

Will In the name of God Amen I
I William Richards of the County of Twig and State of Georgia bearing of
sound and disposing mind and memory and having desirous to settle my
worldly affairs which I have strength to do so to make and publish this my
last Will and Testament hereby revoking all Wills made by me at any time heretofore
made.

First - I Command my Slave to God who gave it and my body I desire to be buried with
my family at Long Grove in Twig County and in my余的 Estate I desire to be left as
follows I wish my family's graves together with my own to be decently pointed in
all under the same enclosure as soon as convenient after I am then disposed
of with them and the expenses and liability of the same and together with all other
expenses and liability that have or may hereon account concerning my business
generally & I further wish my effects that is my little property to be sold on
the first of October monthly to the highest bidder after the same expenses
are paid and settled it is my wish that my brother Robt. Richards Children to
Wm. Williams, Mary & Rebekah shall have the remainder of the money when
they come of Lawfull age whatever their may be. This is also my wish that
Williams Boyd and William McWhorter and I do each appoint both or either
of them Executors of my last Will and Testament and also the ~~Guardians~~ for the above
named Children till they may be the properways of the same as aforesaid
above. In witness whereof I the said William Richards have to this my
Will consisting of one sheet of paper set my hand and seal this the
February 15 1856 William Richards

Signed Sealed and published and declared by the above named William
Richards as his last Will and Testament in presence of us without his knowl-
edge in presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses
here to the word Testator intimated before signing

Test.

Thomas H. Scott

Esq. M. F. H.

Henderson Marshall

Georgia I do before see Thomas C. Evans Ordinary of said Court personally
I do appear before William Boyd and William McWhorter Executors
of the last Will and Testament of William Richards late of said
County Deceased and produced before me the last Will and Testament of
said deceased and Thomas H. Scott one of the witnesses of said will which
Witness being sworn according to law doth certify and declare that he saw
William Richards the Testator sign seal declare and publish the instrument
now presented as his last Will and Testament freely voluntaril and
of his own accord and without any compulsion or influence whither that
at the time of the execution of said will said Testator was of sound and
disposing mind and knowing that he present signed the same in
the presence of said Testator and of others Thomas H. Scott and Henderson
the other two witnesses as aforesaid and at the express instance and
request of Testator and that the other two witnesses signed the same in his
presence and in presence of Testator and at his sole special instance and
request as witnesses and in the presence of and other two and Subscribed
before me in open Court this second day of April 1856

Thomas C. Evans Ordinary to the County of Twig, T

Esq. to the County of Twig April First 1856

This is to certify that this instrument to be the last Will and Testament of William Richards late

ordered that Henry Phillips, James M. Potts, Thomas H. Boyd, Nelson Tatton
and Thomas Cardeson be and they are hereby appointed appraisers of said
estate. Thomas C Evans Ordning

Recorded 8th April 1856

Thomas C Evans Ordning