

Last Will of Willis A. Hodges

State of Georgia. Know all men that I, Willis A. Hodges (Charlton County) of the above State have bequest and given delivered the following named property to each as follows of my Child

Anna Barborough thirty head of Stock Cattle
George W. Hodges twenty five head of Stock Cattle
William Hodges twenty five head of Stock Cattle
Elinor Hodges twenty five head of Stock Cattle
Willis Hodges twenty five head of Stock Cattle
Lanora John's twenty five head of Stock Cattle
John Hodges eight head of Stock Cattle
James Hodges ten head of Stock Cattle
Eackson Hodges two hundred dollars
Daniel Hodges two hundred dollars
Nathan Hodges forty three dollars and twenty six cents
Lashua Hodges one hundred and fifty dollars 50.
Now I the said Willis A. Hodges for and in consideration of the love and affection I have for my Wife Washie Hodges and her Children my son John A. Hodges and Grover C. Hodges, lawful heirs I grant and convey to them all personal and real Estate including the lands on which I now live the bounded to same, known and expressed in deeds, given what has been conveyed to Lanora & Lashua Hodges. My Wife has been kind and affectionate to me and has taken care of me in my old age, my Children have been kind and considerate to me and have raised me.

George W. Hodges Twenty five head of Stock Cattle
William Hodges Twenty five head of Stock Cattle
Elihu Hodges Twenty five head of Stock Cattle
Willis Hodges Twenty five head of Stock Cattle
Lemuel Hodges Twenty five head of Stock Cattle
John Hodges Eight head of Stock Cattle
James Hodges Ten head of Stock Cattle
Eackson Hodges Two hundred dollars
Daniel Hodges Two hundred dollars
Valtan Hodges forty five dollars and twenty six cents
Lashua Hodges One hundred and fifty dollars 150⁰⁰
Now I the said Willis Hodges for and in
consideration of the love and affection I have
for my wife Washie Hodges and her children
by me to wit Joel Hodges and Grover C
Hodges, lawful heirs I grant and convey
to them all personal and real estate including
the lands on which I now live the boundaries
to same known and expressed in deeds except
what has been conveyed to Homer & Joshua Hodges
my wife has been kind and affectionate to me and
has taken care of me in my old age, my children
by first wife consider that I have raised and
done all for them my means would allow,
for this reason, I will and bequeath all
personal and real estate to my wife Washie
Hodges, and the heirs of her body by me also
forty head of Cattle and all the Cattle above
forty. Shall go to Emily Crews, Mary Crews
Martha Chisum, But should my stock
not reach forty head it shall belong
exclusively to Washie Hodges and the heirs of

her Body, by me, This property shall at my death be
so conveyed by executor or administrator to Said
Bessie Hodges, and her heirs by me, for their sole
use, and benefit, I also Will to said Hodges, and
Grover Cleveland Hodges, on attaining their majority
or Marriage, have each a horse the same
been given the rest of my Boys,
Lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my Son
George W Hodges, executor of this my last Will and
Testament. This June 7th 1886

Wm. A. Hodges

In presence of
Joseph L Howard
Geo. W. McNeill
W L Rancer & P