

Last Will and Testament of Reddick Smith in & Recor'd

State of Georgia } Know all men by these presents that I Reddick Smith
County of Harris } of said State and County aforesaid knowing the
uncertainty of life and knowing that all men must die, and
now being of sound mind and memory and of understanding
sufficient to express my Will and request, do make this my last
Will and Testament

- Item 1st I will and give my Soul to God who gave it me.
- Item 2nd It is my Will and request that after my death that all of
my just debts be paid by or my Goods and effects
- Item 3rd That after my just debts be paid It is my Will and request
that my loving and affectionate Wife Mary Smith take and
have all of my property real, personal and mixed, and I hereby give
to my said Wife all of my property without reserve or accident to
to any other person whatsoever
- Item 4th I now make ordain and appoint my loving Wife Mary Smith
my executrix and authorize her to take charge of my said estate
both real, personal and mixed, and to dispose of the same at
pleasure without being required to give bond and security to
the Court of Ordaining of this County or any other
- In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed
my Seal this 26th day of April 1856.
- Signed, sealed and acknowledged Reddick Smith
- in the presence of
James Bell
James Wadkins
Wm. V. Smith

Georgia } Court of Ordaining September Term 1860.
Harris County } Personally appeared in open Court Mary Smith
Executing named and appointed in a paper writing purporting
to be the last Will & Testament of Reddick Smith late of said
County deceased and produced said paper writing and also
personally came William V. Smith & James Wadkins two of
the subscribing witnesses to said paper writing, who being duly
sworn depose and say that they saw the said Testator
Reddick Smith, sign, seal, deliver and publish the said paper
writing now presented in open Court as his last Will & Testament
freely, voluntarily and of his own accord without compulsion
or influence whatsoever, that at the time of the execution of said
Will said Testator was of sound mind, sound memory, that
deponents became said witnesses in the presence of the
Testator and at his request and in the presence of each other
that they saw James Bell the other witness sign said Will in
the presence of the Testator and at his request
sworn to & Subscribed before me in open Court this 3rd day
of September 1860.

Geo. W. Mullins
Clerk

Wm. V. Smith
James Wadkins