

State of Georgia Rabun County

I John Morris of the State and County aforesaid, knowing that it is once appointed for all men to die, and being of sound mind & memory do make and ordain this my last will & Testament, in which I dispose of my worldly estate, wherein it hath pleased God to bless me with in the following manner & form.

- Item 1.st It is my wish that all my Just debts be paid -
- Item 2. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Sally Morris the use of my whole estate both real & personal, after my decease during her natural life or widowhood after giving off to the Children which may then be with us that has not received an equal share with those married off, an equal share or amount given those that has heretofore left us -
- 3.rd Should my wife marry it is my will that my Executor here after named shall cause an equal division to be made of all the property which I may be possessed of at my decease both real & personal, by sale or otherwise as they may think most proper, giving to my said wife a Childs part, that is that my property sh^d be equally divided amongst her & my Children, to wit: named John Opp. Thomas, Frederick & Lucretia Morris, & Patsy Stone cypher, Lucy Jackson, Milly Musis, Polly Coffee, & Betty Parks -
4. Should my wife die without marrying it is my will that my Executor proceed to take Charge of what property sh^d may be left, & that they proceed to make an equal division of the same amongst my Children here named, or their heirs sh^d, in the manner as above described, as soon as the same can conveniently be done

By last of September

Item D. Whereas I have some time past given to James and Sander Smith of the State of North Carolina a lease for ten years on the two tracts of land whereon I now live, so far as respects the ores minerals &c. which may be found on said tracts of land, and should said land prove valuable as to the mines supposed to be on it, and the said Smiths continue their lease for the time above stated or discontinue the same, it is my wish that my said Executor take charge of the said tract of land as respects the said mines &c. leaving to my said wife the full and peaceable possession of the cleared part of the aforesaid tracts of land; & that my Executor do pay to her what will be reasonably necessary for her support out of the profits arising from the anticipated mines on said land should any arise —

And lastly I do hereby constitute & appoint my said wife Sally Morris, & James & John Morris my executor & Executors of this my last will and Testament — In testimony whereof I the said John Morris hath hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 18th day of April A.D. 1830 —

Signed & delivered in presence of
William A McMillen
Alvin E Whitten
Martha W Baywell

John Morris Test

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Proved before me  
Said Court  
Personally appeared in this Court

2) William A. Whilliam and Alvin C. Whilliam, who being duly sworn deponent and saith that they saw the within named John Morris Dec. sign & seal the within as his last will and Testament, when in his proper mind, and that they subscribed the same as witnesses and saw Martha W. Bagwell do so likewise Sworn & subscribed in open Court

2<sup>nd</sup> May 1831

W. King C.C.

William A. Whilliam  
Alvin C. Whilliam

Recorded 4 May 1831

Georgia Whereas I John J. Pulliam of the County of Franklin County & State of Georgia, being in my perfect senses, do think proper to make this my last will & Testament. First of all I desire that my funeral expenses shall be paid, and secondly that all my Just debts shall be paid Thirdly, that my sister Fanny Pulliam shall have my negro woman by the name of Grace, but my will and wish is for my Mother to have the use of my said Negro woman as long as she should live, and then my sister Semina to have her the said negro woman Grace, and my will and wish is further that if my abovesaid sister Semina should die before she should inherit the right of the said negro woman Grace, then the said negro to be and belong to my next youngest sister to wit Theriah Pulliam, and fourthly my will is that my sister Theriah Pulliam should have my young boy Thorse, and one bed & furniture, And Fifthly that my youngest sister Semina should have my other bed & furniture and my young Grey Colt, In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this tenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty

Test Robert Rankin  
Bryson Payne  
Benedict Payne

John J. Pulliam