

Record of the last Will & Testament of Mary Henderson

Georgia In the name of God amen
County of Clay I Mary Henderson of the said County & State being
far advanced in life and knowing that I must soon depart from
this to a better world do make and declare this instrument to be my
last Will & Testament

First I desire, that my body shall be buried in a decent and Christian
like manner suitable to my circumstances & Condition.

Second, My soul I resign to God who gave it hoping for salvation in
the merits of the Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ whose Religion I
must I have enjoyed for nearly fifty Years

Third, the house & lot whereon I now reside I give and bequeath to
my son Isaiah T Henderson

Fourth I give and bequeath to my two daughters Clementine & Elanfred
& Mary A Johnson the whole of my household and kitchen furniture
including tables trunks spoons side board feather beds & bedsteads
with their furniture - clock and every thing else pertaining to my house

Fifth To my Grand son John W Vattine I give & bequeath my
cow & calf

Sixth To my Grandson John B Johnson I give & bequeath my horse
pin hook And I do furthermore nominate & appoint my esteemed
friend John H Jones my executor to this my last Will & Testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this six-
teenth day of April 1853 Mary Henderson (seal)

Signed sealed declared and published before us the undersigned
who each of us witnessed the testator subscribe her name and
who subscribed the same in presence of each other

Geo B Wardlaw & H Tuttle Henry Benton

Georgia In open Court came George H Tuttle Henry Benton &
Clay County. George B Wardlaw who being duly sworn depose
and say that they saw Mary Henderson sign seal publish and declare
the writing here represented to be her last Will & Testament that they
signed the same in the presence of the testator and in the presence
of each other. That she executed the same freely and without compulsion
and that she was of sound disposing mind & memory as far as
they know or believe Sworn to & subscribed before me in open
Court this 7th day of May 1855

John H Jones
only

Geo B Wardlaw
H. H. Tuttle
Henry Benton

Ordered to be recorded May 7 1855

John H Jones only