

State of Georgia In The name of God. Amen.
Upson County. I Nelson Pulham of said State & County

being of advanced age & knowing that I must shortly depart
this life, deem it right & proper both as respects my family &
myself that I should make a disposition of the property with
which a kind providence has blessed me, do therefore make
this my Last Will & Testament hereby revoking all others
heretofore made by me.

1st I desire & direct that my body be buried in a decent & Christian
like manner, suitable to my Circumstances & Condition in life.

My Soul I trust shall return to rest with God who gave it, or
I hope for eternal Salvation through the merits & atonement of
the Blessed Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ whose Religion I have
professed & as I hope, I have enjoyed for a number of years.

2^d I desire that one lot of land No. twelve hundred & eighty two
in the Nineteenth district Second Section in Cherokee County,
containing forty acres should be sold & all my just debts be paid.

3. I give bequeath & devise to my beloved wife Valinda for &
during her natural life 'only' my lot of land that I now
live on No forty five in the Sixteenth district of formerly Houston
but now Upson County containing two hundred & two & a half
acres, also two thirds of lot of land No Six in the Sixteenth district
of formerly Houston but now Upson County containing one hundred
& thirty five acres with all the rights, Members & appurtenances
to said lands. I also give & bequeath to my beloved wife
in the same reserved manner the farming utensils used on &
belonging to said plantation of every description whatever,
and two horses & one Mule & all my stock of Cattle, hogs, & all
my Corn, fodder, Bacon, Household & Kitchen furniture of every
description belonging to & used on said plantation; also my
negro woman Machal about forty years of age, my negro
boy Joe twelve years of age.

4. I give bequeath & devise to my two sons George N. and Larkin
B. one lot of land No fifty eight (58) in the Sixteenth district
of formerly Houston now Upson County, containing two hundred
& two & a half acres, also seven & a half acres of lot No forty three
in the Sixteenth district formerly Houston now Upson County, known
as the Herriem lands with all the rights, Members & privileges
to said lands in any wise appertaining or belonging forever.

5. I give bequeath & devise to my Son James one third of lot of land
No Six in the Sixteenth district of formerly Houston now Upson County
containing six & seven acres with all the rights, Members & privileges

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I said land in any wise appertaining or belonging forever.
6. I give bequeath & devise to my Daughter Margiana A. Glary
one lot of land No Eight (8) in the fifth district of Carroll County
containing two hundred two & a half acres with all the rights, members
& privileges to said lot of land in any wise appertaining or belonging forever.
7. I give bequeath & devise to my Seven oldest Children, Namely
William, James, & John, Nancy Haniger, Plathy Squares,
Elizabeth King & Saryann Meadwine three lots of land
Namely, one lot No Fourteen in the Seventh district of the County of
Apples containing four hundred & thirty acres, also one other lot
No Seventy nine in the first district of the County of Rabun containing
four hundred & thirty acres, also one other lot No Eleven hundred
& fifty nine in the Second district, South Section Cherokee County
containing forty acres with all the rights, members, & privileges to
said lots of land in any wise appertaining or belonging forever.
8. The residue of my property both real & personal, where ever &
what ever it may be including that given to my beloved wife
Nalinda during her natural life, after estate therein is over - I
give bequeath & devise to my Son David J. forever.
I furthermore desire & devise that my Son David J. should
be raised & supported & well educated from the proceeds of
the property bequeathed to my wife & my Son David J.
9. I hereby constitute & appoint my worthy friend O. C. Gibson
Executor of this my last will & Testament this 8th day of May 1848.

Nelson ^{his} Pulham 
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Second Sealed declared & published by Nelson Pulham as his last will and
Testament in the presence of us the subscribing who subscribed our names
here to in the presence of said Testator at his special instance & request
& of each other this 8th day of May 1848.

Francis Mauldin, Saml Hicks,
Vincent Presley, J. H. Starling.

State of Georgia, Superior Court sitting for Ordinary purposes
Gibson County, 3. July Term 1848.

The foregoing last will & Testament of Nelson Pulham having been duly proven
at this Regular Term in Open Court upon the Oaths of Francis Mauldin, Samuel
Hicks, & Vincent Presley subscribing Witnesses to said will
It is Ordered, that the same be admitted to Record.

Attest
Wm. J. Cobb clk. C.O.
7th July 1848.