

Barren County In the name of God amen.

The nineteenth day of February in the year

of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and twelve I Mark Phillips of said State and County aforesaid
 Farmer being in a low state of health (body) but of perfect mind and memory thanks be unto
 God therefore calling to mind the mortality of my Body (and knowing that is appointed for all men under
 to die do make (and ordain this my last Will (and Testament my) principally and first of all I
 give (and recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it and for my body I recommend it
 to the earth to be buried in a Christian like (and decent manner at the discretion of my Executors
 not doubting but at the General resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty Power
 of God And as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this
 life I give ^{during} dispose of the same in the following manner

It is my will that all my just debts (and funeral expenses be paid
 immediately It is my will (and desire (and I do hereby give (and bequeath to Nancy Phillips my dearly
 beloved wife all my Estate both real (and personal that I have or may have at my death
 with all the money Bonds notes (and open Accounts that I may be in possession of at my
 death to be appointed for her support during her natural life (and for the support schooling
 & raising my youngest Children (viz) John Hudgins Phillips Melindy Phillips Jesse Bush
 Phillips Sally Abbi & Patsy Phillips until the youngest Child Patsy Phillips arrives to the age of
 fifteen It is also my will (and desire that when my youngest Child Patsy arrives to the age of
 fifteen as aforesaid or any of the before mentioned Children becomes of age or marries then and
 in that case it is my will (and desire that my beloved wife or any part over to my beloved
 herein after to be named any money or property that she can spare from a decedent
 support of raising (and schooling of the aforesaid Children (but not otherwise for the purpose
 of said Executors paying said Children their distributive share of my Estate so far as one
 hundred (and fifty Dollars each if to be spared as aforesaid but not otherwise until the death
 of my beloved wife Nancy Phillips. It is further my will (and desire that Henry Phillips
 the son of Phillips my two oldest sons (and Daniel Jackson (and Washington his sons my two
 sons in law have nothing more out of my Estate; either real or personal than what
 they have already received which is one hundred (and fifty Dollars each until the death
 of my wife Nancy Phillips. It is further my will (and desire that after the death
 of my beloved wife Nancy that John Hudgins Melindy, Jesse Bush Sally Abbi and Patsy Phillips
 my six youngest Children receive one hundred (and fifty Dollars each out of my personal
 Estate and the surplus if any be then it is my will that it be divided equally among
 all my Children that is the surplus of my ^{personal} Estate. It is further my will (and desire that
 after the death of my beloved wife Nancy that my well beloved son John Hudgins Phillips
 have and I do hereby Will (and bequeath to the said John Hudgins all the North West end or part
 of my land known (and distinguished by the North tract also after the death of my wife
 Nancy I will (and bequeath and do hereby give to Jesse Bush Phillips all the South East end
 or part of my land it being the plantation whereon I now live with all the immovable
 property thereon (and the line of division between the said John H. and Jesse B. Phillips land
 Beginning on a pine corner on the back line next to Arthur Fosters running thence
 a South direction down the ridge to the mouth or Confluence of two little branches and
 thence down the water mark of said Branch to the lower or back line next to the
 Little River to be by them freely to be possessed and enjoyed

And I do hereby make constitute (and appoint my beloved wife Nancy and my two sons

Thomas and Henry Phillips with Alexander McAlpin my only Executors whom I constitute and ordain my sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament and I do hereby utterly disallow revoke and disannul all and every other former testaments wills & legacies requests & Executors by me in any way before this time named wills and bequeaths ratifying and confirming this (and no other) to be my last will and Testament.

Now Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this day and date first above written

Signed sealed pronounced acknowledged & delivered by the said } The words "to be affirmed" interlined before
Mark Phillips as his last Will & Testament in presence of us } signed (in original)

The subscribers

Test A. M. Alpin

R. Jenkins

John Green

Mark Phillips (seal)
mark

Georgia }
Green County } Green Court of Ordinary March Term 1817

Personally appeared in Open Court James Green and Alexander McAlpin subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing will who they duly sworn say that they saw the within named Mark Phillips sign seal and here acknowledge the within as his last Will and Testament and that they each believed him to be of perfect sound mind and memory at the time of his so doing also that James R. Jenkins was with themselves subscribing Witnesses thereto

Sworne to in Open Court this

13th March 1817

Orangethorpe Torrance Clerk

Recorded 10th July 1817

Orangethorpe Torrance Clerk