

Georgia
Taliferro County } In the name of
I Benjamin Jones Sr. of the County and
state aforesaid being of sound mind
and disposing memory do ordain and
Constitute, this my last will and testament
hereby revoking all others heretofore
made by me.

Item 1st It is my will that all
my just debts be first paid.

Item 2^d I will and bequeath
to my wife Mary Jones the Plantation
whereon I now live together with
all my house hold and kitchen
furniture Horses Mules Cattle Hogs
and all live stock and implements
of every kind and my Carriage and
the following Negroes:

John Anthony George Mary and
her children Antoinette Nancy Mary
Olivea Berry Lydia Hannah Sally
and Gidee Miss Matilda, Bernice,
Janey and Elouise Ned and Nell
Rufus and De La Mary children
I have and do hold the aforesaid
property in this Item mentioned
for and during her natural life
and at her death said property
to go to and be distributed among
my children Henry B Jones John W
J Jones and Seaborn J Jones Martha
J Seay in an Equal manner with
a limitation as to negro girl Miss
who will be disposed of in a
following item.

Item 3^d I will and bequeath to my
son Henry B Jones my woman Mariach
and her three children Susannah Seeb
and Wiley together with their natural
increase.

Item 4th I will to my son Seaborn
B Jones my negro man Jim and my
negro Boy Harborton.

Item 5th I will and bequeath to my
grand daughter Ella Shancers Jones
my two negroes Bill and Lacey.

Item 6th I will and bequeath to my
son John W. F. Jones, my negro man
Allen and my negro Boy John.

Item 7th I will and bequeath
to my son in law Dr Reuben F. Seay
Trustee the following negroes to wit
Nash, or Margaret, Martha Jane, Lucy Ann
and her three children Eliza Stulberg &
Emma, with the natural increase, to
hold the same in trust, for the sole
and separate use of my daughter Martha
F. Seay for and during her natural
life, free from the liability to the debts
of her present or any future husband,
and at her death said negroes with
their increase to be equally divided
among the children of her body;

Item 8th I will and bequeath to my
grand son William Paschall my negro
man Alfred also negro man Anthony
and girl Miss mentioned in the 2^d item
of this will which negroes are to be kept
by my wife, and used by her until
said William Paschall becomes of age
when he shall receive them. Now
should the said William Paschall die
before arriving at age then I will the
three negroes named above to be divided
at his death among my children, Henry
B. Jones Seaborn & John W. F. Jones
and Martha F. Seay; Equally;

Item 9th I will and bequeath to
the children of my daughter Nancy Ingram
who is now dead my negro girl Bridget
Ann which negro I desire to be sold;
at my death, let my Executors to be here
in after appointed; and the money to be
kept by them and given to the said
children in equal proportions, as they
may arrive at age;

Item 10th - At the death of my wife
I will and bequeath all the property
bequeathed her for during her life by
the 2^d item of this will not herein other-
wise disposed of to my children following
Henry B. Jones, John V. B. Jones, Seaborn J. Jones and
Martha J. Leay. I leave to be equally divided among
them - That part bequeathed in the 10th item
to Martha J. Leay. I bequeath to my son in law
Dr. Reuben V. Leay, Trustee to hold the same
in trust with all its future increase for
the sole and separate use of his wife Martha
J. Leay for and during her natural life only &
free from liability to the debts of her husband
or any future husband; and at her death
to go and be equally divided between her
children.

Item 11th I hereby appoint my sons
Henry B. Jones, John V. B. Jones and Seaborn J.
Jones, Executors to this will and desire
that they will fully carry out its provisions.
In testimony whereof I have here-
unto set my hand and affixed my seal to
this my last will and testament.

This the third day of August, 1863 =

Benjamin Jones, Executor
and signed this will before us and in
our presence and we in the presence
of each other and he requested us to see
him sign the same; and to sign our
names as witnesses to this will. August
3, 1863.

James Sharpe
William L. Sharpe
Henry D. Smith
Witnesses }

Georgia Taliaferro County }
A Beazley Deputy Clerk of the Superior
Court in and for said County, do
hereby Certify that the foregoing is a true
and Correct Copy of the last will and
testament of Benjamin Jones of said
County which as is now of record in
the Clerk's office of said County =

Witness my hand and
signature this August
2^d 1879 =

Charles A Beazley
Deputy C. C. J. C.