

William Twinnings will
George At William Twinnings In the name of God
Great mercy Amen do publish make & declare this to be my
last will & testament in where as it has pleased God to bless me
with thankful living in this life I give demise & bequeath of
it in manner & form following to wit

Item 1st. I bequeath to my son Samuel H. Twinnings my negro man Wm
during his first wife Nancy lives but he is ~~not~~ not to be subject
for or liable to be taken or sold for any debt or contract he may
make & after the death of Samuel & Nancy the said negro
man & Wm shall be equally divided among his children
in addition to property he has before given him

Item 2nd. I give & bequeath unto my son William H. Twinnings one negro
man named Lewis in addition to property he has before given
him

Item 3rd. I give demise & bequeath unto my son John Twinnings one
negro boy named Aaron in addition to property he has before given

Item 4th. I give demise & bequeath unto my son John Twinnings one neg-
ro boy named Nathan in addition to property he has before given him

Item 5th. I give demise & bequeath unto my executors heirs & assigns
for the use & benefit of my grand children that now be born & it
body of my daughter Rachel Bradway one negro boy named
Isiah & thirty acres of land to be laid out by my & his such
manner as they may think best to include the place where the
Bradway now lives & if my & should think that my daughter
Rachel Bradway do stand in need ^{of} of the aforesaid negro boy
& the thirty acres of land they may give them the use of them until
her children may all arrive to law ul age at the discretion of my

Item 6th. I give demise & bequeath unto my son Thomas Twinnings one neg-
ro boy named Hester fifty acres of land to be laid out in Fitzpatrick
Moors land in addition to property he has before given him

Item 7th. I I give demise & bequeath unto my son Matthew Twinnings
one negro woman named Fie & fifty acres of land to be laid out
joining Fitzpatrick & Thomas Twinnings land in addition to property
he has before given him

Item 8th. I give demise & bequeath unto my son Levi Twinnings one neg-
ro maid named Dick & fifty acres of land to be laid out joining
Thomas Twinnings & Moors land in addition to land he has before
given him

Item 9th. I give demise & bequeath unto my son Marcus Twinnings one
negro girl named Mary Ann & fifty acres of land joining
& running up the creek in addition to property he has before given him

Item 10th. I give demise & bequeath unto my son Solomon Twinnings one
negro girl named Maniah & fifty acres of land joining Hester land
near the Lin one bed & furniture in addition to property given him

Item 11 I give to my daughter Rachel ~~therefore~~ one dollar in addition to property heretofore given her the sum of my estate
 12 It is further my will that all my estate which have not given away of whatsoever kind it may be of will be sold & after all my just debts is paid the balance to be equally divided equally between my now sons & the children of my daughter Rachel & lastly I do hereby nominate & appoint my loving son William H. Swinney & Thomas Crawford executors to this my last will & testament revoking all others heretofore made. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 8th day of July 1825

Signer seals & delivers

in presence of
 John R. Thomas
 Powhatan W. Howell
 John Howell

William H. Swinney (seal)
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Georgia

In open court Personally appeared in open court be us
 Powhatan Howell & John R. Thomas two of the subscribing wit-
 nesses to the within Will who being duly sworn say that they saw
 the within named William Swinney sign seal & heard him
 acknowledge the same to be his last will & testament & that they
 each believed him to be of perfect sound mind & memory at the
 time of his so doing & that they each together with John Howell
 subscribed their names as witnesses thereto in the presence of the testator
 sworn to before us

this 7th November 1825

W. Swinney J. R. C.

David L. Terrell J. R. C.

Powhatan W. Howell

John R. Thomas

Recorded 31st January 1826

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