

Seth Bond's Will

United States of America

State of Georgia

Jones County

I In the name of God Amen, I Seth Bond of the County and State aforesaid calling to mind that it is once appointed for all men to die believing in the mortality of body and the immortality of my Soul the certainty of death at some future period of time, whenever it may please the Supreme Being and being at this time advanced in age of perfect health of body and mind and for the disposition of my worldly Estate whereunto it has pleased God to bless me. I now make this my last will and Testament. (To wit) I in the first place at my death I wish my body to be decently buried in a Christian like manner at the discretion of my Executor and commit my Soul into the hands of God and at his mercy and to my Son in Law John Stuart I Give & bequeath 202½ acres of Land lot No 169 in the 10th district Jones with the exception of ten acres reserved for a public road as it now runs to him & his heirs forever together with two negroes named Barbara and Clemens in like manner

Item 2^d I give and bequeath to my Grand Children George & John Albert Lockhart, two negroes named Rachel and Hannah to them and their heirs forever

Item 3^d I will and bequeath to my Grand Son Seth Humnicut 202½ acres of Land No 23 in the 20th district Wilkeson County to him and his heirs forever and to the said Seth Humnicut Betsey Humnicut, Susannah Humnicut, William Humnicut & Hampton Humnicut my Grand Children born of the body of Nell Humnicut now the wife of Ben Bond and to such other children as may be hereafter born of her body I also Give & bequeath four negroes named James Ann, Mary and November to the said Children equally & their heirs forever

Item 4th I Give and bequeath to my Son in Law Lavenor Marsh 202½ acres of Land & No 192 in the 9th district Jones County also two negroes named Rachel & Isaac to him and his heirs forever and to my Grand children Alfred & Nathan Marsh I also give two negroes named October and Tempy to them & their heirs forever

Item 5th I Give and bequeath to my Son Samuel Bond 202½ acres of No 144 and 202½ acres of Land No 145 both in the 9th district Jones County also 202½ acres Land No 110 in the 10th district Jones County and also the ten acres reserved for a road out of Lot No 169 in the 10th district Jones County to him and his heirs forever, and I also

give and bequeath to him the said Samuel Bond the following
Negroes named June February, Tom, Dinah, March, Lucy,
Catey, Harry, Dick, Jada, August, January, July, Phillis,
Ned, Jack & Sambo, together with all the Rest of my personal
property to him and his heirs forever. And he the said Samuel
Bond be to support and maintain his mother Priscilla Bond
during her natural life.

And I hereby nominate and appoint Samuel Bond and Jas. Smith
Executors of this my last Will and testament hereby revoking all
wills heretofore made or expressed.

In witness whereof I the said Seth Bond have herunto set
my hand and seal this first day of Decr. 1821.

Signed, Sealed & pronounced in our presence as witnesses
and we attest the same at the request of the said Seth Bond,
& in his presence and in the presence of each other.

Henry B. Lamar

Saml. Beagin

James Beagin

Seth Bond *(S.D.)*

Georgia. Court of Ordinary. Jan'y Term 1821.

Jones County I personally appeared in open Court, Henry B. Lamar
& James Beagin who being sworn depose & say that Saw Seth
Bond sign, Seal, & publish the within instrument as his
last Will and Testament & that they Saw Samuel Beagin sign
the same with themselves as a subscribing witness.
Sworn to in open open Court.

Henry B. Lamar.

James Smith, C.C.O.

James Beagin.

Jones County.

Simson Horn's Will.

In the name of God amen, I Simson Horn of State of Georgia
and Jones County being of Perfect health and of sound mind and
memory but reflecting that it is appointed for man to
die do make and ordain this my last will and testa-
ment first I recommend my soul to God who gave it and
my body to be buried with Decent Christian burial.

I the 1st I give and bequeath to my son Elijah Horn one
hundred three and a half acres of land adjoining Hinchey
Land and Simmons to him and his heirs forever.

I the 2^d I give and bequeath to my son Joel Horn eighty eight
and one quarter acres of land adjoining the square of land