

Georgia Decatur County. In the name of God, amen
I Malcom Buie of the County and State aforesaid, being
in perfect sense, recollecting that it is appointed for all men
once to die, do make this my last will and testament
in form and manner following: First, I recommend my
soul to God who gave it, and my body I recommend to
the earth from whence it came to be buried at the discretion
of my executors in a Christian manner. Secondly I give and
bequeath unto my loving spouse Margaret Buie a negro
man named Charles or his worth and a negro woman
named Phillis and ten cows and calves and a bed
and furniture and all my household and kitchen
furniture during her widowhood. Thirdly, I give and
bequeath unto my beloved daughter Margaret Buie
McDonald a certain negro girl Nelly between five and
six years of age, all her own claim in my stock of Cattle
with all I let her have when she married to be fully
occupied and enjoyed by her and the heirs of her body
if any, there be to possess all the aforesaid and if
no heirs the said property at her death to be returned to
her brothers. Fourthly, I give and bequeath unto my
eldest son John Buie one negro fellow named Jack
(now grown) likewise his riding Horse Saddle and Bridle
with all his own claim of my stock of Cattle and Rifle.
Fifthly, I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Buie
Gilson a certain negro girl named Martha about two
years of age, likewise five Cows with their Calves with
a Bed and furniture which she has now in her own name
and possession. Sixthly, I give and bequeath unto my
son Archibald Buie a negro boy named Henry about
twelve years old, likewise all his claim of my stock of cattle
with a Horse bridle and Saddle to be furnished for him
equal in value to those of his Brother. Seventhly I give
and bequeath unto my youngest son Malcom Buie
a certain negro boy named Cain about eight years old
likewise his own claim of my stock of cattle, likewise his
own horse and a good bridle and saddle. Eighthly I give

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and bequeath unto my youngest daughter Ann Nepsy Buie a certain
negro boy named Jim about four years old and all her own
claim in my stock of Cattle with a good bed and furniture.

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Ninthly and lastly, It is my earnest request that my lawful
executors after my decease first shall pay all my funeral expen-
ces and next my lawful debts of every kind and all the rest
of lands and tenements that I may be the lawful proprietor of
at my expiration or decease, I give and bequeath unto my
three sons viz: John, Archibald, and Malcom Buie to be freely
and fully their right and lawful property free from all claims
whatsoever, and the remaining of my stock of every kind to be
equally divided between my three sons John, Archibald and
Malcom after Archibald, Malcom and Ann Nepsy Buie will
get twelve months schooling: The two negroes as above named
and the two work Cretures a sorrel Horse and mare I bequeath
unto my spouse during her widowhood, and when that will
cease then to be divided equally between my three sons John,
Archibald and Malcom Buie to their own proper use benefit
and behoof free and clear from any enthrallment whatsoever.
And as to the Cattle I left my wife during widowhood, I
want them and their increase to be divided to the bodily heirs
of my daughter should they have any at their death, other-
wise all the property pointed out to them in this my last
Will and Testament to be returned to their Brothers.

Further and lastly, I appoint and constitute Daniel Buie
and my own son John Buie my true and lawful executors
after my death. Signed, Sealed and delivered in the presence
of us, and we in the presence of each other this Fifth day of
January A.D. 1827.

Malcom Buie Ld.

Archibald Buie

John Buie.

Georgia, Decatur County. Personally appeared before us -
Archibald Buie and John Buie who being duly sworn
deposeth and sayeth that the above and foregoing is the true
last Will of the above named Malcom Buie deceased so
far as they know or believe, and that they saw him sign
his name to said Will as such, and that the same was in

his proper senses so far as they or believe. Sworn to and sub-
scribed before us this 10th November 1829. Declar. County, Georgia Wills
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William Chester J. J. C. John Buie
William Whigham J. J. C.
Attest, J. Scarborough C. C. C.

Recorded this 13th day February 1829.

Recorded 28th April 1831.

State of Georgia } Personally appeared before
Effingham County } me C. E. Truitt a Justice of
the Peace for said County, Mary Mitzen, who being
duly sworn, deposed and sayeth that David Waters
of the State of Georgia, Decatur County, was taken sick
at my husband's house; and that I was present &
heard him the said David Waters say some six, or
eight days prior to his death, that it was his particu-
lar wish that his wife Rebecca should have all the
lands he possessed her life time & after her death the
said lands should be the property of his two youngest
children. And I do further declare that I do believe
that the said David Waters was in his perfect senses
at the time he expressed this his last Will.

Sworn to & subscribed before me

3rd March 1831. C. E. Truitt J. P. } Mary ^{her} Mitzen
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Recorded 28th April 1831.

Georgia } Personally appeared before me
Effingham County } C. E. Truitt a Justice of the
Peace for said County, Solomon Mitzen,
(who being duly sworn, deposed & saith that David
Waters of the State of Georgia Decatur County, was taken
sick at his Father's house (David Mitzen) & that he was
present & heard the said David Waters say some six, or eight
days prior to his death, that it was his particular wish
that his wife Rebecca should have all the lands that he
owns, or possessed, her life time & after her death the
said lands should be the property of his two youngest

Youngest Children: And I do further swear that
I believe that the said ~~Wills~~ ^{Wills} was in his per-
fect senses at the time he made, or ~~expressed~~ ^{expressed} this his
last Will.

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Sworn to & subscribed before me. 31st March
1831. C. E. Shrubler J. P.

Solomon Metzger