

Amey Strongfellow Will

In the name of God Amen. I Amey Strongfellow of the State of Pennsylvania being afflicted in my body but of sound mind & memory & knowing the uncertainty of life & the certainty of death, direct my property disposed of in the following manner:

Item first It is my will that all my just debts be paid out of the sale of my property.

Item second I will & bequeath to Elizabeth Strongfellow widow of Benjamin Strongfellow one cart & one large iron Kettle.

Item third I will & bequeath to my Grand daughter Sarah Strongfellow daughter of Benjamin Strongfellow one clock & one large iron chest & one hundred Dollars also one half the interest which I have or may have in the contemplated land lottery.

Item fourth I will & bequeath unto my Grand son George Strongfellow son of Robert Strongfellow thirty Dollars not to be paid him till he attain the age of twenty one years.

Item fifth I wish the balance of my property to be equally divided between my Children.

Item sixth I do appoint my beloved friend Ephraim Stearns my Executor to this my last Will & Testament revoking all previous Wills or Wills by me made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal 17th July 1826.

The within Will witnessed by us
 the day & date within mentioned.

O. Porter

Samuel Baldwin

Robert Findley

Amey Strongfellow (Seal)
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Georgia Personally appeared before us Oliver Porter Samuel
 Green County Baldwin two of the subscribing Witnesses to the within
 Will who being duly sworn say that they saw the within named Amey Strongfellow
 sign Seal & heard her acknowledge the same as her last Will & Testament and that
 they each believed her to be of perfect sound mind & memory at the time of her so doing
 and that Robert Findley together with themselves subscribed her name as a Witness thereto
 in the presence of the Testator.

Given to be before us this 13th Sept 1826

David S. Spruell J. J. C.

Thomas Stecks J. J. C. (3) Recorded 13th November 1826

O. Porter

Samuel Baldwin

Benjamin Stearns

Ezekiel C Parks Will

In the name of God Amen. I Ezekiel C. Parks of Green County in the State of Georgia being in a weak and infirm state of body and of sound (and) disposing mind memory (and) understanding considering the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my mortal affairs, and thereby for the better prepared to leave the world, I have at this place had to call me hence do therefore make (and) publish this my last Will & Testament in manner following: That is to say First It is my will and desire that all my just be paid as soon as my Executors hereon after named can conveniently do so, (and) for the better enabling them to meet the demands against my Estate, I do hereby authorize (and) empower them to sell or manage my Estate either real or personal or such parts as they may deem most beneficial to my Estate and they are hereby authorized to sell the whole or any part thereof to meet the said debts for the same in full (and) ample a manner as they may see fit in law and law the same my will that the proceeds thereof to be applied to discharge of my just debts and (and) as soon as my Executors shall have paid sufficient of my Estate to pay the same

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due they shall not sell the balance thereof without the Consent of my wife or writing under her hand & seal. Secondly It is my Will that my wife Deborah Parker shall possess all my Estate both real & personal after all my just debts are paid that she may be enabled to support herself (and) such of our children as may continue to live with her in decency & Comfort and that she shall have the entire interest and benefit of all my property at appraisement in Case of any of our children should be pressed in want for anything that can be spared from the Estate any of them that is married or may hereafter marry or go to them so that my wife should be at liberty and is requested to hand off to such Child or Children with the advice of my Executor such part of my Estate either real or personal as can be reasonably spared from my Estate having due regard to the principle of Equity and such property is given out to be accounted for in a final division of my Estate

Thirdly It is my will and desire that my two boys Joseph and Peyton shall have a liberal Education Peyton at any rate if his own funds are not sufficient. (The) benevolence of the family will enable him to graduate.

Fourthly It is my will and desire that at the death or intermarriage of my wife, that all my Estate then remaining shall be sold by my Executors at public Auction giving at least thirty days public notice in some public newspaper convenient to where the Estate may be which property shall be sold on a credit of at least twelve months (and) the sales other collected shall be equally divided amongst my Children having regard to what any of my Children may have previous to such sale received from my Estate (and) it is my will that any of my Children shall be competent to bid for property at the sale of my Estate either by themselves or Confidential agent. And it is also my will that my Executors shall have an exclusive claim or interest upon all property purchased by my Children or their agents as a collateral security for settlement of my Estate.

Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my sons James S Park John G Park (and) son in law Peter J Williams Executors of this my last will & Testament hereby revoking all others by me heretofore made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this nineteenth day of December in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred (and) twenty signed sealed & acknowledged by the Testator as his last will & Testament in presence of

Daniel Jett

Thomas Wingfield

D^r Torrell

Ezekiel C Park

Attest Green County Court of Ordinary January Term 1827

Personally appeared in open Court Thomas Wingfield and Daniel Torrell two of the undersigned witnesses to the within will who being duly sworn depose and say that they each heard the within named Ezekiel C Park on the nineteenth day of December Eight hundred and twenty six acknowledge and pronounce the within to be his last will and Testament and that they each believe him to be of perfect sound mind and memory at the time of his making and that they together with Daniel Jett subscribed their names as Witnesses thereto in the presence of the Testator

done to us open Court

20th January 1827

Thomas Wingfield

Thomas Wingfield

D^r Torrell

Recorded 11th February 1827

Thomas Wingfield

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