

Ida G. Baker's Will

Mustogee County, Georgia Wills, Book C, 1875-1891

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State of Georgia, Muscogee County

In the name of God, Amen,

I, Ida Grace Baker of said State and County, knowing that I must shortly depart this life, deem it right and proper, that I should make a disposition of the property, with which a kind Providence has blessed me do make this my last Will and testament hereby revoking all others made by me,

- 1st Item I desire and direct, that my body be buried in a decent and Christianlike manner, suitable to my circumstances and condition in life
- 2^d Item I desire and direct, that my just debts be paid without delay.
- 3^d Item I give and bequeath to my little daughter Myrtie Matt Baker, all my interest in the Exchange Hotel property in Montgomery Ala, the same being ten (10) shares more or less undivided and in my Mother's hands
- 4th Item I give and bequeath to my beloved husband S. S. Baker, the residue of my estate, after my burial expenses, Doctors bills and other just debts are paid, all monies and other property now in his hands and in the hands of my brother R. L. Watt. He my husband paying said burial expenses and debts out of said effects in his hands, the residue to him for his own benefit
- 5th Item I hereby constitute and appoint my worthy sister Virginia S. Watt Guardian of the person and property of my minor daughter Myrtie Matt Baker
- 6th Item I hereby appoint my husband S. S. Baker my Executor to this my last Will, This November 5th 1880.

Ida G. Baker (L.S.)

Signed, sealed, published and declared, by Ida Grace Baker as her last Will and testament, in presence of us, the subscribers, who subscribed our names thereto, in the presence of said testatrix, (at her special request,) and of each other, This November 5th 1880

W. J. Watt

T. B. Watt

W. B. Watt

State of Georgia Muscogee County

I Before me, Francis M. Brooks, Ordinary in and for said County, personally came, (at Chambers) William J. Watt who upon being duly sworn, depose and say, that he saw Ida G. Baker, then in life, sign, seal, publish and declare the within instrument of writing, to be her last will and testament on the day and year the same bears date, That at the special instance and request of the said testatrix he affixed his name thereto as a subscribing witness, in the presence of said testatrix, and of each other.

Deponent further says, that he likewise saw T. B. Watt and W. B. Watt, sign the said Will as subscribing witnesses at the

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request of the said testatrix, and in her presence, and all in the presence of each other. Dependent further say that at the time of publishing and declaring said Will, said testatrix was of sound and disposing mind and memory, and so far as known or believed she did it freely and voluntarily and without any undue influence or compulsion.

Subscribed before me this 12th day of November 1880
F. W. Brooks Ordinary

Wm. J. Watt

Georgia Muscogee County

I, Virginia P. Watt, do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties required of me as Guardian of the person and property of Elbertine Watt Baker minor child of Ida G. Baker deceased, and S. S. Baker, and that I will faithfully account with said Ward, for her estate. So help me God
Subscribed before me this December 6th 1880
Virginia P. Watt

Muscogee Court of Ordinary
December Term 1880

The foregoing instrument of writing probated in Common form upon the affidavit of Wm. J. Watt one of the subscribing Witnesses and admitted to record as the last Will and testament of Ida G. Baker deceased

F. W. Brooks
Ordinary

Isaiah Willett's Will Probated Jan 3^d 1881

State of Georgia, Muscogee County

In the name of God Amen,

I Isaiah Willett of said State and County, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and being desirous of settling my worldly affairs, while I have strength so to do, do hereby make, publish and declare, this my last Will and testament, hereby revoking all previous Wills, by me heretofore made

It is my will and I desire & direct, that all my just debts be paid without delay, by my Executors, herein after named & appointed.

I give, bequeath and devise unto my beloved wife Sarah Willett all my property of every description, real and personal, of which I may be possessed to her own proper use and behoof, for and during her natural life, and at her death to be equally divided between my four children Eola M. Willett, William Raleigh Willett, Lela Ann Willett and Neal Stanford Willett, share & share alike

It is my will and desire, and I hereby direct that the business in which I am now engaged shall be continued after my death by my son William Raleigh Willett, as it now is, subject to the direction of