


In the name of God, Amen. I, John McCoy of the County of Morgan and State of Georgia calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed unto all men once to die do constitute and ordain this my last will and testament and as touching such wordly estate as it appeared. God to bless me with in this life I give and dispose of in the manner and form following. That is to say first of all I give and bequeath to my wife Mary McCoy all the land I own in the County of Morgan two of my best horses all my cattle and hogs, all my household and kitchen furniture all my farming utencils also seven negroes namely, Shoemaker, Reuben, Cobb, Agga, Decey, Jackson, Alexander and Bobby and all their increase. Also all my crop on hand all debts due me and all the money I have on hand and all thats coming to me out of the Estate of my father's Henry McCoy and all other Estates that I hold an interest in during her natural life at or after her death the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars to be saved out of what I have left my wife and equally divided between my grandchildren namely Bryan O'Neal, Besa O'Neal, John O'Neal, Ionner O'Neal, Mary Wood, Lurina Johnson, Ann W. Thompson, and Emily O'Neal, provided that they or any of them do not make or cause to be made any disturbance by law or otherwise concerning my Estate or with my Executor then and in that event they shall have no part of my Estate if they do the balance that may remain after the sum of Eight hundred Dollars is saved shall be equally divided between my five children namely Ed McCoy, Leroy McCoy, Martha Mann Elizabeth Bostwick and Cathrin Pinketon if she should be living at the time of the death of my wife Mary, if dead, nothing shall go to that family out of my Estate after my death. I give to my son Enid McCoy my negro woman Jubyan and my boy Little Reuben I also give to my son Leroy McCoy my man Sam, and Cherry, I also give to my daughter Martha Mann my man Tony, and Sarah and her two children and their increase. I also give to my son Leroy McCoy and my daughter Martha Mann my tract of land, in Early County and my tract in Paulding County, gold to be equally divided between them. I also give to my daughter Elizabeth Bostwick my negro man Bill and my both Jordan with all my interest in the land and mills that has been occupied by myself and Little Burney Bostwick, be it remembered that if the said Bostwick holds any accounts against me that it is to be divided out of the part left my daughter Elizabeth Bostwick before

he or she receives any part of my Estate not believing myself in debt to Bostwick in any way whatever. I also give to my grandchildren Appleton Hicks and Mary Hicks seven negroes namely, Richard, Charly Holloman, Violet, Charles, Mary and Amos be equally divided between them when they marry or come of full age, but if my dear grandchild~~ren~~ daughter Mary Hicks does marry Joel Barton she shall not have one dollar worth of my estate and the part that would fall to her be equally divided amongst my five children first named in this my last will. I also give my negro woman Gata her freedom after the death of my wife to live with any of my children she may think proper. I also injoin it on my Executors as my dying request that they do not let her suffer in old age. I do hereby constitute and appoint my two sons, Enid McCoy and Leroy McCoy my lawful Executors to this my last will and testament. Given under my hand, the twelfth of November, Eighteen hundred and thirty one. 

John McCoy. (SEAL)

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