

In the name of God Amen

I, Jesse Harris of the State of Georgia, County of Jackson being of sound mind & perfect memory blessed be God, for the same do this twenty second day of March eighteen hundred & thirty nine make & publish this my last will & testament in manner & form following, first shall I give my soul into the hands of almighty God, who gave it in hope of a joyful resurrection at the last when soul & body shall meet, my body after my decease I order to be buried in a decent & Christianlike manner & to be such worldly estate where with it has pleased God to bless me with in this mortal life I give demise & dispose of the same in the following manner & form

- 1st I make & devise & constitute my truly beloved wife Nancy Harris my executrix & my beloved friend Barnabas Barron my executor At this my last will & testament write the first of my sons shall arrive at the age of twenty one years, then I wish him appointed in the room of Barnabas Barron.
- 2nd I leave & bequeath to beloved wife Nancy all my lands, houses, hog & cattle, with household furniture & every article by me bequeathed during her natural life, or widowhood etc. my husband as then arrive to the age of twenty one years are to be sure from the estate a horse saddle & bridle worth twenty five Dollars each to be settled on when married to receive a common quadrangle cow & half a common feather bed & furniture, I care my wife Nancy should marry again all my property to be sold & equally divided among my eight children & wife should she die equally among my children in case my wife should attempt to waste or destroy my property, I would wish my executor to take the property out of her hands & sell it agreeable to law & divide a double as before stated, my children are to be raised & supported from my estate & not to pay for their raising after they be come of age I don't expect but utterly disallow under & demand all and every other further bequestment with be given the one & the three cent by me made in any wise before named with the exception ratification & confirming this & no other to be my last will & testament, The witness whereof I the said Jesse Harris have hereunto set my hand & that the date date heretofore mentioned, signed sealed & delivered acknowledged in presence of us

J. A. Barron
John Barron
William Harris

Georgia came into open court Magnus A Brooks
Jackson County, Moses Tinson & Walton Harris witnesses
to the above & foregoing will their duty sworn with that
they did see John Harris sign the same & that they
signed the same at the request in the presence of the
said testator as witnesses
sworn to in open court
this 4th Mar 1839
Edward Adams Clk

Magnus A Brooks
Walton Harris
Moses Tinson

Georgia In the name of God, I men
Jackson County I Samuel G. Patton of the County, State
aforesaid being low in body but in perfect mind and
memory do make this my last will & testament making
all others void I give & bequeath to John & Charity Winters
a Mulatto woman & her child John all of which I wish
set free when John ^{at} ^{about} twenty one years of age the woman's name
is Charlotte, the balance of my property consisting of four
other negroes Chester a man, Sophie a boy, Macky a woman
Mary a girl, and all my household & furniture from the
above to my sister Charity Winters & Margaret Tinson
their when they arrive to age the same having been sold
by my executors her heirs wanted given under my hand & seal
the 27th January 1829

Test Abraham brother
Samuel G. Patton Seal
James Langston
Josiah M. Kennedy

Sheweth aforesaid John Winters of Jackson County & William
Winters of Greenwich County Georgia my executors to this my last
will & testament

Georgia Personally came in open court Abraham
Jackson County, Crister & Josiah M. Kennedy being sworn
deposed & testified that they did see Samuel G. Patton the
the within named testator sign the within will & heard
him acknowledge it to be his last will & testament & that
deponents with James Langston were witnesses