

Moses Mann Will

Rockdale County, Georgia Wills 1870-1916

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Georgia
Rockdale County In the Name of God amen

I Moses Mann of said State and County,
being of a advanced age but of sound and disposing
Mind and Memory, Knowing, that I must shortly
depart this life deem it Right and proper both as respects
My family and My self, that I should make a dispo-
-sition of my property, with which a kind Providence
has blessed me.

I do therefore make this my last will and testa-
-ment freely knowing and annulling all others
by me heretofore made

First = I desire and direct that my body be buried
in a decent and a Christian like manner suit-
-able to my Circumstances and Condition in life
My soul I trust shall Return to Rest with God
who give it us I hope for Salvation through the merits
and atonement of the blessed Lord and Saviour
Jesus Christ

Secondly = I desire and direct that all my Just
debts be paid without delay, by my Executors
herein after named and appointed

Thirdly = I give and bequeath and devise to my beloved
wife Mary Jane Mann and Daughter Fannie Mann
My homestead containing one hundred and Ten
Acres of land more or less Situated lying and being
in the Tenth District of Originally Henry then later
Now Rockdale County known and distinguished
in the plan of said District by Number one
hundred and forty eight containing one hundred
and ten acres more or less with all the Rights
Members and appurtenances to said tract
of land belonging or in any way con-
-taining Bounded on the West by John
Harden and Thomas Harden on the South

by A. R. Beal and ^{Rockdale County, Georgia Wills 1870-1910} of
 J. M. Mann to their own proper use benefit
 and behoof. I also give and bequeath to my
 beloved wife Mary Jane Mann and Daughter
 Buder Mann the farming tools used on and
 belonging to said farm on said lot of land
 and two horses two cows and calves all my
 hogs with all my corn and fodder wheat oats
 and all other property on said place and not
 before mentioned. And all the household and
 kitchen furniture also four hundred dollars
 so long as they both live or during my wife's
 widowhood. In case my wife Mary Jane dies
 the above described property shall be for the
 benefit and the property of my daughter Buder
 in the event that my daughter Buder dies before
 marriage or after marriage childless and my wife
 Mary Jane marries then the above then the above
 property is to be the property of my surviving children
 and their heirs including James Moses Mann
 who is to receive a child's part (a nephew)

Fourthly = I bequeath and give to my beloved grand
 children Emily B. M. Mann and William Madore
 Mann the children of my son Wm. B. Mann
 deceased four hundred dollars said money now
 in the hands of James M. Mann and for which
 I hold notes against James M. Mann two for
 six hundred and eighty seven dollars each and
 one for fifty three dollars

Fifthly = I give and bequeath to James Moses Mann
 one hundred and twenty five dollars from
 same amount of notes which said James M.
 Mann now owes as described in paragraph fourth

Sixthly = Having heretofore given to my daughter
 Permelia A. Smith two parcels of land which
 I regard as worth as much as the amount given
 to any one of my children I therefore have no property

un this = Having heretofore given to my Daughter
Sarah E. Harden Good and proper property in
in value to as much as to either of my other children
therefore leave her no property, more than has already
been given her

Wily = In Case there should still be left money or
bills arising from sale of Cotton now on my farm
the same shall be equally divided among my
children Permelia A. Smith the children of
my son Wm. & Mann Emory and Madara and
Sarah E. Harden and James M. Mosser the last
named living, are equal shares of Remainder and
Butler

Wily = I hereby constitute and appoint my
Nephew Wm. H. McCord Executor of this my last
Will and Testament
This August the 7th 1877

Moses Manon L.S.

Signed Sealed and declared and Published by
Moses Manon as his last will and Testament in
in presence of us the undersigned who subscribed our names
hereto in the presence of Testator at his Special Request and
Request and in the presence of each other
This August the 7th 1877

W. J. Stanton
J. J. Cowen
J. J. Stancil

Rockdale Court of Ordinary

October Term 1877

Personally Came into Court of Ordinary of
Said County J. J. Stancil one of the subscribing witnesses to this will
after being duly sworn depose and say that he saw Moses
Manon sign and publish the within and foregoing as his last will
and Testament while of sound mind and disposing mind and
Memory and that deponent signed the same as a witness in the
presence of Testator and at his Special request and instances
and that he saw W. J. Stanton and J. J. Cowen do the same and that
the same was executed freely and voluntarily by Testator on August 7th 1877

Subscribed and sworn to before me & subscribed the 3rd day of Oct. 1877 J. J. Stancil
Rockdale Court of Ordinary