

State of Georgia

In the name of God
Know, That man is mortal and that the
tenure of life is uncertain, I George Pittall son
of the County of Franklin and State of Georgia
do sayd. Being weak in body, but of sound mind
and disposing thereby, do make, do make, ordain
and publish the following instrument as my
last will and Testament,

I'mprimis - It is my desire that after my death my
body should be buried in decent and
and Christian burial like manner, and
that the same be paid for by my executors
out of my estate -

Item, It is my desire that, to soon after my decease
as convenient may be, my debts and liabilities
and appraisals, shall pay my debts and
debts or demands that may be made
against me - And do to each a day
goods as it hath pleased God to give
me worth in this life, I bequeath and
dispose of them in the manner following
Viz I do and bequeath unto my
wife Rebecca Pittall the sum of
Twenty Dollars, and her Child, William
Lewis and Edward together with all
increase thereon, the lot of land
whereon I have lived, known & situated &
situated by the denominations of 40. 41.
42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. Contains one
hundred acres more or less, the lot
of land known by the same denominations
and distinguished by No 45. The whole
of my part of that lot of land distin-
guished by No 31. Lot of land No 32.
Lot of land No 39. Lot of land No 44 - all of
and being in the County of Franklin -

37 on the waters of Shoal Creek, also one brown mare, and one sorrel filly, also one cart & oxen, one half of my stock of cattle, hogs, and six sheep, also my plantation tools, also two beds and furniture, such as she may select, and all besides of my household and kitchen furniture, also all the crop of corn, cotton, wheat, rye, oats, fodder &c, which may be made upon my plantation the year of my decease, to have and use all & singular the lands, goods, & things by the aforesaid bequest conveyed, for and during the term of her natural life, and after her decease, it is my desire that the share of the said property, remaining, should be equally divided, out among my Children then living. And if any should be dead, then it is my will that the Children of such should stand in the stead of their deceased parents —

Whereas, therefore, I gave to each one of my sons, John Stovall son. George W Stovall, William Stovall David B Stovall, and son in law, Signal Meredith, James Rice and John M Stovall one horse, I out of the remainder of my stock of horses, that my Children may be equal, Whence of my estate, give and bequeath to my son Joseph Stovall one bay horse Colt and to my daughter Sarah M Stovall one bay mare Colt, to be given to them before a general division of the remainder of my estate, among all my Children, is proceeded to —

Whereas, therefore, I gave to each one of my sons John Stovall, and William Stovall one cow and calf, and son in law John M Stovall, one cow and calf, and son in law Signal Meredith and James Rice each two cows and calves, I out of the remainder of my stock of cattle, that my Children may be equal, Whence of my estate

give and bequeath to each one of my sons
John Stovall, William Stovall, and sons in
Law John M Stovall one cow and calf
and to each one of my sons George W Stovall
David C. Stovall, Joseph Stovall, and son-
-after Susannah - Stovall two cows and calves
to be given to them before a general division
of the remainder of my estate as provided
there. I give and bequeath to all my children
George W Stovall, William Stovall, David C
Stovall, John Stovall son to J. H. Stovall, &
Susannah Stovall, my sons in law, Sigel
Morelock, James Rice, and John M Stovall
the remainder of my property, both real &
personal of all descriptions, to be equally divided
between them -

I do hereby appoint my sons George W Stovall
and John Stovall Executors of this my last
Will and Testament -

I hereby revoke, annul and declare void
all other wills heretofore by me at any time
made, and declare and publish this
 foregoing as my only true last will and
testament -

In testimony whereof I have hereunto
set my hands and seal the 18th day
of February in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred
and thirty three -

George Stovall son

Signed, sealed, & published in presence
of the undersigned witnesses, who attested
in presence of the said Testator, on the
18th day of February 1833

John B Walton

John Bursick

William B. Brough

GEORGE E. Personally appeared in open Court
Franklin County, John C. Watters, John Burgess
and William Burroughs, who being duly sworn
depose and swear that they saw the within
named George Towall Esq. sign and seal the
within Will for the purposes therein mentioned
when in his proper mind, & that they subscribed
the same as within pay -
Sworn & subscribed this 6th day

of May 1833

J. C. Watters

John ^{his} Burgess

William Burroughs

Recorded 8th May 1833

Georgia In the name of God Amen, Amen,
Franklin County, I, John Payne Esq. of the County and
State aforesaid, being sick but of sound mind & memory,
thanks be to God, calling to mind the mortality of my body
and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die,
do make & Ordain this my last will and Testament, that
is to say, principally and first of all, I give and bequeath
recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God
that gave it, and my body I recommend to the earth
to be buried in decent Christian like burial, at the
discretion of my Executors, nothing doubting, but that
I shall receive it again by the mighty power of God,
and as touching such worldly estate as it has pleased God
to bless me with in this life, I give, devise, and dispose
of in the following manner and form -
First of all I give and bequeath to my dearly beloved
wife Polly Payne the whole of my estate, both real
and personal, to be by her peacefully enjoyed during
her natural life, or widowhood, but if she marries
then to take a Child's part, and the balance to be