

Walden, at the request of sister Benjamin
and her husband did allow as witnesses the
written declaration as her husband's testimony from
which that the above was signed and published
by brother to last and in their presence who
last with that he was at the time of said
alteration and signing of said and his own
and necessary that he executed the
written paper voluntarily that he executed the
before and before me
James S. Franklin Attorney
before me July 11th 1853

I do solemnly swear that
the writing contains the true
last will of the within named to be Benjamin
deceased, so far as I know or believe and that
with truth and trust execute the same in
accordance with the laws of this state as they
are laid
before me and subscribed
before me July 11th 1853.

James S. Franklin Attorney
Read and Signed 7th 1853.
James S. Franklin Attorney

State of Georgia In the name of God Amen.
Benjamin and I John Linney of said State and
county being of legal age, free of mind and
disposing mind knowing that it would shortly
close the life and knowing it right and just
in look as respecting self and family that I
should make & dispose of the property which a
kind Providence has blessed me with to being
my last will and testament

I desire and direct that my body be buried
in a decent and Christian like manner.
Suitable to my circumstances and condition in
life, my soul I trust shall receive its rest
with God who give I do I hope for salvation
through the atonement of the blessed Lord
and hence I am free

I do desire & direct that all my just debts
be paid without delay by my Executor here-
inafter constituted & appointed

I give bequeath & devise to my beloved wife
Frances M. Linney as certain tract or parcel
of land being in the County & State above
mentioned containing twenty five acres
be it more or less and bound as follows
commencing at the Old Linney Turkey
Covey, from thence a North by North
& short line to the same point as to equal
the tract paid, from thence as thought his
or lastly direction to a State corner as
on near the head of a branch from thence
a straight line a S W direction to a bar
oak corner on the Hogmountain Road
from thence to the N E corner of the
corner from thence a straight line to
the beginning corner, said tract including
the House where I now live, said tract of
land given, bequeathed, agreed upon &
taken in view