

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

I, Julia M. Sprouse, of Abbeville, County of Abbeville, South Carolina, being of a disposing mind, memory and understanding and desiring to make disposition of my property in case of my death, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

Item I.- I direct my executor, hereinafter named, to pay all my just debts.

Item II.- I will and bequeath the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars to Sharon Cemetery, in which is located the plot of my parents; and One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars to Long Cane Cemetery, in which is the plot of my late husband, J. Lewis Sprouse, and where I desire to be buried, said sums in trust, to be used for the care and maintenance of said plots.

Item III.- It is my desire and wish that all of my personal effects, furniture, china, silverware, and all other household goods, be distributed to such persons as I shall name in a list prepared by me and attached to this Will, such distribution to be made in accordance with said list and instructions.

Item IV.- All the rest and residue of my property of every kind, both real and personal and wheresoever situate, I will, devise and bequeath unto my three stepchildren, Florence S. Guy, Sara S. Anderson, and J. Lewis Sprouse, Jr., share and share alike, in fee simple.

Item V.- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my stepson, J. Lewis Sprouse, Jr., as Executor of this my last will and testament to serve without bond.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 15th day of October, 1962.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by JULIA M. SPROUSE as and for her last will and testament, in the presence of us, who in her presence and of each other, at her request, have subscribed our names as witnesses:

Angela M. Louch  
Harvey S. King  
C. B. [unclear]

Julia M. Sprouse (Seal)

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears Nancy S. King  
who, being duly sworn, says that he saw Julia M. Sprouse  
sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 15th day of  
October, A. D. 1962 to be  
and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said Julia M. Sprouse  
Julia M. Sprouse was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according  
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Nancy S. King  
together with Joyce W. Couch and C. B. Evans at the request  
of the testatrix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 5th day of  
January, Anno Domini 1981

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Nancy S. King

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of J. Lewis Sprouse, Jr.  
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with~~  
~~with~~ of Julia M. Sprouse, deceased, be entered of  
Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 5th day of January, 19 81.

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that  
Julia M. Sprouse deceased, so far as I know or believe;  
and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the  
said Will, as far as her goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that  
I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help  
me God.

Sworn to before me, this 5th day of  
January, Anno Domini 19 81

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

J. Lewis Sprouse Jr.

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

In the name of God, Amen:-

1:- I, George M. Speer of the County and State aforesaid, do make, ordain, publish and declare this as my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

2:- I will and direct that my Executrix hereinafter named shall pay all of my just debts with the first money coming into her hands.

3:- I will, devise and bequeath all my property or whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate, real and personal, unto my wife, Mary Shaw Gilliam Speer, in fee simple absolute.

4:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Mary Shaw Gilliam Speer, Executrix, of this my last Will and Testament, without bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 28th, day of December, 1943.

George M. Speer (LS)

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by George M. Speer as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who in his presence, and of each other, at his request, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

Irredicible  
Stacy J. Sykes  
J. A. Mann

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PROOF OF WILL (SEE AFFIDAVITS ATTACHED)

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears \_\_\_\_\_  
who, being duly sworn, says that he saw \_\_\_\_\_  
sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
\_\_\_\_\_, A. D. \_\_\_\_\_ to be  
and contain \_\_\_\_\_ Last Will and Testament; that the said \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according  
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said \_\_\_\_\_  
together with \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the request  
of the testat \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
\_\_\_\_\_, Anno Domini 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of \_\_\_\_\_ Mary Shaw Gilliam Speer \_\_\_\_\_  
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with  
codicil \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_ George M. Speer \_\_\_\_\_, deceased, be entered of  
Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 17th day of December, 19 80.

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I \_\_\_\_\_ do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that \_\_\_\_\_  
George M. Speer \_\_\_\_\_ deceased, so far as I know or believe;  
and that I \_\_\_\_\_ will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the  
said Will, as far as his \_\_\_\_\_ goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that  
I \_\_\_\_\_ will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help  
me \_\_\_\_\_ God.

Sworn to before me, this 17th day of  
December, Anno Domini 19 80

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Mary Shaw Gilliam Speer

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address: \_\_\_\_\_

# Last Will and Testament

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA }  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE }

I, Weldon Shaw, of the County of Abbeville, in the State of South Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind, do hereby make, ordain, publish and declare the following as and for my Last Will and Testament, to wit:

(1) I hereby direct my Executrix hereinafter named, to pay all of my just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my decease as is practicable.

(2) All the rest and residue of my property, both real and personal, of every kind and nature whatsoever, remaining after the payment of my debts and funeral expenses as aforesaid, I hereby will, devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife, Christine M. Shaw, to be hers absolutely, in fee simple.

(3) I do hereby name and appoint my said wife, Christine M. Shaw, as Executrix of this, my Last Will and Testament, hereby specifically giving unto her full and complete power to sell any and all property of which I may die seized and possessed, both real and personal, if, in her discretion, such a sale is necessary for the payment of my debts, or for any other reason that she may deem advisable, and I further direct that she shall serve without bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal this 27 day of October, A.D., 1978

H. S. MARK  
WELDON Shaw (SEAL)  
Weldon Shaw

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Weldon Shaw as and for his Last Will and Testament, in our presence, who, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto set our Hands as subscribing witnesses thereto.

Henry W. Alley, Abbeville, South Carolina.  
Shirley B. Alley, Abbeville, South Carolina.  
Shirley B. Alley, Abbeville, South Carolina.

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears George W. Alley  
who, being duly sworn, says that he saw WELDON SHAW  
sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 27th day of  
October, A. D. 1978 to be  
and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said  
WELDON SHAW was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according  
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said GEORGE W ALLEY  
together with Shirley B. Alley and Shelly Gibson at the request  
of the testat or in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 6th day of  
January, Anno Domini 19 81

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

George W. Alley

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of CHRISTINE M. SHAW  
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with  
NO codicil WELDON SHAW, of deceased, be entered of  
Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 6th day of Jan/, 19 81

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that  
WELDON SHAW deceased, so far as I know or believe;  
and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the  
said Will, as far as HIS goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that  
I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help  
ME God.

Sworn to before me, this 6th day of  
January, Anno Domini 19 81

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Christine Shaw  
Box 83 - Lowndesville, S. C.

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address: \_\_\_\_\_

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF  
MILDRED M. HAGAN

I, MILDRED M. HAGAN, one and the same person as Mrs. James Clyde Hagan, of the City and County of Abbeville, South Carolina, do hereby make and publish this as my Last Will and Testament and hereby revoke all previous Wills and Codicils by me made.

1. I give and bequeath to FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Bartow, Georgia, in memory of my brothers and sister, Two Thousand and 00/100 (\$2,000.00) Dollars for its general purposes.

2. I give and bequeath to A.R.P. CHURCH, Abbeville, South Carolina, in memory of my husband, James Clyde Hagan, Two Thousand and 00/100 (\$2,000.00) Dollars for its general purposes.

3. I give and bequeath to BARTOW CHURCH CEMETERY, Bartow, Georgia, One Thousand and 00/100 (\$1,000.00) Dollars for the maintenance and perpetual care of my family's two plots in this cemetery. If Sarah J. Waller is able and willing I ask that she see that the income from this fund is applied at least annually to the maintenance and perpetual care of my family's two plots.

4. I give and bequeath to THE TRAVER CEMETERY RESTORATION AND PRESERVATION FUND, Bartow, Georgia, C/o Bruce Salter, Chairman of Board of Directors, Five Hundred and 00/100 (\$500.00) Dollars.

5. I give and bequeath all of my tangible personal property and household effects of every kind including but not limited to furniture, appliances, furnishings, pictures, silverware, china, glass, books, jewelry, wearing apparel, automobiles, and works of art, to my Executrix hereinafter named, to dispose of as my Executrix deems advisable in her sole discretion, and the decision of my Executrix to be in all respects binding upon my residuary legatees. While this bequest is absolute, it is my wish that any memorandum I may leave attached to my Will indicating my desire with respect to the disposal of these items, or any of them, shall be regarded by my Executrix. This request is precatory and not mandatory.

6. I give and bequeath to DANNY CLYDE HAGAN, issue of E. L. Hagan and namesake of my deceased husband, James Clyde Hagan, One Thousand and 00/100 (\$1,000.00) Dollars if he shall survive me.

7. I give and bequeath to JAMES HAGAN, issue of E. L. Hagan and namesake of my deceased husband, James Clyde Hagan, One Thousand and 00/100 (\$1,000.00) Dollars if he shall survive me.

8. I give and bequeath to ALBERT CAMP, my cousin, Five Hundred and 00/100 (\$500.00) Dollars if he shall survive me.

9. I give and bequeath to the WILLIAM H. DUNLAP ORPHANAGE,

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PROOF OF WILL

Personally appeared before me Rosemary H. Copeland who, being duly sworn, that he saw Mildred M. Hagan , sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date December 12 , 1980, to be and contain the said testator's Last Will and Testament; that the said testator was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and under no legal disability, according to the best of this deponent's knowledge, information and belief; and that this deponent Rosemary H. Copeland together with Nancy S. King and Robert L. Hawthorne, Jr. at the request of the testator in the presence of the said testator and in the presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument.

That throughout this affidavit the masculine gender shall be deemed to include the feminine where the contexts so requires.

Sworn to before me this 8th day  
of January , 19 81

Rosemary H. Copeland  
Affiant

Lessie Lee T. Nance  
Judge of Probate for Abbeville  
County, South Carolina

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE  
IN COMMON FORM

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the instrument offered for Probate herein dated December 12, 1980

be and the same hereby is admitted to Probate as the Last Will and Testament of Mildred M. Hagan deceased, in common form, valid to pass real and personal property, and that Letters Testamentary be issued thereon to the executor who may qualify thereunder.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THIS COURT

THIS 8th DAY OF January , 19 81 .

Lessie Lee T. Nance  
As Probate Judge for Abbeville County  
South Carolina



INC., Brighton, Tennessee 39011, One Thousand and 00/100 (\$1,000.00) Dollars for its general purposes.

10. I give and bequeath to the LADIES MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE ABBEVILLE A.R.P. CHURCH, Two Hundred Fifty and 00/100(\$250.00) Dollars.

11. All the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, real and personal, and all other property over which I shall have any power of disposition by Will, whether acquired before or after the execution of this Will, I give, devise and bequeath to my cousin, LOUISE S. KELLEY, if she shall survive me, or if she predeceases me to her husband, GEORGE W. KELLEY, JR., and if both of them shall predecease me then to their children who shall survive me, in equal shares. I do not intend nor make any trust in law or in equity, but it is my hope and desire that my residuary legatee will make some gift as in her discretion she deems advisable to my two companions who shall survive me, MRS. ADDIE CANN and MRS. WILFRED MOORE.

12. I appoint my cousin, LOUISE S. KELLEY, also known as Mrs. George W. Kelley, Sr., of 2240 Morningside Drive, C-2, Augusta, Georgia 30904, Executrix of this my Will. If, however, she shall fail to qualify or cease to act as Executrix I appoint my cousin, GEORGE W. KELLEY, Jr., of 1919 Hampton Avenue, Augusta, Georgia 30904, to act as Executor in her place, I direct neither shall be required to furnish any bond.

13. I authorize my Executrix to allot, assign, care for, collect, contract with respect to, convey, convert, deal with, dispose of, enter into, exchange, hold, improve, grant and exercise options with respect to, take possession of, receive, sell, and in general to do any and every act and thing and to enter into and carry out any and every agreement with respect to the property included in my estate which she could do if she were the absolute owner thereof, upon such terms and conditions as my Executrix may deem best, and to execute and deliver any and all instruments and to do all acts which such Executrix may deem proper or necessary to carry out the purposes of this Will, and without the necessity of a court order.

14. Throughout this Will the feminine gender shall include the masculine where the context so requires.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I sign, publish and declare this as my Last Will this 12th day of December, 1980

*Mildred M. Hagan*  
(Mildred M. Hagan)

(L.S.)

The foregoing Will consisting of Two (2) pages was signed, sealed, published and declared by MILDRED M. HAGAN, above named, to be her Will in our presence, and we at her request, in her presence, and in the presence

12. I hereby do solemnly swear that I have not been convicted of any crime involving moral turpitude, and I have not been convicted of any crime involving the same or similar conduct to that charged in the above-captioned case.

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11. All the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, real and

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107. I shall now restrict to the FORMAL SCIENTIFIC FIELD OF

you are however ambitious:

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as attesting witnesses.

Robert L. Hawthorne, of Abbeville, South Carolina

Nancy S. King of Abbeville, South Carolina

Rosemary D. Copeland of Abbeville, South Carolina

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

VAN NOY WIER, SR.

I, VAN NOY WIER, SR., of the City and County of Abbeville, South Carolina, do hereby make and publish this as my Last Will and Testament and hereby revoke all previous Wills and Codicils by me made.

1. I give and bequeath the French Van Noy Wier gold heirloom clock to my grandson, VAN NOY WIER, III.

2. All the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, real and personal, and all other property over which I shall have any power of disposition by Will, whether acquired before or after the execution of this Will, I give, devise and bequeath to my wife, JANIE MORSE WIER, if living, and if she predeceases me, then to my daughter-in-law, MILDRED W. WIER, and my grandchildren, VAN NOY WIER, III, AMANDA WIER and JOEL WIER, who shall survive me, in equal shares.

3. I appoint my wife, JANIE MORSE WIER, Executrix of this my Will. If, however, she shall fail to qualify or cease to act as Executrix I appoint my daughter-in-law, MILDRED W. WIER, Executrix in her place. I direct neither shall be required to furnish any bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I sign, publish and declare this as my Last Will this 9th day of April, 1980.

- Van Noy Wier, Sr. (L.S.)  
(Van Noy Wier, Sr.)

The foregoing Will consisting of One (1) page was signed, sealed, published and declared by VAN NOY WIER, SR., above named, to be his Will in our presence, and we at his request, and in his presence, and in the

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears Nancy S. King

who, being duly sworn, says that she saw Mildred W. Wier  
sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 9th day of  
April, A. D. 1980 to be  
and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said Van Noy Wier, Sr.  
was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according  
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Nancy S. King  
together with Denise K. Crockett and Robert L. Hawthorne, Jr. at the request  
of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 13th day of  
January, Anno Domini 1981

Jessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Nancy S. King

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Mildred W. Wier  
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with  
codicil Van Noy Wier, Sr., of deceased, be entered of  
Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 13th day of January, 1981.

Jessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that  
Van Noy Wier, Sr. deceased, so far as I know or believe;  
and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the  
said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that  
I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help  
me God.

Sworn to before me, this 13th day of  
January, Anno Domini 1981

Jessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Mildred W. Wier

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address: \_\_\_\_\_

presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as attesting witnesses.

Mexico K. Crockett of Abbeville, South Carolina

Nancy S. King of Abbeville, South Carolina

Robert J. Hawthorne of Abbeville, South Carolina

1. The first part of the report is a general introduction to the subject of the study. It discusses the importance of the problem and the objectives of the research. It also mentions the scope of the study and the methods used.

2. The second part of the report is a detailed description of the experimental work. It includes a description of the apparatus used, the procedure followed, and the results obtained. It also discusses the errors and limitations of the experiment.

3. The third part of the report is a discussion of the results. It compares the results with the theoretical predictions and with the results of other experiments. It also discusses the implications of the results and the conclusions drawn from the study.

4. The fourth part of the report is a conclusion. It summarizes the main findings of the study and states the conclusions drawn from the results. It also mentions the limitations of the study and suggests directions for further research.

State of South Carolina:

County of Abbeville :

Last Will and Testament

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN

I, Lucy Rogers, of Abbeville, County and State aforesaid, being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, thanks be to the Great Divine, do hereby make, publish, and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all former wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

First, I will and direct that all my just debts be paid out of my estate as soon as practicable, this to include any expenses of last illness, if any, funeral expenses, and the marking of my grave in keeping with my station in life.

Second, I give, devise and bequeath unto my niece, Mary Jenkins, of Abbeville and North Carolina, all of my property of whatsoever nature and kind and wheresoever situate, both real and personal, to be hers in fee simple absolute.

Third, I nominate, constitute and appoint my said niece, Mary Jenkins, and my friend (Mrs.) Josephine F. Evans as executrices to this my Last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 3rd day of November, 1952, at Abbeville, S. C.

*Lucy Rogers*

-- Lucy Rogers -- (Seal) --

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Lucy Rogers as and for her Last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who in her presence, at her request, and in the presence of one another (all present together), have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses:

*Bell Finley*

*Alice C. Carville*

*Addison B. Carville*

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears Addison B. Carwile  
who, being duly sworn, says that he saw Lucy Rogers  
sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 3rd day of  
November, 1952, A. D. This to be  
and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said Lucy Rogers  
was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according  
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Addison B. Carwile  
together with Alice C. Carwile and Bell Finley at the request  
of the testat rix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 8th day of  
January, Anno Domini 19 81

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Mary Jenkins  
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with  
codicil of Lucy Rogers, deceased, be entered of  
Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 8th day of January, 19 81

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that  
Lucy Rogers deceased, so far as I know or believe;  
and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the  
said Will, as far as her goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that  
I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help  
me God.

Sworn to before me, this 8th day of  
January, Anno Domini 19 81

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Mary Jenkins  
(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address: \_\_\_\_\_



STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE

LAST WILL and TESTAMENT  
OF  
JAMES RICKY CANTRELL

I, James Ricky Cantrell, being of sound mind and memory but mindful of the uncertainty of life, do hereby make, publish, and declare the following as and for my last will and testament, hereby revoking any and all prior wills and testaments by me heretofore made:

ITEM 1. I give Priscilla Anne S. Cantrell, all of the personal property that I now own, and all that I may later acquire, of every kind and nature and wheresoever situate.

ITEM 2. I give, bequeath and devise to my wife, Priscilla Anne S. Cantrell, all of the real property that I now own, and all that I may later acquire, wheresoever situate, to her, her heirs and assigns forever.

ITEM 3. All the rest and residue of my property of every kind and nature and wheresoever situate, real, personal, or mixed, I give, bequeath and devise to my wife, Priscilla Anne S. Cantrell, her heirs and assigns forever.

ITEM 4. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my friend, Joe P. Hughes, as the sole executor of this my last will and testament, he to serve without the necessity of bond if such be required by law at the time of my death.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal to this my last will and testament, this 21 day of December, 1980.

James Ricky Cantrell  
SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by the said James Ricky Cantrell, as and for his last will and testament, in our presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names in our own handwriting as witnesses this 21 day of December, 1980.

Ray D. Pruitt Address Abbeville, S.C.  
James L. Lusk Address Abbeville, S.C.  
Margaret M. Pruitt Address Abbeville, S.C.

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears James T. Irwin

who, being duly sworn, says that he saw James Ricky Cantrell

sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 21st day of December, A. D. 1980 to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said James Ricky Cantrell was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said James T. Irwin together with Ray D. Pruitt and Margaret M. Pruitt at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 20th day of January, Anno Domini 1981

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Joe P. Hughes it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of James Ricky Cantrell, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 20th day of January, 1981

Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that James Ricky Cantrell deceased, so far as I know or believe; and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 20th day of January, Anno Domini 1981

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Joe P. Hughes  
(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address:

# Last Will and Testament

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE )

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ALMA M. DAVIS

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:

I, Alma M. Davis, of the Town of Donalds, Abbeville County, State of South Carolina, do hereby make, publish and declare this instrument to be my Last Will and Testament, herewith revoking any and all wills and codicils at anytime heretofore by me made.

ITEM I: I direct my Executor, hereinafter named, to pay all debts, funeral expenses and administration expenses as soon as practicable after my death.

ITEM II: I hereby give, devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my estate, both real, personal and mixed, equally unto my children, LEWIS M. DAVIS, SR. and LOUISE D. CALDWELL, to be theirs absolutely. If either of my said children shall not survive me, his or her share shall be divided per Stirpes among his or her children living at the time of my death. If both of my said children shall predecease me, and neither leaving children nor grandchildren, then I give, devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my estate equally unto Carolyn W. Davis and William M. Caldwell, absolutely.

ITEM III: I hereby nominate my son, LEWIS M. DAVIS, SR. to be the Executor of this my Last Will and Testament. If my son, LEWIS M. DAVIS, SR. shall fail to qualify or having qualified shall cease to act as Executor, then I nominate my daughter, LOUISE D. CALDWELL Executor in his place. If both my son, LEWIS M. DAVIS, SR. and my daughter, LOUISE D. CALDWELL, should both fail to qualify or having qualified cease to act as Executor, then I nominate my grand-son, LEWIS M. DAVIS, JR. as successor Executor of this my Last Will.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, ALMA M. DAVIS, have to this my Last Will and Testament, subscribed my name and set my seal this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1974.

Alma M. Davis SEAL  
Alma M. Davis

Signed, sealed, published and declared by ALMA M. DAVIS as and for her Last Will and Testament, and we at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto set our names as subscribing witnesses the date above written.

Willie Mae Smith of Greer, South Carolina.

Dorothy H. Clark of Greer, South Carolina.

Billy J. Hatcher of Greer, South Carolina.

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
COUNTY OF Abbeville

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By: Hon. Bessie Lee F. Nance, Judge of the Court of Probate.

To: Hon. Ralph W. Drake, Judge of Probate, Greenville County, S.C.

I, reposing special trust and confidence in the integrity, care and circumspection of you, the said Ralph W. Drake, have given and by these presents do give unto you full power and authority to examine Dorothy H. Clark one of the several witnesses to the last Will and Testament of Alma M. Davis, deceased, dated July 6, 1974 and upon corporal oath to be taken on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God touching the due execution thereof, according to the form of the statute in that case made and provided; and a due return of your doings herein you are to make and give under your hand and seal for my approbation or disallowance.

GIVEN under my hand and seal this 21 day of January, 19 81.

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge, Court of Probate.

STATE OF South Carolina,

COUNTY OF Greenville.

By: Ralph W. Drake, Judge of Probate, Greenville County, S.C.

Personally appeared Dorothy H. Clark who being duly sworn says: That she saw Alma M. Davis sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing bearing date July 6, 1974 to be and contain her last Will and Testament; that the said Alma M. Davis was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Dorothy H. Clark together with Willie Mae Smith and Billy T. Hatcher, at the request of the testatrix in her presence and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me this 29th  
day of January, 19 81  
Ralph W. Drake (Seal)  
Commissioner for the Judge of the Court of Probate  
for Abbeville County,  
South Carolina.

Dorothy H. Clark

STATE OF South Carolina,

COUNTY OF Greenville.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONER

I do hereby certify that by virtue of the annexed dedimus I did examine Dorothy H. Clark one of the several witnesses to the last Will and Testament of Alma M. Davis deceased, according to law; and I herewith transmit said examination signed by the witness.

GIVEN under my hand and seal this 29th day of January, 19 81

Ralph W. Drake (Seal)  
Commissioner for Judge of the Court of Probate  
for Abbeville County,  
South Carolina.

# In The Name of God, Amen

I, ANDREW BROOKS, JR., unmarried, residing at New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers, Menlo Park, in the Township of Edison, County of Middlesex, and State of New Jersey, being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all Wills and Codicils to Wills heretofore made by me, in manner following:

FIRST: I direct that all my just debts, expenses of last illness and funeral expenses be paid as soon as practicable after my decease.

SECOND: I give, grant, devise and bequeath all of my property, whether personal, real and mixed, wherever so situate, and whether acquired before or after the execution of this Will, unto my mother, ANNIE MAE BROOKS, Route 2, Box 245-A, Abbeville, South Carolina 29620; and in the event she does not survive me, then unto my brother, JOHN WILLIE BROOKS, 165 Burgess Place, Passaic, New Jersey; absolutely and forever, with full power to dispose of the same.

THIRD: I hereby appoint my brother, the aforementioned JOHN WILLIE BROOKS, as Executor of this my Will; and if he should die, resign, be disqualified or be unable or unwilling to act as such, then I nominate my mother, the aforementioned ANNIE MAE BROOKS, as Executrix of this Will in his place and stead.


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(his mark)

William B. Eschling  
James J. McLeod  
James J. McLeod

FOURTH: I hereby give and grant unto my Executor or Executrix hereinbefore named full power and authority to sell, mortgage, lease and manage any real estate or interest therein that he or she may take as such Executor or Executrix under this my Will; and I further empower and authorize my said Executor or Executrix to compromise all inheritance or estate taxes that may be levied against my estate; and I direct that should the aforementioned serve as Executor or Executrix, he or she shall not be required to give bond for the faithful performance of his or her duties as such in this or any other jurisdiction wherein my property shall be situated.

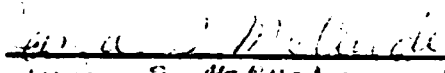
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20th day of July, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-eight.

 (his mark) \_\_\_\_\_ (L.S.)  
Andrew Brooks, Jr.


SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by the Testator, ANDREW BROOKS, JR., as and for his LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, in the presence of us, who, in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other, all being present at the same time, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses:

  
William H. Eichling

2 Laureldale Avenue  
Metuchen, New Jersey

  
Janice S. McCurdy

4710 Province Line Road  
Princeton, New Jersey

  
James J. Motis

134 Wayne Street  
Edison, New Jersey

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, )  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE. )

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT  
OF IRIS P. WALKER.

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

1:- I, Iris P. Walker, of the County and State aforesaid, do make, ordain, publish and declare this as my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

2:- I will and direct that my Executor hereinafter named shall pay all of my just debts with the first money coming into his hands.

3:- I will, devise and bequeath all of my property of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate, real and personal, unto my nephew, Rayford P. Hodges, in fee simple absolute.

4:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my nephew, Rayford P. Hodges, Executor of this my last Will and Testament, without bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of November, A. D., 1954.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Iris P. Walker, as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who in her presence, and of each other at her request, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

Bessie Lee Rance

J. D. Jones

L. M. L. L.

Iris P. Walker

LS

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF  
Dennis Belcher

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

1: I, Dennis Belcher, of the County and State aforesaid, do make, ordain, publish and declare this as my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

2: I will and direct that my Executor and Executrix hereinafter named shall pay all of my just debts with the first money coming into their hands.

3: I will, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my property of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate, real, personal, or mixed, be equally divided between my two children, Dennis Belcher, Jr. and Dorothy B. Williams, in fee simple absolute. My son, Dennis Belcher, Jr. to get one-half, in fee simple absolute. And my daughter, Dorothy B. Williams, to get the other half, in fee simple absolute.

4: I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my son, Dennis Belcher, Jr. Executor and my daughter, Dorothy B. Williams, Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament, without bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 24th day of May, 1977, A.D.

*his*  
Dennis (X) Belcher (LS)  
*Mark*

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Dennis Belcher, as and for his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who in his presence and of each other at his request have subscribed our names as witnesses.

Betty S. Aldrick

Abbeville, S.C.

Alta G. Hanks

Abbeville, SC

Charlie C. Mumbach

Abbeville SC

Recorded January 25, 1981

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears Charlie C. Murdock  
who, being duly sworn, says that he saw Dennis Belcher  
sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 24th day of  
May, A. D. 1977 to be  
and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said  
Dennis Belcher was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according  
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Charlie C. Murdock  
together with Betty S. Uldrick and Alta U. Hanks at the request  
of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 27th day of  
January, Anno Domini 19 81

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

*Charlie C. Murdock*

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Dennis Belcher, Jr.  
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with  
codicil of Dennis Belcher, Sr. deceased, be entered of  
Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 27th day of January, 19 81.

Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that  
Dennis Belcher, Sr. deceased, so far as I know or believe;  
and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the  
said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that  
I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help  
me God.

Sworn to before me, this 27 day of  
January, Anno Domini 19 81

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

*Dennis Belcher, Jr.*

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address:

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

I, CHARLES A. MARTIN, of the Township of Mannington, County of Salem and State of New Jersey, being of sound mind, memory and understanding, do make and publish this my Last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

FIRST: - I order and direct my Executors, hereinafter named, to pay all of my just debts and funeral expenses and all of my State and Federal Transfer Inheritance or Estate Taxes that may be laid or levied upon the whole or any part of my estate as soon as conveniently may be after my decease.

SECOND: - I give and devise any and all real estate of which I die seized or possessed in the State of New Jersey to my wife, SARAH MARTIN, absolutely.

THIRD: - I give and devise my interest in any real estate that I own in the State of South Carolina to my wife, SARAH MARTIN, my mother, ESTHER MARTIN, and my sister, ETHEL BURTON, for the lifetime of all or any of them and upon the death of the last of them, I give my share or interest in said real estate to my children, DORIS ANN ANDERSON, RONNIE LEE MARTIN, HAROLD MARTIN, MATTHEW MARTIN, DAVID MARTIN, DONALD MARTIN, RENNE MARTIN, ROBERT CALVIN MARTIN, VONNIE MARTIN and VARRIE MARTIN, equally, share and share alike.

FOURTH: - I give and bequeath all of my farm machinery, farm equipment, trucks and tractors to my three sons, ROBERT CALVIN MARTIN, HAROLD MARTIN and VONNIE MARTIN, equally, share and share alike.

FIFTH: - I give, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, both real and personal, wheresoever the same may be situate and of whatsoever the same may consist, unto my wife, SARAH MARTIN, absolutely. In the event that my wife, Sarah Martin, predeceases me or we both die as a result of a common accident or disaster, I give, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, both real and personal, wheresoever the same may be situate and of whatsoever the same may consist, unto my children, DORIS ANN ANDERSON, RONNIE LEE MARTIN, HAROLD MARTIN, MATTHEW MARTIN, DAVID MARTIN, DONALD MARTIN, RENNE MARTIN, ROBERT CALVIN MARTIN, VONNIE MARTIN and VARRIE MARTIN, equally, share and share alike.

LASTLY: - I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, SARAH MARTIN, and my two sons, MATTHEW MARTIN and VONNIE MARTIN, or the survivors, to be Executors of this my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all Wills by me at any time heretofore made and declaring this only to be and contain my Last Will and Testament. My said Executors shall have full power, at their discretion, to do any and all things necessary for the complete administration of my estate, including the power to sell, at

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INER & ZENNER  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
NORTH MAIN STREET  
P.O. BOX 271  
MANNINGTON, N.J. 08053

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public or private sale and without the order of the Court, any real or personal property belonging to my estate, and to compound, compromise or otherwise to settle or adjust any or all claims, charges, debts or demands whatsoever against or in favor of my estate as fully as I could if living. I direct that no bond shall be required of my Executors.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 25th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty.

Charles A. Martin (SEAL)  
Charles A. Martin

SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED and DECLARED by the above named CHARLES A. MARTIN to be his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who were present at the same time, and at the request of the testator after the signing thereof by him have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses, in the presence of the testator and of each other.

Jesse Martin Residing At 23.21 on Fairhill  
Benton D. Zehner Residing At Woodstown, N.J.

ZEHNER & ZEHNER  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
11 NORTH MAIN STREET  
P. O. BOX 271  
WOODSTOWN, N. J. 08096

# Last Will and Testament

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE )

I, Estella E. Freeman, of the County and State aforesaid, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and mindful of the uncertainty of life, do hereby make, publish and declare this as and for my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any will or instrument of a testamentary nature which may have been made by me at any time heretofore.

## ITEM I

It is my will that everything that I shall own at the time of my death, both real and personal property, shall go to my husband, Benton S. Freeman, to be his absolutely.

## ITEM II

In the event that my husband, Benton S. Freeman, predeceases me, or if we should die simultaneously, then it is my will that everything that I shall own at the time of my death, both real and personal property, shall go to my daughter, Edna Jean F. Wells, and my granddaughter, Barbara Diane M. Shuman, in equal shares, to share and share alike, to be theirs absolutely.

## ITEM III

I hereby constitute and appoint my husband, Benton S. Freeman, Executor of my estate, to serve without bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26<sup>th</sup> day of

April, 1974.

Estella E. Freeman  
Estella E. Freeman

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Estella E. Freeman, as and for her Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who, in her presence, and the presence of each other, at her request, have subscribed our names as witnesses:

Larena L. Wardlaw

Address: Tray, S. C.

F. M. Wardlaw

Address: Tray, S. C.

James E. Moore

Address: Tray, S. C.

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears James E. Moore

who, being duly sworn, says that he saw Estella E. Freeman  
sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 26th day of  
April, 1974, A. D. This to be  
and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said Estella E. Freeman  
was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according  
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said James E. Moore  
together with Lorena L. Wardlaw and F.M. Wardlaw at the request  
of the testat rix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 26th day of  
January, Anno Domini 1981

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Benton S. Freeman  
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with  
codicil of Estella E. Freeman deceased, be entered of  
Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 26th day of January, 1981.

Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that  
Estella E. Freeman deceased, so far as I know or believe;  
and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the  
said Will, as far as her goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that  
I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help  
me God.

Sworn to before me, this 26th day of  
January, Anno Domini 19 81

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Benton S. Freeman

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address:

# Last Will and Testament

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
COUNTY OF GREENWOOD )

Certified: A True Copy

*Edmond D. Munro*  
Clerk, Probate Court  
Greenwood County, S. C.

I, Mary Frances B. Jarvis, of Greenwood County, South Carolina, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all instruments of a testamentary nature by me heretofore made.

## ITEM I.

I direct my Executrix, hereinafter named, to pay my just debts, except such as may be barred by the Statute of Limitations, and my funeral and burial expenses.

## ITEM II.

I give, devise and bequeath my entire estate, real, personal and mixed, including any property over which I may hold a power of appointment, to my daughter, Jane J. Ferguson, of Sumter, South Carolina. Should my said daughter fail to survive me, then I give my said entire estate to her children in equal shares, per stirpes. Should both my daughter and any children of hers predecease me, I give my said estate to my brother, David R. Beaty, of Abbeville, South Carolina, and, in the further event that he also shall fail to survive me, I give the same to his son, Archie W. Beaty, also of Abbeville.

## ITEM III.

I nominate, constitute and appoint my daughter, Jane J. Ferguson, Executrix of this Will, to serve without bond. I hereby authorize my said Executrix to sell at either public or private sale such part or all of my estate as my Executrix, in her sole discretion, may deem necessary or advisable in the administration, management or distribution of my estate. In the event of the inability or unwillingness of my said daughter to serve as Executrix, at any time, I nominate, constitute and appoint David R. Beaty of Abbeville, South Carolina, Executor in her place and stead, with similar powers, privileges and duties.

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*M. F. B. J. 1*

PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. }  
Greenwood County. }

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Hon. Rosemary M. Trakas, Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Bobbie B. Clem

who, being duly sworn, says that he saw Mary Frances B. Jarvis

sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 9th day of June, 1970, A.D. to be

and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said

Mary Frances B. Jarvis was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according

to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Bobbie B. Clem

together with Patricia B. Scott and Wm. B. Patrick, Jr. at the request

of the testatrix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof

Sworn to before me, this 22nd day of January, Anno Domini 1981  
Judge of Probate, Greenwood County, S. C.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Jane J. Ferguson it is hereby ordered, advised and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of Mary Frances B. Jarvis, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 22nd day of January, 1981

Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. }  
Greenwood County. }

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named that Mary Frances B. Jarvis deceased, so far as I know or believe;

and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the said Will, as far as her goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me, and that

I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 22nd day of January, Anno Domini 1981  
Judge of Probate, Greenwood County, S. C.

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed  
my seal this the 9 day of June, 1970.

*M.F.B.J.*

Mary Frances B. Jarvis (L.S.)

Signed and sealed in the presence of the undersigned, who, at the request  
of the testatrix, in her presence and in the presence of each other, have  
hereunto signed our names as witnesses.

Bobbie B. Clem Residing at Greenwood, S.C.

Patricia B. Scott Residing at Greenwood, S.C.

Wm B. Patrick Residing at Greenwood, S.C.

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, )  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE. )

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF  
J. B. FERGUSON

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

- 1:- I, J. B. Ferguson, of the County and State aforesaid, do make, ordain, publish and declare this as my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.
- 2:- I will and direct that my Executrix hereinafter named shall pay all of my just debts with the first money coming into her hands.
- 3:- I will, devise and bequeath all of my property of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate, real and personal, unto my wife, Helen O. Ferguson, in fee simple absolute.
- 4:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Helen O. Ferguson, Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, without bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 7th day of April, A. D., 1954.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by J. B. Ferguson, as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who in his presence and of each other at his request, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

Bessie Lee Dance  
J. B. Ferguson  
J. M. McElhannon

J. B. Ferguson IS

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PROOF OF WILL IN COMMON FORM OF

J. B. FERGUSON

DATE OF DEATH: January 24, 1981

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, )  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE. )

IN THE PROBATE COURT

BY BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Judge of Probate for Abbeville County,  
South Carolina:-

PERSONALLY appeared before me, W. L. Ashley,  
who after being duly sworn, deposes and says that he has examined the  
executed Will of J. B. Ferguson, dated the 7th day of  
April, 1954, hereto attached, and that upon a careful examination  
of the alleged signature of J. B. Ferguson to his last Will  
and Testament, that your affiant is familiar with the signature of the  
said, J. B. Ferguson and knows that the signature of the  
said, J. B. Ferguson is the authentic and genuine signature  
of the said, J. B. Ferguson, deceased, as appears on said Will.  
Subscribed and Sworn to before me

this 27 day of January, 1981

Bessie Lee F. Nance IS  
Judge of Probate for Abbeville  
County, South Carolina.

W. L. Ashley

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, )  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE. )

IN THE PROBATE COURT

BY BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Judge of Probate for Abbeville County,  
South Carolina:-

PERSONALLY appeared before me, Sarah C. Hill,  
who being duly sworn, deposes and says that she has examined the executed  
Will of J. B. Ferguson, dated April 7, 1954,  
hereto attached, and that upon a careful examination of the alleged signa-  
tures of Bessie Lee Nance, J. D. Mars

and J. Moore Mars, as witnesses to the said Will of  
J. B. Ferguson, that your affiant is familiar with  
the signatures of all of the witnesses to his Will, to-wit:-

Bessie Lee Nance, J.D. Mars  
and J. Moore Mars and that your affiant knows that the  
said signatures as witnesses to the said Will of J. B. Ferguson  
are the authentic and genuine signatures of the said witnesses.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me

this 27 day of January 1978

Bessie Lee Nance  
Judge of Probate for Abbeville  
County, South Carolina.

Sarah C. Hill  
Sarah C. Hill

Recorded Jan. 30, 1981

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE

# Last Will and Testament

OF

REBECCA CLYDE BROWN

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No. 1

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I, Rebecca Clyde Brown, being of sound mind and memory but mindful of the uncertainty of life, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my last will and testament, hereby revoking any and all wills and testaments by me heretofore made:

ITEM I. I direct that all of my just debts be paid as soon as practicable after my death.

ITEM II. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Annie Ruth Brown, all of the personal property that I now own and all that I may later acquire, of every kind and nature, wheresoever situate. This includes all of my personal household furnishings.

ITEM III. I give to my husband, Larry Brooks Brown, for and during the term of his natural life only, all of the real property that I now own, and all that I may later acquire, and wheresoever situate, and at the death of my husband, I give all of the real property that I now own, and all that I may later acquire, and wheresoever situate, to my daughter, Annie Ruth Brown, her heirs and assigns. I now own an interest in 630 Darlington Street, Calhoun Falls, Abbeville County, South Carolina.

ITEM IV. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my daughter, Annie Ruth Brown, as the sole executrix of this my last will and testament, she to serve without the necessity of bond if such be required by law at the time of my death.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal to this my last will and testament, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1970.

Rebecca Clyde Brown (L.S.)

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SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by  
the said Rebecca Clyde Brown as and for her last will and testa-  
ment, in our presence, and in the presence of each other, and we  
at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each  
other, have hereunto subscribed our names in our own handwriting  
as witnesses this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1970.

Martha K. Hodges of Calhoun Falls, S.C.

B. F. Wilkerson of Calhoun Falls, S.C.

James L. Grier of Calhoun Falls, S.C.

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I, ABRAHAM L. BERMAN, residing in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, being of sound mind and memory, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all Wills and Codicils by me heretofore made.

FIRST: If by the time of my death no agreement has been made with BETH OLIN CEMETERY, Cypress Avenue, Brooklyn, N.Y. for the perpetual care of my family plot, I direct my Executors as part of my funeral expenses to make such agreement with the Cemetery and to pay to them such amount as in the discretion of my Executors is proper to secure the preservation, care and embellishment in perpetuity of such plot and of the monuments thereon. The receipt of such Cemetery for the amount paid to them shall be a full discharge to my Executors with respect thereto.

SECOND: I give and bequeath to MARGARET LAVIN the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000) Dollars provided that at the time of my death she is in my employ or in the employ of any entity with which I am connected.

THIRD: I give and bequeath to JEANNE MATALON the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars provided that at the time of my death she is in my employ or in the employ of any entity with which I am connected.

FOURTH: I give and bequeath to ISABEL ALLEN (MRS. ERNEST ALLEN) now residing at 527 Rochelle Drive, Nashville, Tennessee, the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars.

FIFTH: I give and bequeath to MRS. FLORENCE BURNS

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presently residing in Middletown, New York, the sum of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars. In the event that Mrs. Florence Burns shall predecease me, I give and bequeath said amount of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars in equal shares per stirpes to her daughters, to wit: PREMILA CHUMBLEY, now residing at Baton Rouge, Louisiana, PATRICIA BURNS and DIANE BURNS, and the lawful issue of any of them deceased. If Patricia Burns or Diane Burns or both of them shall be under the age of twenty-one years, the share that she or they would receive under this paragraph shall be added to the trust for each of them as provided in Paragraph SEVENTH of this Will.

SIXTH: I give and bequeath to PREMILA CHUMBLEY, the daughter of Mrs. Florence Burns, the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars. If she predeceases me leaving lawful issue me surviving, I give and bequeath said sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars to her lawful issue me surviving in equal shares per stirpes.

17631 SEVENTH: I give and bequeath to my Executors hereinafter named or such of them as may qualify and act as Trustees, the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars in a trust for the benefit of PATRICIA BURNS, one of the daughters of Mrs. Florence Burns, and an additional sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars in a trust for the benefit of DIANE BURNS, one of the daughters of Mrs. Florence Burns, to invest and reinvest the same in the manner hereinafter provided and to collect the income therefrom and to apply the same for the education, maintenance and support, but particu-

larly the education, of the beneficiary of each trust and to accumulate any unexpended income in any one year for application in one or more subsequent years and to pay the principal and any accumulated income to the beneficiary of each trust when she attains the age of twenty-one years. I specifically authorize and empower my Trustees to invade the principal from time to time to defray the cost of education of the beneficiary of each trust and to defray the cost of serious or prolonged illness and other unusual, extraordinary or unexpected expenses and I further authorize and empower my Trustees to invade the principal of each trust to pay a dowry of Five Thousand (\$5,000) Dollars out of the principal of such trust to the beneficiary of such trust in the event she shall marry with the consent of her mother. Upon the death of the beneficiary of each trust prior to attaining the age of twenty-one years whether prior to or after my death, I give and bequeath the principal of such trust and any accumulated income to her lawful issue living at her death or at my death, whichever shall occur later, as the case may be, in equal shares per stirpes, or , failing such issue then in equal shares: (a) to her surviving sister named in this paragraph, or to the trust for such sister if such sister shall not yet have attained the age of twenty-one years, or to the lawful issue of such sister if such sister shall be deceased leaving lawful issue then surviving, and (b) to her sister PREMILA, or to the lawful issue of PREMILA



if she shall be deceased leaving lawful issue then surviving; or if either the sister referred to in (a) or (b) shall be deceased without lawful issue then surviving, then all to the then surviving sister, or to the then surviving lawful issue in equal shares per stirpes, as the case may be. In addition to all of the powers, authority, discretions and exemption given to my Executors and Trustees under the Estates, Powers and Trusts Law, I also authorize and empower my Trustees to invest in savings bank accounts or in other investments not limited to those legal for trust funds.

No interest of any beneficiary under each trust either in income or in principal shall be subject to pledge, assignment, sale or transfer in any manner, nor shall any beneficiary have power in any manner to anticipate, charge or encumber her or his interest, either in income or in principal, nor shall such interest of any beneficiary be liable or subject in any manner while in the possession of the Trustees for the debts, contracts, liabilities, engagements or torts of such beneficiary.

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EIGHTH: I give and bequeath to my family physician and dear friend DR. SAUL JARCHO, with his office at 35 East 85th Street, New York, N.Y., the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars if he survives me.

NINTH: I give and bequeath to my long time friend HAROLD ARLEN, if he survives me, all of my oil paintings in my apartment at 875 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y.

TENTH: I give and bequeath to MRS. FLORENCE BURNS, presently residing in Middletown, New York, if she survives me, all of my right, title and interest in and to my cooperative apartment, consisting of stock in the cooperative corporation and the proprietary lease, at 875 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y., together with all of my furniture, furnishings and household and personal effects (except my oil paintings) in my said apartment at 875 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y.

ELEVENTH: I give and bequeath to JEWISH THEATRICAL GUILD, with offices at 1619 Broadway, New York, N.Y., the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars.

TWELFTH: I give and bequeath to CATHOLIC ACTORS GUILD OF AMERICA, with offices at 227 West 45th Street, New York, N.Y., the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars.

THIRTEENTH: I give and bequeath to ACTORS FUND OF AMERICA, with offices at 1619 Broadway, New York, N.Y., the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars.

17334 FOURTEENTH: I give and bequeath to CONGREGATION EZRAH ISRAEL, with offices at 339 West 47th Street, New York, N.Y., the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars

FIFTEENTH: I give and bequeath to NEW YORK UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL the sum of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars to establish an endowed scholarship fund to provide a number of individual scholarship grants to be made available each year and to be known as the Jacob I. Berman Scholarships.

SIXTEENTH: I give and bequeath to MOUNT SINAI SCHOOL OF MEDICINE the sum of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars to help fund a Chair in Clinical Medicine in honor

of DR. GEORGE BAEHR and establish fellows in medicine to memorialize Jacob I. Berman and Dora B. Friedman among other ways by listings in the annual reports, school bulletins and other publications of Mount Sinai School of Medicine.

SEVENTEENTH: I give and bequeath to ALBERT EINSTEIN MEDICAL SCHOOL the sum of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars to establish a fellowship to be held by an Assistant Professor in perpetuity to be known as the Jacob I. Berman and Dora B. Friedman Fellowship for such subject as Albert Einstein Medical School may deem best.

EIGHTEENTH: I give and bequeath to BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA the sum of Twenty-Five Hundred (\$2,500) Dollars.

NINETEENTH: I give and bequeath to POLICE ATHLETIC LEAGUE, INC. the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars to establish two play streets, one in the name of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and the other in the name of my sister, Dora B. Friedman.

17635 TWENTIETH: I give and bequeath to ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL the sum of Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars for some special capital or other need, to memorialize my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman, such need to be agreed upon with my Executors.

TWENTY-FIRST: I give and bequeath to THE LEXINGTON SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, 30th Avenue and 75th Street, Jackson Heights, N.Y. 11350, the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars for some special capital or other need, to memorialize my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman, such need to be agreed upon with my Executors.

TWENTY-SECOND: I give and bequeath to JEWISH GUILD FOR THE BLIND, 15 West 65th Street, New York, N.Y. the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars in memory of my sister Dora B. Friedman, who made a like legacy to Jewish Guild for the Blind in her Will.

TWENTY-THIRD: I give and bequeath to BETH ABRADAM HOSPITAL, 612 Allerton Avenue, Bronx, New York 10467, the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars in memory of my sister Dora B. Friedman, who made a like legacy to Beth Abraham Hospital in her Will.

TWENTY-FOURTH: I give and bequeath to HEBREW HOSPITAL FOR THE CHRONIC SICK, INC., 1776 Clay Avenue, Bronx, New York 10457, the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

17636 TWENTY-FIFTH: I give and bequeath to AMERICAN ORT FEDERATION, INC., 817 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10003, the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

TWENTY-SIXTH: I give and bequeath to UNITED NEGRO COLLEGE FUND, INC., 55 East 52nd Street, New York, N.Y., the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

TWENTY-SEVENTH: I give and bequeath to UNITED HIAS SERVICE, 200 Park Avenue South, New York, N.Y., the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

TWENTY-EIGHTH: I give and bequeath to AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR THE WEIZMANN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE, 515 Park Avenue, New York, N.Y., the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

TWENTY-NINTH: I give and bequeath to MEMORIAL HOSPITAL FOR CANCER AND ALLIED DISEASES, 444 East 68th Street, New York, N.Y., Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars to be used for or towards the cost of a special research project in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

THIRTIETH: I give and bequeath to JEWISH CHAUTAUQUA SOCIETY, 838 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y., the sum of Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000) Dollars in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

17837 THIRTY-FIRST: I give and bequeath to the GOVERNOR'S COMMITTEE ON SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT, 29-46 Northern Boulevard, Long Island City, N.Y., the sum of Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000) Dollars to be used for three four-year scholarships to be awarded by the Governor's Committee on Scholastic Achievement in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

THIRTY-SECOND: I give and bequeath to VISITING NURSE SERVICE OF NEW YORK, 170 East 70th Street, New York, N.Y., the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

THIRTY-THIRD: I give and bequeath to AMERICAN COUNCIL FOR EMIGREES IN THE PROFESSIONS, INC., 345 East 46th Street, New York, N.Y., the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000)

Dollars in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman.

THIRTY-FOURTH: I give and bequeath to CONGREGATION B'NAI JESHURUN, 270 West 29th Street, New York, N.Y., the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

THIRTY-FIFTH: I give and bequeath to HEBREW ARTS SCHOOL FOR MUSIC AND DANCE, 120 West 16th Street, New York, N.Y., the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

THIRTY-SIXTH: I give, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, real, personal and mixed and wheresoever situate, including lapsed legacies or otherwise intestate portions of my estate, if any, as follows:

(A) Thirty-five (35%) percent thereof to UNITED JEWISH APPEAL OF GREATER NEW YORK, INC.

147638 (B) Thirty-five (35%) percent thereof to FEDERATION OF JEWISH PHILANTHROPIES OF NEW YORK.

(C) Fifteen (15%) percent thereof to AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR TECHNION-ISRAEL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, INC.

(D) Fifteen (15%) percent thereof to AMERICAN FRIENDS OF THE HEBREW UNIVERSITY, INC.

All of the charitable gifts that I make, the purposes of which are not otherwise specifically stated, are in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman, and my sister Dora B. Friedman, or one of them, and shall memorialize them, him or her in such ways as may be satisfactory to my Executors.

THIRTY-SEVENTH: I nominate and appoint JEROME E. MALINO, THEODORE R. JACKSON and SIDNEY G. ARON and the survivors or survivor of them to be Executors of this my Will and Trustees of the trusts hereunder and direct that none of them shall be required to give any bond or other undertaking in either capacity in any jurisdiction.

I give my Executors and Trustees and the survivors or survivor of them in each capacity full power of sale, power to borrow money for the benefit of my estate and the trusts with or without pledge of assets and all other powers, authorities, exemptions and discretions granted to fiduciaries by the Estates, Powers and Trusts Law of the State of New York. I also specifically authorize and empower my Executors in their discretion to retain any investments or assets that I have at the time of my death and to invest in investments not limited to those legal for trust funds and without diversification.

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THIRTY-EIGHTH: All estate, inheritance, succession and transfer taxes - Federal, State and City - on my estate and on all taxable gifts, devises and bequests hereunder and on other property, if any, included as part of my gross estate as taxable on my death shall be paid out of my residuary estate without apportionment or allocation.

THIRTY-NINTH: If my estate shall be insufficient to pay all of my legacies in full, it is my will that the

legacies in Paragraphs SECOND, THIRD, FOURTH, FIFTH, SIXTH, SEVENTH, EIGHTH, NINTH and TENTH be paid in full and the other legacies be abated pro rata.

FORTIETH: If all or any part of my estate shall vest in absolute ownership in a minor or minors, I authorize and empower my Executors and Trustees to hold the property so vested in any such minor, or any part thereof, in a separate fund or as a separate participation in a fund for all of such minors, for the benefit of such minor, and to invest and reinvest the same in investments and securities not limited to those legal for fiduciaries, to collect the income therefrom, and after deducting all expenses incident thereto, to pay and apply so much of the income therefrom and any accumulated income as well as so much of the principal thereof as my Executors and Trustees shall see fit for the proper support, education and maintenance of such minor, and I also authorize and empower my Executors and Trustees to accumulate, invest and reinvest the unexpended balance of any of said income for application or payment in subsequent years until such minor shall attain the age of twenty-one years, and thereupon to pay the then principal together with any accumulated income to such minor. If any such minor shall die before attaining the age of twenty-one years, the then principal together with any accumulated income shall be paid over to the estate of such minor. Payment or application of income or principal to or for the use of a minor may be made by making payment directly to such minor or to the parent

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of such minor or to a legally appointed guardian of the person or property of such minor or to some relative or friend of such minor or by otherwise applying such income or principal for the appropriate support, education or maintenance of such minor.

FORTY-FIRST: I also authorize and empower my Executors to employ JEANNE MATALON, who is thoroughly familiar with my affairs, at the same compensation as she will be receiving at the time of my death or at such other compensation as she and my Executors may agree upon and in the discretion of my Executors to employ a substitute in her place, and I also authorize and empower my Executors to employ the accountants that I used at the time of my death to do the accounting work for my estate and to prepare all tax returns for my Executors and to assist in the preparation of all accountings of my Executors, and in the discretion of my Executors to employ a substitute accountant or accountants in their place, and I also authorize and empower my Executors to pay the fees of such accountants and I direct that all such payments of salary and accountants' fees and all fringe payments in connection therewith shall be an expense of the administration of my estate.

FORTY-SECOND: If any charitable legatee declines or hesitates to commit itself to use the legacy for the purpose or purposes that I have indicated with respect thereto I

authorize and empower my Executors in their absolute discretion to modify such purpose in a manner satisfactory to such charitable legatee and to my Executors to try to prevent the legacy from lapsing.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 4<sup>th</sup> day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

Abraham L. Berman (L.S.)

In the presence of:

Hector R. Davis

Samuel H. H. H.

SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by ABRAHAM L. BERMAN, the Testator herein named, as and for his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us and each of us, who in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses to the same this 4<sup>th</sup> day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

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Hector R. Davis residing at 335 1st St. N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

Samuel H. H. H. residing at 221 1st St. N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

I, ABRAHAM L. BERMAN, residing in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, being of sound mind and memory, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be a Codicil to my Last Will and Testament dated February 4, 1975.

FIRST: I give and bequeath to NEW YORK UNIVERSITY MEDICAL SCHOOL, 550 First Avenue, New York, N.Y., the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000) in memory of my brother Jacob I. Berman and my sister Dora B. Friedman.

SECOND: Except as herein modified, I hereby ratify and confirm my said Will dated February 4, 1975.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

Abraham L. Berman (L.S.)

In the presence of:

James M. Cohen  
James M. Cohen

SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by ABRAHAM L. BERMAN, the Testator herein named, as and for a Codicil to his Last Will and Testament dated February 4, 1975, in the presence of us and each of us, who in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses to the same this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

James M. Cohen residing at 99-41 60<sup>th</sup> Ave. Rego Bk. N.Y.

James M. Cohen residing at 875 5 Ave Rego Bk. N.Y.

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# Last Will and Testament

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE

I, MELVIN STANYARNE BELL, of the County of Abbeville, State of South Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind and memory do hereby make, ordain, publish and declare this as and for my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all other wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

## ITEM I

I direct that my Executrix hereafter named shall pay all of my just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my death as is practicable.

## ITEM II

I will, devise, and bequeath all of my property, both real and personal, remaining after the payment of my just debts and funeral expenses as aforesaid, unto my wife, namely, GLORIA BOLT BELL, to do with as she may in fee simple absolute, absolutely and forever.

## ITEM III

In the event that my said wife, GLORIA BOLT BELL, shall predecease me or shall die as the result of a common disaster or accident with me, then and in either of those events, I will, devise and bequeath all my property, both real and personal, unto my beloved son, namely, MELVIN STANYARNE BELL, JR., and my beloved daughters, namely, MARY LOU BELL PETERSON, and GLORIA ELIZABETH BELL COTTEN, share and share alike in equal shares, to do with as they may in fee simple absolute, absolutely and forever, the child or children of any predeceased child of mine to take the share that the parent would have taken, if living.

## ITEM IV

I hereby name, nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, GLORIA BOLT BELL, as Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament,

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Melvin Stanyarne Bell*

PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears Tom J. Ervin

who, being duly sworn, says that he saw Melvin Stanyarne Bell

sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 21st day of April 1979

, A. D. to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

~~XXXXXXXX~~ Melvin Stanyarne Bell

was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according

to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Tom J. Ervin

together with Lee Logan and Robt. Monty Wooley at the request

of the testat or in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 16th day of February, Anno Domini 19 81

*Bessie Lee F. Nance*  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

*Tom Ervin*

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Gloria Bolt Bell

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with

codicil of MELVIN STANYARNE BELL, deceased, be entered of

Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 16th day of February, 19 81

*Bessie Lee F. Nance*  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that

MELVIN STANYARNE BELL

deceased, so far as I know or believe;

and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the

said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that

I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help

me God.

Sworn to before me, this 16th day of February, Anno Domini 19 81

*Bessie Lee F. Nance*  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

*Gloria Bolt Bell*

Box 308 - Due West, S. C.

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address:

to act without bond and with full power and authority to sell any and all the property of my Estate, both real and personal property, in order to carry out the terms of this my Last Will and Testament.

ITEM V

In the event my wife, GLORIA BOLT BELL, should predecease me or should die as a result of a common disaster or accident with me, then and in either of those events, I hereby name, nominate, constitute and appoint my son, MELVIN STANYARNE BELL, JR., as Substitute Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, to act without bond and with the full power and authority to sell any and all of the property of my Estate, both real property and personal property, in order to carry out the terms of this my Last Will and Testament.

*MS* IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 21st day of April, 1979.

*Melvin Stanyarne Bell*  
MELVIN STANYARNE BELL

Signed, sealed, published and declared on the date mentioned above by the said MELVIN STANYARNE BELL, as and for his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other at his request have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses.

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*  
*Robert Monty Wooley*

OF

*Anderson, S.C.*

OF

*Due West S.C.*

OF

*Due West, S.C.*

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF  
MRS. GEORGE W. DEENEY

I, MRS. GEORGE W. DEENEY, also known as Mrs. Hugh J. Deeney, of the City and County of Abbeville, South Carolina, do hereby make and publish this as my Last Will and Testament and hereby revoke all previous Wills and Codicils by me made.

1. I give, devise and bequeath my entire estate, real and personal and all property over which I shall have any power of disposition by Will, whether acquired before or after the execution of this Will, One-fourth (1/4) to MR. CLARENCE DANKEL and his wife, DOROTHY, Edgemont Road, Lansford, Pennsylv 13232, One-fourth (1/4) to MRS. ETHEL GOK, 5405 Rosalind, El Cerrita, California 94530, and One-half (1/2) to DR. W. W. JOHNSON, JR. and his wife, MARY, in fee simple. Should any of the aforesaid persons predecease me I give, devise and bequeath such decedent's share to his or her surviving spouse.

2. I appoint DR. W. W. JOHNSON, JR. and MARY W. JOHNSON Executors of this my Will. If either of them shall fail to qualify or cease to act as Executor, I appoint the other as sole Executor. I direct neither shall be required to furnish any bond.

3. I authorize my Executors to sell any real and personal property upon such terms as they may deem proper at any time included in my estate.

4. Throughout this Will the masculine gender shall be deemed to include the feminine and the singular the plural and vice versa where the context so requires.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I sign, publish and declare this as my Last Will Dec. 3, 1979.

Mrs George W. Deeney (L. S.)  
(Mrs. George W. Deeney)

The foregoing Will consisting of One (1) page, was signed, sealed,

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears NANCY S. KING

who, being duly sworn, says that he saw GEORGE W. DEENEY (female)

sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1979 to be

and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said

GEORGE W. DEENEY (female) was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according

to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said NANCY S. KING

together with ROBERT L. HAWTHORNE, JR. and ROSEMARY H. COPELAND at the request

of the testatrix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 16th day of February, Anno Domini 19 81

Jessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Nancy S. King

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of DR. W. W. JOHNSON, Jr.

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with NO codicil, of GEORGE W. DEENEY (FEMALE), deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 16th day of Feb., 1981

Jessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that

GEORGE W. DEENEY (FEMALE) deceased, so far as I know or believe;

and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the

said Will, as far as HER MEX goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that

I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help

ME God.

Sworn to before me, this 16th day of February, Anno Domini 19 81

Jessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

W. W. Johnson, Jr.  
Box 668 - Abbeville, S. C.

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address:





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THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

EDNA H. WHITE

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN:

I, EDNA H. WHITE, of Abbeville County, State of South Carolina, being of sound mind and disposing mind and memory, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all other Wills and Codicils heretofore by me made.

FIRST: I will and direct my executor to pay to State Bank and Trust Company, a South Carolina Banking Corporation, all indebtedness owing by my son, James B. White, which has been endorsed or guaranteed by me in writing, and that such payment so made shall not be deducted from the share of my son, James B. White, in the rest of my estate.

SECOND: I will and bequeath the gold watch of my deceased husband, W. H. White, to my son, James B. White.

THIRD: I will and bequeath my diamond ring to my granddaughter, Elizabeth B. White, the daughter of W. H. White, Jr.

FOURTH: I will to my two daughters my breast watch and my amethyst locket. I direct that they draw straws from my executor to determine which daughter shall have first choice of these two items, and that the decision of my executor in this manner of selection shall be final. I expressly declare that I do not intend to create any charge or lien on the above breast watch or amethyst locket, which I have bequeathed above, nor any trust in law or in equity with respect to this property, but it is my hope that each of my said daughters will bequeath these articles to one of my grand daughters living in South Carolina at the time of their death.

Edna H. White

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FIFTH: I will my Cedar Wardrobe to my son, W. H. White, Jr.

SIXTH: I will my small desk situated in my home to my grandson, W. H. White, III.

SEVENTH: I direct my executor to pay all my debts and funeral expenses as soon after my demise as can be lawfully done.

EIGHTH: I will and bequeath to Abbeville Presbyterian Church, with its principal location on North Main Street, in the City of Abbeville, the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars. This principal and the income therefrom, if any, to be distributed and disbursed to South Carolina Presbytery at such time, within the discretion of the Abbeville Presbyterian Church, it is needed by South Carolina Presbytery for Home Missions funds.

NINTH: I will and bequeath to Abbeville Presbyterian Church, with its principal location on North Main Street, in the City of Abbeville, the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars. This principal and the income therefrom, if any, to be distributed at the discretion of the Abbeville Presbyterian Church as it is needed for Foreign Mission funds.

TENTH: I give, will, and bequeath to my granddaughter, Jenny Leverich Sortland, the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar.

ELFVENTH: I give, will, and bequeath to my Trustee hereinafter named, its successors or successor, the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars, for each grandchild of mine who survives me, excluding Jenny Leverich Sortland, and I direct my Trustee to set up a separate trust fund of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars for each grandchild of mine surviving me, excluding Jenny Leverich Sortland, and each share so allocated shall be held in a separate trust in accordance with the provisions of this ARTICLE

*Edna H. White*

ELEVENTH.

A. With respect to the separate trust for each grandchild of mine who survives me, the Trustee is directed as follows:

(1) While such grandchild is enrolled in an accredited college of his or her choice, and is actively pursuing a four year college education, the Trustee shall pay to such grandchild, or use for such grandchild's College Education, so much of the income and principal of such Grandchild's Fund as the Trustee determines to be required for this purpose.

(2) When such grandchild shall have attained the age of Twenty Five (25) years, the Trustee shall distribute to such grandchild any remaining balance in such Grandchild's Fund.

(3) If any such grandchild shall de cease before the Grandchild's Fund is distributed to such grandchild, the Trustee shall pay the then remaining principal to my then living grandchildren, in equal shares, excluding Jenny Leverich Sortland, provided always, however, that any grandchild of mine who has not received his or her entire share of his or her own Trust Fund under this ARTICLE ELEVENTH, shall not receive his or her share outright, but such share shall be added to the principal of such Grandchild's Trust Fund, and be governed and distributed accordingly.

B. The whole or any part of the income or principal payable under the provisions of this ARTICLE ELEVENTH to any minor or any other person legally incapacitated, may be applied by the Trustee in its discretion for such beneficiary's College Education, or may be paid to such beneficiary's Guardian, or to such beneficiary personally, or to any other person deemed suitable by the Trustee.

Edna H. White  
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TWELFTH: All the rest and residue of my property of whatever kind and wherever located that I own at my death, real and personal, and all property over which I shall then have any power of appointment, I give, will, devise, and bequeath, to my children in equal shares, absolutely and in fee simple; but in case either or any of them shall have died in my lifetime, leaving children living at my death, such children shall take by representation between them the share which his or her parent would have taken had such parent survived me.

THIRTEENTH: In extension and not in limitation of the powers given by Law or under the provisions of this Will, my Executor shall have the following powers with respect to the settlement of my Estate, and the Trustee of each Trust under this Will shall have the following powers with respect to such Trust and its property; in each case to be exercised from time to time in the discretion of my Executor and Trustee and without Order of Court:

1. To sell any personal property, publicly or privately, for cash or on time, without an Order of Court, upon such terms and conditions as to my Executor or Trustee shall seem best, without liability on the part of the purchaser to see to the application of the purchase money.

2. To retain any personal property constituting my Estate at the time of my death for such time as to my Executor or Trustee shall seem best, and to dispose of any such property by sale or exchange or otherwise as and when my Executor or Trustee shall deem advisable, and to invest and re-invest funds in such investments as my executor or my trustee may desire, without the Order of the Court.

*Ednas H. White*

3. To make distribution of principal in cash or in kind, or partly in cash and partly in kind, not necessarily rateably, but on the basis of equal value according to the judgment of my Executor or Trustee.

FOURTEENTH: I appoint my son, James B. White, and my daughter, Helen W. Kenyon, Co-executor and executrix of my Will. No Bond or surety shall be required of my Executor or Executrix, and in case either of them should fail to qualify or cease to act, then I appoint the other as sole Executor or Executrix. References in this Will to Executor mean the Executor and/or Executrix in office, or the administrator with the Will annexed for the time being in office.

FIFTEENTH: I appoint State Bank and Trust Company, a South Carolina Banking Corporation, Trustee of each trust under my Will. No Bond or surety shall be required of State Bank and Trust Company, as Trustee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 11th day of July, 1961. For identification I have signed each of the foregoing Four (4) pages of this Will, which consists of Five (5) pages.

Edna H. White (SEAL)

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the above named EDNA H. WHITE as and for her Last Will, in the presence of us three who, at her request, in her presence and in the presence of one another, hereto subscribe our names as witnesses thereof, all on the date last above written.

Joyce M. Louch of Abbeville, South Carolina.

Nancy S. King of Abbeville, South Carolina.

Robert L. Hawthorne of Abbeville, South Carolina.

CODICIL TO THE LAST WILL AND  
TESTAMENT OF EDNA H. WHITE

I, EDNA H. WHITE, of the City of Abbeville, County of Abbeville, and State of South Carolina, having made my Last Will and Testament, dated July 11, 1961, do hereby make, publish, and declare this to be a Codicil to my Last Will and Testament.

FIRST: WHEREAS, by Article ELEVENTH of my Last Will and Testament, I made provisions for each of my Grandchild who survives me, and it is the purpose of this Codicil to change these provisions to "For each of my grandchild living at the time of my death", and I hereby amend Article ELEVENTH of my Last Will and Testament, and will and direct that the property therein described be disposed of as follows:

E. H. W. I give, will, and bequeath to my Trustee hereinafter named, its successors or successor, the sum of \$1,000, for each grandchild of mine living at the time of my death, excluding Jenny Leverich Sortland, and I direct my Trustee to set up a Separate Trust Fund of \$1,000 for each grandchild of mine living at the time of my death, excluding Jenny Leverich Sortland, and each share so allotted shall be held in a Separate Trust in accordance with the provisions of Article ELEVENTH of my Last Will and Testament.

A. With respect to the Separate Trust for each grandchild of mine living at the time of my death, the Trustee is directed to comply and follow the provisions of Article ELEVENTH A., (1), (2), (3), and B.

SECOND: I hereby ratify and confirm my Last Will and

Testament except in so far as any part thereof is revoked or modified by this Codicil.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, EDNA H. WHITE, have signed my name to this Codicil to my Last Will and Testament, dated July 11, 1961, and set my seal this 26th day of September, 1961.

Edna H. White (L. S.)

The foregoing Codicil was at the date thereof by the said Edna H. White, signed, sealed, published, and declared to be her Codicil to her Last Will and Testament, dated July 11, 1961, in the presence of us, who at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as attesting witnesses.

Mary Judy Scott of Abbeville, South Carolina.

Nancy S. King of Abbeville, South Carolina.

Robert L. Hawthorne Jr. of Abbeville, South Carolina.



STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE )

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I, Lula S. Hooper, of the County of Abbeville, State of South Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and desiring to make suitable disposition of all my property prior to my death, do hereby make, publish and declare this as and for my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other wills or instruments of a testamentary nature by me at any time heretofore made.

ITEM ONE

I direct my executrix hereinafter named to pay all of my just debts, taxes and funeral expenses from the proceeds of my estate as soon after my death as practicable.

ITEM TWO

I give, bequeath and devise unto my beloved children the following described personal property, to wit: To my daughter, Lillie Gambrell my combination Book Case, desk and cedar bed; to my daughter, Essie Couch my book case with glass doors, my piano and clock; to my daughter Margaret Blaskowitz my table top desk and dresser; to my sister, Beulah Hawkins I give (Grandma's bed).

ITEM THREE

The balance of my household furniture not mentioned in item two, I give, bequeath and devise unto my three daughters, Lillie Gambrell, Essie Couch and Margaret Blaskowitz in equal shares, share and share alike.

ITEM FOUR

I hereby direct that my house and lot be sold for the best possible price by my executrix and, the proceeds of sale equally divided between my three daughters above named, share and share alike.

ITEM FIVE

I hereby nominate and appoint my daughter, Essie Couch, as executrix of this my will and direct that she serve without bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I sign, seal, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament in the presence of the witnesses who have signed at my request this 3rd day of October, 1969.

Lula S. Hooper (LS)  
TESTATRIX

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Lula S. Hooper, the testatrix above named, to be her last will and testament, and we, at her request, in her presence and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses this 3rd day of October, 1969.

WITNESS:

ADDRESS:

Wm. H. Moore Booth Box 354 Dorchester SC  
James L. Loomis Booth Box 354 Dorchester SC  
Mrs. B. L. Loomis Booth Box 354 Dorchester SC

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears Mrs. Blease Burton

who, being duly sworn, says that she saw Lula S. Hooper

sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1969 to be

and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said

Lula S. Hooper was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Mrs. Blease Burton

together with J. Blease Burton and Leon Thomas at the request of the testatrix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 9th day of March, Anno Domini 19 81

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Mrs. Blease Burton

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Essie Couch it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of Lula S. Hooper, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 9th day of March, 19 81.

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that

Lula S. Hooper deceased, so far as I know or believe;

and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the said Will, as far as her goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that

I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 9th day of March, Anno Domini 19 81

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Essie H. Couch

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address:

Jan 2, 1975.

all of my Real Estate and  
Personal located at Calhoun Falls,  
S.C. I leave to Lillian Lewis Eaves.  
I name Lillian Lewis Eaves.  
an Executor.

Eva Mae Charming Martin.

Lester D. Charming Jr.  
Lellan D. Lee Sr.  
Marcy F. Starnes.

State of S.C.  
County of Abbeville  
sworn to and subscribed  
before me this 1st. Day of  
July 1977 at Calhoun  
Falls, S.C.

John D. Peace  
Not. P. for S.C.

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

I, Eddie Jackson, being of sound mind and discretion do hereby make, ordain, publish and declare this as and for my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

I do hereby request that my Executor hereinafter named do hereby pay all my just debts with the first money coming into his hands.

I do hereby will, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife, Lucille Crawford Jackson, all my interest in the house and lot where I now live. The lot contains 6.51 acres, to be hers during her natural life, and at the death of my wife, I do hereby will devise and bequeath it to my beloved son, Malphus Crawford, the remainder in said house and lot. This house and lot is better described in Plat Book 17, page 152 in the Clerk of Court for Abbeville County.

I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife's brother, Eugene Crawford to be the Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, serving without bond.

Signed and Sealed this 31<sup>st</sup> day of May, 1974.

Eddie Jackson  
Eddie Jackson

Signed and sealed, published and declared by Eddie Jackson, as and for his Last Will and Testament, in our presence and the presence of each other, and in his presence, at his request, we have subscribed our names as Witnesses.

Constance E. Harrison  
Cath. Adenomonhe  
James R. Nickles

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears Cathy Abercrombie Poole

who, being duly sworn, says that she saw Eddie Jackson

sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 31st day of May, A. D. 1974 to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

Eddie Jackson was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Cathy Abercrombie Poole together with Constance E. Harrison and James P. Nickles at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 11th day of March, Anno Domini 1981

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Cathy Abercrombie Poole

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Eugene Crawford it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of Eddie Jackson, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 21th day of March, 1981

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that Eddie Jackson deceased, so far as I know or believe; and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 26th day of March, Anno Domini 1981

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Lucille Jackson  
Administratrix CTA, DPN  
(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE

In the name of God, amen;

I, William A. Brownlee of Abbeville County, state of South Carolina, do make, ordain, publish and declare this as and for my last will and testament.

Item I. I commit my soul to the gracious God who gave it and direct that my body be decently interred according to the rites of my Church and that a suitable marker be erected to mark my grave, and that all expense incurred therefor be paid out of my estate.

Item II. I will and direct that my executrix hereinafter named pay all of my just debts with the first money coming in to her hands.

Item III. I will, devise and bequeath all of my property, both real and personal, to my wife, Lois M. Brownlee, and in the event that <sup>she</sup> ~~he~~ should predecease me or we should die in a common disaster, I will said property to my three children, William Robert Brownlee, Evelyn Katherine Brownlee, and Sara Helen Brownlee, share and share alike, in fee simple absolute.

Item IV. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Lois M. Brownlee, as executrix of my will, giving her power to do all things necessary to carry my will without the order of the Court and without bond, giving power to make conveyances. As an alternate executor I appoint our son, William Robert Brownlee, giving him the same powers as set out above.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 5th. day of August A. D. 1969.

William A. Brownlee (SEAL)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by William A. Brownlee, as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who in his presence, and of each other at his request, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

<u>Janet Colwell</u>	Address	<u>Abbeville SC</u>
<u>Gra L. Williams</u>	"	<u>Abbeville SC</u>
<u>Sarah C. Hill</u>	"	<u>Abbeville, S.C.</u>

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears Janet Calvert  
who, being duly sworn, says that she saw William A. Brownlee  
sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 5th day of  
August, A. D. 1969 to be  
and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said  
William A. Brownlee was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according  
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Janet Calvert  
together with Ira L. Williams and Sarah C. Hill at the request  
of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 10th day of  
March, Anno Domini 19 81

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Janet Calvert

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Lois M. Brownlee  
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with  
codicil of William A. Brownlee, deceased, be entered of  
Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 10th day of March, 19 81.

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that  
William A. Brownlee deceased, so far as I know or believe;  
and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the  
said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that  
I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help  
me God.

Sworn to before me, this 10th day of  
March, Anno Domini 19 81

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Lois M. Brownlee  
(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE

) LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF  
) MARY GOINGS HENDERSON

I, Mary Goings Henderson, of the City of Abbeville, County and State aforesaid, being of sound mind, memory and understanding, but mindful of the uncertainty of life, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my Last Will and Testament.

Item I: I hereby direct that my Executor hereinafter named do pay all of my just debts as soon after my demise as possible.

Item II: I will, devise and bequeath unto the following children, namely, Frances H. Carpenter, Thomas F. Henderson, Jr., Robert L. Henderson, Mary H. Tiller, Freddie P. Henderson, Betty H. Stewart, Clarence W. Henderson, Charles E. Henderson and Jack M. Henderson the sum of One and No/100 (\$1.00) Dollars each, provided however, that should any of my children hereinabove named attempt to declare this Last Will and Testament invalid, that child shall not receive the sum hereinabove stipulated.

Item III: I will, devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my estate, consisting of real estate, personal property or mixed property unto my son, Olin Henderson who has taken care of me since the death of my husband, Thomas F. Henderson, Sr.

Item IV: I hereby nominate and appoint Olin Henderson Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, he to serve without bond.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Mary Goings Henderson as and for her Last Will and Testament this 23rd day of August, A. D., 1963.

Mary G. Henderson (LS)

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Mary Goings Henderson as and for her last will and testament in our presence and we in her presence and in the presence each of the other, and at her request, have hereunto signed our names as attesting witnesses:

James P. Nichols  
Mary E. Feist  
W. H. McCune

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears William P. Greene  
who, being duly sworn, says that he saw Mary Goings Henderson  
do, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 23rd day of  
August, A. D. 1963 to be  
and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said  
Mary Goings Henderson was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according  
to the best of deposor's knowledge and belief; and that the said William P. Greene  
together with Ira D. Keith and James P. Nickles at the request  
of the testatrix her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me this 18th day of  
March, Anno Domini 19 81.

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

William P. Greene

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On the petition of Olin Henderson  
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with  
codicil of Mary Goings Henderson, deceased, be entered of  
Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 18th day of March, 19 81.

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that  
Mary Goings Henderson deceased, so far as I know or believe;  
and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the  
said Will, as far as her goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that  
I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help  
me God.

Sworn to before me, this 18th day of  
March, Anno Domini 19 81.

Bessie Lee F. Nance  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Olin Henderson

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, )  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE. )

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF  
WAYMON E. CATER.

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

I, Waymon E. Cater, of the County of Abbeville, in the State aforesaid, being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and desiring to make disposition of all of my property in case of death, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my last Will and Testament, to-wit:-

Item I:- I direct that my Executrix, hereinafter named, as soon after my death as practicable, to pay all of my just debts.

Item II:- After the payment of my debts, I will, devise and bequeath the rest, residue and remainder of my property, real, personal and mixed to my wife, Allie Mae G. Cater, in fee simple absolute.

Item III:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Allie Mae G. Cater, sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, with full power to her to do any and every act necessary to carry this my Will into effect, and without giving bond as such Executrix.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed my seal this 15 day of March, 1958.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Waymon E. Cater, as and for his Last Will and Testament, in our presence, and we, in his presence, at his request, and each of us in the presence of the other two, have hereunto signed our names as attesting witnesses.

Bob Johnson

Bessie Lee Vance

J. R. Mays

Waymon E. Cater IS

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears R. F. Johnson  
who, being duly sworn, says that he saw Waymon E. Cater  
sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 15th day of  
March, A. D. 1958 to be  
and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said  
Waymon E. Cater was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according  
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said R. F. Johnson  
together with Bessie Lee Nance and J. D. Mars at the request  
of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 1st day of  
April, Anno Domini 1981

Bessie Lee F. Nance (45)  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

R. F. Johnson

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Allie Mae G. Cater  
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with  
codicil of Waymon E. Cater, deceased, be entered of  
Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 1st day of April, 1981.

Bessie Lee F. Nance (45)  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
Abbeville County.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named ~~and testator~~  
Waymon E. Cater deceased, so far as I know or believe;  
and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the  
said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that  
I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help  
me God.

Sworn to before me, this 1st day of  
April, Anno Domini 1981

Bessie Lee F. Nance (45)  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

Allie Mae G. Cater

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address:

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF MECKLENBERG

)  
)  
)  
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT  
OF  
A. LOUISE AGNEW

I, A. LOUISE AGNEW, a resident of and domiciled in the City of Charlotte, in the State and County aforesaid, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all Wills and Codicils at any time heretofore made by me.

ITEM I

I direct that all estate, inheritance, succession, death or similar taxes assessed with respect to my estate herein disposed of, or any part thereof, or on any bequest or devise contained in this my Last Will (which term wherever used herein shall include any Codicil hereto), or on any insurance upon my life or on any property held jointly by me with another or on any transfer made by me during my lifetime or on any other property or interests in property included in my estate for such tax purposes be paid out of my residuary estate and shall not be charged to or against any recipient, beneficiary, transferee or owner of any such property or interests in property included in my estate for such tax purposes.

ITEM II

I give and bequeath all of my personal and household effects of every kind including but not limited to furniture, appliances, furnishings, pictures, silverware, china, glass, books, jewelry, wearing apparel, boats, automobiles, and other vehicles, and all policies of fire, burglary, property damage, and other insurance on or in connection with the use of this property, to my niece, Lila G. McMillan. If my said niece shall not survive me, I give and bequeath all of said property to my niece, Jean Galloway Bissell, if she shall survive me. If both my said nieces shall not survive me, I give and bequeath all of said property to my nieces and nephews surviving me, in approximately equal shares, provided, however, the issue of a deceased niece or nephew shall take his or her parent's share per stirpes. If my said nieces and nephews do not agree to the division of the said property among themselves, my executor shall make such division among them, the decision of my executor to be in all respects binding upon my nieces and nephews. I request that my executor, my nieces and nephews and their issue abide by any memorandum by me directing the disposition of this property or any part thereof. This request is precatory

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andatory. If any beneficiary hereunder is a minor, executor may distribute his share to him or for his use to any person with whom he is residing or who has the care or control of him without further responsibility and the receipt of the person to whom it is distributed shall be a complete discharge of my executor.

### ITEM III

I give and devise my house and lot located at Due West, South Carolina, in equal shares to such of my nephews, Robert S. Galloway, Jr. and William A. Galloway and my niece, Jean Galloway Bissell, as shall survive me, provided, however, the issue surviving me of any such nephew or niece who shall predecease me shall take per stirpes the share their parent would have taken had he or she survived me.

### ITEM IV

I give, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my property of every kind and description, (including lapsed legacies and devises) wherever situate and whether acquired before or after the execution of this Will absolutely in fee simple as follows:

(1) Ten (10%) per cent thereof to my nephew, Alfred H. Agnew, or if he shall not survive me, to his issue surviving me, per stirpes, or in default of such issue, such Ten (10%) per cent shall be added to and disposed of pursuant to Paragraph (3) or Paragraph (4) below, whichever is applicable.

(2) Ten (10%) per cent thereof to my niece, Louise A. Stollman, or if she shall not survive me, to her issue surviving me, per stirpes, or in default of such issue, such Ten (10%) per cent shall be added to and disposed of pursuant to Paragraph (3) or Paragraph (4) below, whichever is applicable.

(3) If my niece, Lila G. McMillan, shall survive me,

(a) Fifty (50%) per cent thereof to my said niece, Lila G. McMillan; and

(b) Thirty (30%) per cent thereof in equal shares, to such of my nephews, Robert S. Galloway, Jr. and William A. Galloway and my niece, Jean Galloway Bissell, as shall survive me, provided, however, the issue surviving me of any such niece or nephew who shall predecease me shall take per stirpes the share their parent would have taken had he or she survived me.

(4) If my niece, Lila G. McMillan, shall not survive me, Eighty (80%) per cent thereof in equal shares to such of my nephews, Robert S. Galloway, Jr., and William A. Galloway; my niece, Jean Galloway Bissell; and my grandnephews, John D. McMillan, Jr. and Robert A. McMillan, as shall survive me, provided, however, the issue surviving me of any such nephew, niece or grandnephew who shall predecease me shall take per stirpes the share their parent would have taken had he or she survived me.

#### ITEM V

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint as executor of this my Last Will and Testament Robert S. Galloway, Jr. and direct that he shall serve without bond. If for any reason he is unable or unwilling to serve or continue to serve then I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint as substitute or successor executor Wachovia Bank & Trust Company and direct that it shall serve without bond. For its services such executor shall receive an amount which shall be determined by its Standard Fee Schedule in effect and applicable at the time of the performance of such services. If no such schedule shall be in effect at that time, it shall be entitled to reasonable compensation for the services rendered.

#### ITEM VI

Any corporate successor to the trust business of any corporate fiduciary designated herein or at any time acting hereunder shall succeed to the capacity of its predecessor without conveyance or transfer.

#### ITEM VII

If Wachovia Bank & Trust Company or any successor as herein defined should fail to qualify as successor executor hereunder, or for any reason should cease to act in such capacity, then I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint as substitute or successor executor some other bank or trust company qualified to do business in the state of my domicile at the time of my death which shall be designated in a written instrument filed with the court having jurisdiction over the probate of my estate and signed by or on behalf of my oldest living niece or nephew or if he or she fails to act, by the court having jurisdiction over my probate estate.

#### ITEM VIII

Whenever the word "executor" or any modifying words and respective pronouns therefor are used in this my Will, such both the singular and the plural, the masculine, feminine and neuter gender thereof, and shall apply equally to the executor named herein and to any successor or substitute executor acting hereunder, and such successor or substitute executor shall possess all the rights, powers and duties, authority and responsibility conferred upon my executor originally named herein.

#### ITEM IX

My executor is authorized in his absolute discretion with respect to any property, real or personal, at any time held under any provision of this Will and without authorization by any court and in addition to any other rights, powers, authority and privileges granted by any other provision of this Will or by Statute or general rules of law:

(1) To retain any property or undivided interests in property owned by me at the time of my death, including residential property and shares of my executor's own stock, regardless of any lack of diversification, risk or nonproductivity, as long as he deems advisable, and to exchange any such security or property for other securities or properties and to retain such items received in exchange, although said property represents a large percentage of the total property of my estate or even the entirety thereof.

(2) To invest and reinvest all or any part of my estate in any property and undivided interests in property, wherever located, including bonds, debentures, notes secured or unsecured, stocks of corporations regardless of class, real estate or any interest in real estate whether or not productive at the time of investment, interests in trusts, investment trusts, whether of the open and/or closed fund types, and common trust funds, insurance contracts on the life of any beneficiary or annuity contracts for any beneficiary, without being limited by any statute or rule of law concerning investments by fiduciaries.

(3) To sell or dispose of or grant options to purchase any property, real or personal, constituting a part of my estate, for cash or upon credit, to exchange any property of my estate for other property, at such times and upon such terms and conditions as he may deem best, and no person dealing with him shall be bound to see to the application of any monies paid.

(4) To hold any securities or other property in his own name as executor, in his own name, in the name of a nominee (with or without disclosure of any fiduciary relationship) or in bearer form.

(5) To keep, at any time and from time to time, all or any portion of my estate in cash and uninvested for such period or periods of time as he may deem advisable, without liability for any loss in income by reason thereof.

(6) To sell or exercise stock subscription or conversion rights.

(7) To refrain from voting or to vote shares of stock owned by my estate at shareholders' meetings in person or by special, limited, or general proxy and in general to exercise all the rights, powers and privileges of an owner in respect to any securities constituting a part of my estate.

(8) To participate in any plan of reorganization or consolidation or merger involving any company or companies whose stock or other securities shall be part of my estate, and to deposit such stock or other securities under any plan of reorganization or with any protective committee and to delegate to such committee discretionary power with relation thereto, to pay a proportionate part of the expenses of such committee and any assessments levied under any such plan, to accept and retain new securities received by my executor pursuant to any such plan, to exercise all conversion, subscription, voting and other rights, of whatsoever nature pertaining to such property, and to pay any amount or amounts of money as he may deem advisable in connection therewith.

(9) To borrow money and to encumber, mortgage or pledge any asset of my estate for a term within or extending beyond the term of the trust, in connection with the exercise of any power vested in my executor.

(10) To enter for any purpose into a lease as lessor or lessee with or without option to purchase or renew for a term within or extending beyond the term of the trust.

(11) To subdivide, develop, or dedicate real property to public use or to make or obtain the vacation of plats and adjust boundaries, to adjust differences in valuation on exchange or partition by giving or receiving consideration, and to dedicate easements to public use without consideration.

(12) To make ordinary or extraordinary repairs or alterations in buildings or other structures, to demolish any improvements, to raze existing or erect new party walls or buildings.



(13) To continue and operate any business owned by me at my death and to do any and all things deemed needful or appropriate by my executor, including the power to incorporate the business and to put additional capital into the business, for such time as he shall deem advisable, without liability for loss resulting from the continuance or operation of the business except for his own negligence; and to close out, liquidate, or sell the business at such time and upon such terms as he shall deem best.

(14) To collect, receive, and receipt for rents, issues, profits, and income of my estate.

(15) To insure the assets of my estate against damage or loss and my executor against liability with respect to third persons.

(16) In buying and selling assets, in lending and borrowing money, and in all other transactions, irrespective of the occupancy by the same person of dual positions, to deal with himself in his separate, or any fiduciary, capacity.

(17) To compromise, adjust, arbitrate, sue on or defend, abandon, or otherwise deal with and settle claims in favor of or against my estate as my executor shall deem best.

(18) To employ and compensate agents, accountants, investments advisers, brokers, attorneys-in-fact, attorneys-at-law, tax specialists, realtors, and other assistants and advisors deemed by my executor needful for the proper settlement of my estate, and to do so without liability for any neglect, omission, misconduct, or default of any such agent or professional representative provided he was selected and retained with reasonable care.

(19) To determine, irrespective of statute or rule of law, what shall be fairly and equitably charged or credited to income and what to principal notwithstanding any determination by the courts or by any custom or statute and whether or not to establish depreciation reserves.

(20) To make payment in cash or in kind, or partly in cash and partly in kind upon any division or distribution of my estate and to value and appraise any asset and to distribute such asset in kind at its appraised value.

(21) To exercise any power herein granted with reference to the control, management, investment, or disposition

my estate.

(22) In general, to exercise all power the management of my estate which any individual could exercise in his own right, upon such terms and conditions as he may deem best, and to do all acts which he may deem necessary or proper to carry out the purposes of this my Will.

#### ITEM X

Whenever my executor herein named is directed to distribute any property in fee simple to a person who has not attained the age of Twenty-one (21) years at the date of distribution, my executor shall transfer, convey and assign such property to himself as trustee and shall hold the property of such minor in trust for such minor during minority using so much of the net income and principal of the property as my trustee shall deem necessary to provide for the proper support, medical care and education of such minor taking into consideration to the extent my trustee deems advisable any other income or resources of such minor or of his or her parents known to my Trustee. Such minor's property shall be paid over and distributed to such minor upon attaining age Twenty-one (21), or if he or she shall sooner die, to his or her estate. Whenever my trustee determines it appropriate to pay any money for the benefit of any minor for whom a trust is created hereunder, then such amounts shall be paid out by my trustee in such of the following ways as my trustee deems best: (1) directly to such beneficiary; (2) to the legally appointed guardian of such beneficiary; (3) to some relative or friend for the support, medical care and education of such beneficiary; (4) by my trustee using such amounts directly for such beneficiary's support, medical care and education. In holding any property for a minor under the provisions of this Item, my trustee shall have all the powers and discretions hereinafter conferred upon him as executor.

#### ITEM XI

My executor shall have absolute discretion, but shall not be required, to make adjustments in the rights of any beneficiaries, or among the principal and income accounts, to compensate for the consequences of any tax decision or election, or of any investment or administrative decision, that my executor believes has had the effect, directly or indirectly, of preferring one beneficiary or group of beneficiaries over others. In determining the federal estate and income tax liabilities of my estate, my executor shall have discretion to select the valuation date and to determine whether any or all of the allowable adminis-

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tration expenses in my estate shall be used as federal estate tax deductions or as federal income tax deductions.

ITEM XII

For the purposes of this Will, "children" means the lawful blood descendants in the first degree of the parent designated; and "issue" and "descendants" mean the lawful blood descendants in any degree of the ancestor designated; provided, however, that if a person has been adopted, that person shall be considered a child of such adopting parent and such adopted child and his issue shall be considered as issue of the adopting parent or parents and of anyone who is by blood or adoption an ancestor of the adopting parent or either of the adopting parents.

ITEM XIII

I hereby refrain from exercising any power of appointment that I may have at the time of my death.

ITEM XIV

If any beneficiary and I should die as a result of a common accident or calamity or otherwise under such circumstances as would render it doubtful whether the beneficiary or I died first, then it shall be conclusively presumed for the purposes of this Will that said beneficiary predeceased me.

ITEM XV

My executor is hereby specifically authorized to employ as his custodian or agent a bank or trust company located within the United States; to have stock and securities registered in the name of such bank or trust company or a nominee thereof without designation of fiduciary capacity; to appoint such bank or trust company agent to collect and receive any income; and, in his discretion, to pay out of the principal or income or both of my estate the charges and expenses of any such custodian or agent. While such stock or securities are in the custody of any such bank or trust company, my executor shall be under no obligation to inspect or verify such stock or securities, nor shall he be responsible for any loss by such bank or trust company.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand  
affixed my seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
1974.

A. LOUISE AGNEW

(SEAL)

The foregoing Will consisting of Nine (9) typewritten pages, and this included, the Eight (8) preceding pages thereof bearing on the margin the signature of the Testatrix, was this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1974, signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Testatrix as and for her Last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses hereto.

[Signature] of Lawrence E. Agnew, Jr., N.C.  
[Signature] of Samuel H. Agnew, Jr., N.C.  
[Signature] of Samuel H. Agnew, Jr., N.C.

Filed and Proven in Common Form this 27th day of February, A. D., 1981.

Bobbie D. Wilson  
Bobbie D. Wilson, Probate Judge

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True, Correct & Certified Copy of  
Filed in this Court.

Bobbie D. Wilson  
D. Wilson, Probate Judge

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
COUNTY OF LAURENS )

FIRST CODICIL TO  
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF  
A. LOUISE AGNEW

I, A. Louise Agnew, a resident of the City of Clinton, County and State aforesaid, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be a First Codicil to the Last Will and Testament heretofore made, signed, sealed, published, declared, and executed by me, and bearing the date of 27 June 1974.

FIRST: I hereby amend and modify my said Last Will and Testament by deleting therefrom Items V and VII in their entireties and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

ITEM V

"I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint as executor of this my Last Will and Testament Robert S. Galloway, Jr. and direct that he shall serve without bond. If for any reason he is unable or unwilling to serve or continue to serve then I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint as substitute or successor executor Southern Bank and Trust Company and direct that it shall serve without bond. For its services such executor shall receive an amount which shall be determined by its Standard Fee Schedule in effect and applicable at the time of the performance of such services. If no such schedule shall be in effect at that time, it shall be entitled to reasonable compensation for the services rendered."

and

ITEM VII

"If Southern Bank and Trust Company or any successor as herein defined should fail to qualify as successor executor hereunder, or for any reason should cease to act in such capacity, then I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint as substitute or successor executor some other bank or trust company qualified to do business in the state of my domicile at the time of my death which shall be designated in a written instrument filed with the court having jurisdiction over the probate of my estate and signed by or on behalf of my oldest living niece or nephew or if he or she fails to act, by the court having jurisdiction over my probate estate."

SECOND: I hereby amend and modify my said Last Will and Testament in accordance with the provisions of this First Codicil, and as hereby amended and modified, I hereby confirm, ratify, redeclare and republish my said Last Will and Testament of 27 June 1974.

*A. Louise Agnew*

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the  
14<sup>th</sup> day of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Seven.

SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED AND )  
DECLARED, BY the above named )  
Testatrix, A. Louise Agnew, as )  
and for a First Codicil to her )  
Last Will and Testament consist- )  
ing of two (2) pages, in the )  
sight and presence of us, who )  
at her request, and in her sight )  
and presence, and in the sight )  
and presence of each other have )  
hereunto signed our names as )  
attesting witnesses this the )  
14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1977. )

A. Louise Agnew  
A. Louise Agnew

Bobbie D. Wardell Lawrence, S.C.  
Mary L. Norwood Laurens, S.C.  
Mary B. Holloway Greenville, S.C.

Filed and Proven in Common Form this 27th day of February, A. D., 1981.

Bobbie D. Wilson  
Bobbie D. Wilson, Probate Judge

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ATTEST: True, Correct & Certified Copy of  
original on file in this Court.

Bobbie D. Wilson  
Bobbie D. Wilson, Probate Judge

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the  
14<sup>th</sup> day of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Seven.

SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED AND  
DECLARED, BY the above named  
Testatrix, A. Louise Agnew, as  
and for a First Codicil to her  
Last Will and Testament consist-  
ing of two (2) pages, in the  
sight and presence of us, who  
at her request, and in her sight  
and presence, and in the sight  
and presence of each other have  
hereunto signed our names as  
attesting witnesses this the  
14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1977.

A. Louise Agnew  
A. Louise Agnew

Bobbie D. Wardell Clinton, S.C.  
Mary L. Darwood Laurens, S.C.  
Mary B. Holloway Greenville, S.C.

Filed and Proven in Common Form this 27th day of February, A. D., 1981.

Bobbie D. Wilson  
Bobbie D. Wilson, Probate Judge

Correct & Certified Copy of  
this Court.

B. Wilson

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.  
IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN

LAST WILL & TESTAMENT OF  
AZALEA F. WILLIAMS

I, Azalea F. Williams being of sound and disposing mind and memory, but being mindful of the uncertanties of life, do hereby, make, ordain, publish and declare the following to be my last will and testament, hereby revolking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

Item I. I hereby will, bequeath and devise to my sister, Louise Strozier, all of my property, real and personal, of whatever kind and nature of which I may be seized and possessed of at the time of my death to be hers in fee simple absolutely. This includes the house and lot which was formerly 77 Poplar Street and is now 511 Poplar Street where I now reside, provided I do not sell the same before my death.

Item II. I am not unmindful of any of my relatives or of my husband in making this will, but they are comfortably fixed.

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my sister, Louise Strozier, as executrix of this my last will and testament.

Given under my hand and seal this 2nd day of January, 1963.

Azalea F. Williams (SEAL)

Signed, sealed and delivered by Azalea Finley Williams as and for her last will and testament in our presence and in the presence of each other and at her request have hereunto signed our names in the presence of each other this 2nd day of January, 1963.

James D. Smith  
Mary Dale Williams  
James M. Nichols

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }  
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Probate Judge of said county:

Personally appears \_\_\_\_\_ Myra D. Keith \_\_\_\_\_  
who, being duly sworn, says that she saw \_\_\_\_\_ Azalea F. Williams \_\_\_\_\_  
sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
January \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 1963 \_\_\_\_\_ to be  
and contain \_\_\_\_\_ her \_\_\_\_\_ Last Will and Testament; that the said \_\_\_\_\_  
Azalea F. Williams \_\_\_\_\_ was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according  
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said \_\_\_\_\_ Myra D. Keith \_\_\_\_\_  
together with \_\_\_\_\_ Mary Gale Williams \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ James P. Nickles \_\_\_\_\_ at the request  
of the testatrix \_\_\_\_\_ in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ 7th \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
April \_\_\_\_\_, Anno Domini 19 81  
*Bessie Lee F. Nance*  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

*Myra D. Keith*

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of \_\_\_\_\_ Louise Strozier \_\_\_\_\_  
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with  
codicil \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_ Azalea F. Williams \_\_\_\_\_, deceased, be entered of  
Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this \_\_\_\_\_ 7th \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ April \_\_\_\_\_, 19 81.

*Bessie Lee F. Nance*  
Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }  
Abbeville County.

I \_\_\_\_\_ do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named and that \_\_\_\_\_  
Azalea F. Williams \_\_\_\_\_ deceased, so far as I \_\_\_\_\_ know or believe;  
and that I \_\_\_\_\_ will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the  
said Will, as far as \_\_\_\_\_ her \_\_\_\_\_ goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me and that  
I \_\_\_\_\_ will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help  
me \_\_\_\_\_ God.

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ 7th \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
April \_\_\_\_\_, Anno Domini 19 81  
*Bessie Lee F. Nance*  
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

*Louise Strozier*

(The Postoffice Address of each Fiduciary must be shown)

Attorney's Name and Address: \_\_\_\_\_