

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN;

Pickens County, South Carolina Will Book 1818 to 1863

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I, David Pugh, of the District of Pickens and State of South Carolina, being of sound mind and memory, but weak in body, and calling to mind the uncertainty of life, and being desirous to dispose of all such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with, do make and ordain this my last will in manner following, that is to say:

I desire that my Executors hereinafter named, immediately after my decease dispose or sell such property as have not heretofore been disposed of, and out of the monies arising therefrom pay all my just debts and funeral expenses.

After the payment of my just debts and funeral expenses, I give and bequeath to the persons hereinafter named, to them and their heirs forever in the following manner, that is to say:

I give to Agnes Henderson Daughter of Willoughby Pugh One Hundred and Fifty dollars. I give to Elizabeth Gee, daughter of Willoughby Pugh, One hundred and Fifty dollars. I give to David Pugh, son of William Pugh One hundred & Fifty dollars. I give to William Barry, son of Enoch Barry, One Hundred dollars. I give to Elizabeth Thomason daughter of Enoch Barry, One Hundred & Fifty dollars. I give to Margaret Kirkindall, daughter of Enoch Barry, Two hundred dollars. I give to Rachel Boggs, daughter of Enoch Barry, One Hundred & Fifty dollars. I give to Abigail Murphy, daughter of Enoch Barry, One Hundred & Fifty dollars. I give to Nancy Thomason, daughter of Enoch Barry, One hundred dollars. I give to Jane Cartwright, daughter of Enoch Barry, One hundred dollars. I give to Reese Barry, son of Enoch Barry, One hundred dollars. I give to Elizabeth Daniel, daughter of John Daniel, One Hundred & Fifty dollars. I give to William Daniel, son of John Daniel, One Hundred dollars. I give to Milly Henderson, my Sister, One hundred & Fifty dollars. I give to Absalom McMullin, One Hundred & Fifty dollars. I give to David Smithson, son of Asa Smithson, One hundred dollars. I give to Violet Smithson, widow of

Age Smithson, One thousand & seventy-eight dollars and annexed, that
if Allen Matthews, son of William Matthews shall pay, or cause to be
paid to Violet Smithson, previous to my decease, or within one year
afterwards the sum of One thousand & seventy-eight dollars, (with in-
terest) which sum he is justly due to her; it is my will and desire
that of the amount herein bequeathed to said Violet Smithson, a part be
distributed in the manner following, that is to say: I give to Nancy
Benton, daughter of William Matthews, Two Hundred dollars. I give to
Mary Matthews, daughter of William Matthews, Two hundred dollars. I
give to Elizabeth Crayton, daughter of William Matthews, One Hundred
& Fifty dollars. And my further will and desire is, that if my pro-
perty when sold doth amount to more than the sums herein bequeathed,
that the residue be equally divided among the legatees herein named,
(and if any of said legatees be deceased at the time, or previous to
the distribution, of my estate, the amount bequeathed to them are to
be given to their lawful heirs, (if any there be) if not it is to be
equally divided among the rest of the legatees.

And I do hereby declare that I have by a Deed of Gift under my
hand conveyed my real estate, (that is to say) the plantation whereon
I now live and the plantation which I purchased from Bartley Smithson,
to Violet Smithson, the true intent and meaning being fully specified
in such deed.

And lastly I do constitute and appoint my Friends Leonard Towers
and William C. Lee, Executors of this my last will and testament hereby
overlaying all other and former wills and testaments by me heretofore
made.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed
my seal this 30th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and 39.

his
DAVID X PUGH. (SEAL)
mark

Signed, Sealed, published and declared, as and for the last will
and testament of the above named David Pugh, in presence of us;

SOLOMON O'KEEFEY.

SOUTH CAROLINA.)

PICKENS DISTRICT.)

By James H. Dendy, Clerk:

Be it Remembered that on the 25th day of May 1843 that the foregoing Last Will and Testament of David Pugh, late of this District, Deceased, was proven in common form by the oath of Andrew Jenkins, one of the subscribing witnesses to the same.

JAS. H. DENDY. O.P.D.

And at the same time qualified William C. Lee, as Executor, he being one of the persons named as such by the Testator.

JAS. H. DENDY. O.P.D.

June the 5th qualified Leonard Towers, another of the persons nam'd as Executor to the foregoing last Will of David Pugh, Deceased.

JAS. H. DENDY. O.P.D. (SEAL)

RECORDED in Will Book No. 1, pages 91 & 92, by me,

JAS. H. DENDY. O.P.D.