of advanced
age and knowing that I must shortly
depart - this life deem it right and proper
as respects my legal representatives and
myself that I should make a distribution
of the property which a kind providence
has blessed me. do therefore make
this my last will and testament - hereby
revoking all others heretofore made by
me.

First Item. I devise and direct that my
body be buried in a decent and
Christian like manner suitable to my
circumstances and conditions in life
my soul I trust shall return to rest
with God who gave it - as I hope for
an eternal salvation through the merits
and atonement of the Blessed Lord and
Savior Jesus Christ.

Second Item.

I desire and direct that all
my just debts be paid without delay
if any by executor hereinafter appointed
so I am unwilling my creditors should
be delayed in their rights.

Third Item;

I desire and direct that
all my real estate consisting of parts
of lots of land Number (578) Third Hundred
and eighty (495) Four Hundred and twenty
five (494) for Hundred and thirty four

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(472) Four Hundred and Seventy Two
and (473) Four Hundred and Seventy Three
situated in the (10th) Towns D^{ist} of said
County. Containing (600) A^{cres} more or less. I give bequeath
and devise to my Sister Virginia B.
Carter and her heirs all of the above
described real estate whole and their
own benefit forever in fee simple
Item Fourth.

I also give to Adaline Vaughan
Four Hundred dollars (\$400) in money
for faithful and kind attention rendered
during my long and protracted affliction
if she be living at my death.
Fifth Item;

I also give and bequeath to my
Sister Virginia B. Carter one half of
all my personal property after the
amount in Item Fourth had been
deducted
Sixth Item

I devise and direct that
all my personal property of every
sort and kind not otherwise disposed
of by this will be sold by my Executor
after paying all expenses out of the
proceeds of said sale the balance to
be added to the residue of my estate
and then equally divided between
my brothers if they be living or to
their representatives if they be dead
Seventh Item;

I hereby constitute and
appoint my brother William N. Giddens
Executor of this my last will and
testament

W. N. Giddens

Recorded
Signed Sealed and declared published
by *Monroe H. Biddens* as his last will and
Testament in the presence of us the
Subscribers who Subscribed our names
thereto in the presence of said testator
at his special instance and request
and of each other
Witness

This Oct. 8th / 1900

Joseph J. Knight
William H. Biddens
Bryant H. Parsons

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Notarion
Ordinary