

Mongin Smith's Will.

In the name of God - Amen.

I, Mongin Smith of the county of Cobb, in the State of Georgia, being in feeble health, but of sound and disposing mind and memory, and knowing the uncertainty of human life, and the certainty of death, and being desirous of disposing of my worldly affairs, while I have sufficient strength and capacity, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former Wills and Testaments I may have at any time heretofore made.

And first of all, I give my soul to God, who first gave me, and my body to be interred under the directions of my friends, and as for what worldly goods and possessions God has been pleased to entrust me with, I dispose of them as follows:

It is my will that my funeral expenses, together with all my just debts, be paid as early after my death as may be practicable. I will and bequeath unto my nieces Elizabeth Patterson, Catharine Anna Phillips, and Jessie Phillips, and to my nephew James Mongin Smith, each, twenty five dollars.

I will and bequeath unto my sister, Laura Margaret Smith, all the remainder of my estate and property, of every kind and description, a large portion of which consists of about six thousand dollars worth of the stock or bonds of the State of Western Rail Road Company in the State of Georgia, and my interest of every description in the property and estate, to law and equity, I may be entitled to of my mother's

I will and bequeath each, twenty five dollars.
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all my interest of every description in the property and works of
both in law and equity, I may be entitled to of my now
property and estate. It is distinctly understood that the
estate and estate of every kind hereby willed and bequeathed
my said sister, Laura Margaret Smith, shall be held and re-
served by her as her own separate property and estate, no
subject to the debts, liabilities, contracts or control of any
husband she may at any time hereafter marry. And in
event she shall die without leaving a child or children
surviving, then I will and bequeath (after the death of Laura
Margaret) all of the property, money and estate
hereby willed to her, to be equally divided between the
children of my father, James Mongin Smith, deceased, but
otherwise.

I hereby nominate and appoint my friends, Richard
Guyler, George A. Guyler, and Mrs. Laura M. Smith, my
Executors to this my last Will and Testament.

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Witness my hand and seal, the seventh day of June,
A.D. 1864.
The above and foregoing was signed, sealed, published
and declared by the said Morgan Smith, in our presence, to be
his last Will and Testament; and each of us, in the presence of each
other, and also in the presence and at the special instance and request
of the said Morgan Smith, have hereunto subscribed our names as atta-
ching witnesses to the execution thereof, this 7th day of June, A.D. 1864.

Asa May

Anna Edwards
Emma J. Cole.

Reproduced, August 28, 1866
Will Campbell, Arvey

State of Georgia
Thomas County

Court of Ordinary, October 21, 1864.

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In open Court, personally appeared Laura M.
Smith, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament
of Morgan Smith, deceased, late of the county of Cobb and State
of Georgia and produced the Last Will and Testament of said
Morgan Smith, deceased, and Emma J. Cole, witness to said Will,
which witness, being duly sworn, deposes and saith, that the said
Morgan Smith, Testator, signed, sealed, declared and published said
instrument now presented as his last Will and Testament, freely, volun-
tarily and of his own accord, and without any compulsion or influ-
ence whatever that at the time of the execution of said Will, said
Testator, was of sound and disposing mind and memory - that he
had signed said Will as witness thereto in the presence of the
Testator and at his special instance and request, and in the
presence of Asa May and Anna Edwards, who signed the same
in the presence of said Testator and of each other.

... that she said
was her husband and published and
signed his last Will and Testament freely, volunt-
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ence - that at the time of the execution of said Will, said
woman was of sound and disposing mind and memory - that she
had no voice said Will as witness thereto in the presence of the
witnesses, and at his special instance and request, and in the
presence of Bea May and Anna Edwards, who witnessed the same as
witnesses therein in the presence of said Testator and of each other.
Done & subscribed before me, this
day and day above written

To H. H. Tooke, Ordinary } Emma J. Cole,
H. H. Tooke, Ordinary

Note of Georgia | H. H. Tooke, Ordinary and ex officio Clerk
County of Cherokee | of said County, do hereby certify officially
that the annexed and foregoing Will of
Morgan Smith, deceased, was this day produced before me
this day, and duly probated, as will more fully appear
by reference to said Will, and the annexed probate & oath
swear under my official signature, with the seal
of my Court, attached, this 21st day of October A.D. 1864.

H. H. Tooke Ordinary,
And ex officio Clerk of Ct. of Cherokee

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Note of Georgia | Before me, Judge Campbell, Ordinary in &
Bibb County | for said county in vacation of Court, per-
sonally came Laura M. Smith, Executrix
of the last Will and Testament of Morgan Smith, late of said
county deceased, and produced before me the last Will &
Testament of the said Morgan Smith, deceased, and one
of the witnesses to said Will, viz: Bea May, which witness being
duly sworn, deposed and saith, that she saw Morgan Smith

the Testator sign, seal, declare and publish the instrument
now presented as his last Will and Testament, freely, voluntarily and of his own accord, and without any compulsion,^{wife equally divided}
or influence whatever that at the time of signing^{date} said Will, said Testator was of sound and disposing mind,^{on my hand and}
memory - that deponent signed said Will in the presence of the Testator, and at his special instance and request,^{signed, sealed,}
that he saw Anna Edwards and Emma J. Cole, the ^{two} ^{subscribing} ^{Valentine}
subscribing witnesses, sign said Will in the presence of the Testator, and that they all signed said Will as subscribing
witnesses in the presence of each other.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 19th As a May
July, 1866 - John Campbell. Notary ^{have seen}

Valentine Kolb's Will.

In the name of God - Amen.

I, Valentine Kolb, of the county and state of Georgia, in County of Fulton, and City of Atlanta, and County of DeKalb, being of sound and disposing mind, therefore
memory, and knowing the uncertainty of life, and the uncertainty of death, do make and declare this my last Will and discharge