

State of Alabama.

In the name of God Amen; I Thomas Gamage of Dallas County & State aforesaid, being weak in body but of sound mind & disposing memory, do make & ordain this, as my last Will and Testament, in manner & form following.

In the first place I direct that all my just debts, which are but few & of small amount, be paid by my Executrix & Executor, herein after named, with as little delay as practicable, after my decease. - To my dear wife, I give & bequeath, during her life, my Negro man Moses & my Negro woman Charlotte & also the necessary use, for her support during her life, of my stock of Cattle & Hogs. I also give & bequeath to her absolutely, my Slave, mare Calan Kance, & my barrel filling, two years old, all my house hold & kitchen furniture, including beds & bed-cloathing & the one half of all my tools & farming utensils to her, her heirs, devisees or assigns forever. To my son Bartlett T. Gamage, I give, devise & bequeath, my Negro woman Pat & her three children, Carlton, George and Lucy & after the death of his mother, my Negro man Moses, all my horses except those herein devised to his Mother, all my stock & Cattle & Hogs reserving to his Mother the necessary use of them during her life, two yokes of Oxen & the one half of all my tools & farming utensils upon condition that he, my son Bartlett, pay to his sister Sally Wilson, within twelve months after my decease, one hundred dollars & to his sister Matilda Bender five dollars, to him his heirs & assigns forever. To my Daughter Lavinia Stringfellow I give & bequeath, after the death of her mother, my Negro woman Charlotte, to her & the heirs of her body forever. To my son Thomas Gamage, I give, devise & bequeath one yoke of Oxen, called the bull Oxen, to him his heirs & assigns forever. I do hereby, constitute & appoint my beloved wife Lucretia Gamage my Executrix & my Son-in-law Elijah Wilson my Executor to this my last Will & Testament, signed Thomas Gamage
Signed, sealed and published & delivered in presence of us who at his request & in the presence of each other & of him subscribed our names as witnesses thereto this 8th April 1827.

Geo. H. Miller
Jos. Boone
J. Pickens

State of Alabama Personally appeared before me James Jaffard
Dallas County Judge of the Orphans Court of the County aforesaid
Joseph Boon who being duly sworn said that he saw the testator
sign the within will, and that he the said Joseph Boon signed
the same in the presence of the testator and other subscribing
witnesses John H. Miller and Joseph Pickens, at the special
request of him the said testator, and that he saw John H.
Miller and Joseph Pickens sign the same as witnesses
thereto in presence of said testator and said testator was of
sound and disposing mind and memory. *For Boon*
sworn to and subscribed before signed
within 14th day of June 1827.

James Jaffard Clerk
Recorded 15th June 1827. *W. Campbell Clerk*

State of Georgia I Nancy Rutherford widow of Thomas
Baldwin County J. B. Rutherford late of the State of Alabama
(deceased) believing my dissolution to draw near, do make &
ordain this my last will & Testament
Item 1st I give & bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Ruther-
ford the whole of my household furniture together with my
carriage & horses. & I give the whole of the balance of my
property real & personal (except the first mentioned item) to
the following named children, William Rutherford, Franklin
Rutherford, Elizabeth Rutherford, Dorothy Brooks Moore,
Louisianna Bower & Nancy H. Malone to be equally divided
between them. I give to my two sons Maximilian & Phedrus
Rutherford twenty five cents each. I do further hereby
appoint & constitute as Executor & Executrix to my estate
my children Franklin & Elizabeth Rutherford. In witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal
this tenth day of August One thousand eight hundred
& twenty six.

Signed in presence of

J. Bogkin
Joshua H. Bigham
James Darby

Nancy Rutherford
mark

Georgia Personally appeared in open court Sam
Baldwin County Joel Bogkin who being duly sworn said
that he saw the within named Testatrix sign seal and
publish the within as her last last will & testament
and that he saw Joshua H. Bigham and ~~and~~ Thomas
Darby sign the same with himself as witnesses

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