

Last Will and Testament

of James Corder -- Pickaway County, Ohio

Pickaway County, OHIO

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JAMES CORDER

In the name of the Benevolent Father of all:

I James Corder of the county of Pickaway and State of Ohio do make and publish this last will and testament.

Item – 1st

I give and devise to the children of my deceased daughter Phebe Corder late the wife of Jesse Corder the sum of one hundred dollars each to be paid to them as they shall attain the age majority respectively and if any of said children should die before becoming of age the amount herein bequeathed to any child so dying shall be divided in equal portions among the other children of said Phebe that shall then be living.

Item – 2nd

I give and devise to the children of my deceased daughter Patty Hall the sum of one hundred dollars each to be paid as they respectively attain the age of majority and in case of the death of either before attaining that age the portion to which such child would be entitled to be equally divided between the other children of said Patty that shall be living.

Item – 3rd

I give and devise to the children of my daughter Polly Gear deceased the sum of one hundred dollars each to be paid to them as they shall attain the age of majority respectively and if any of said children should die before becoming of age the portion to which the child so dying would be entitled is to be equally divided between the children of said Polly that shall then be living.

Item 4th

I give and devise to my daughter Amelia Gear wife of William Gear for her own use and benefit free from the control of her said husband the sum of five hundred dollars.

Item 5th

All the residue of my property real and personal after paying my debts and the above bequests I devise and bequeath in equal portions to my children William Corder, James Harrison Corder, Jackson Corder, Sarah Corder wife of Bryant Corder, Elizabeth Corder wife of Griffin Corder and Jane Edmons

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wife of John Edmons during their natural life and after their death to their heirs respectively the portions above devised to my said daughters to be for their use and benefit and not subject in any way to the control of their said husbands otherwise than by the consent of said daughters.

Item 6th

I hereby nominate and appoint my friend Ezekiel Morris, Esqr. of said county executor of my last will and testament. I do not hereby revoke all former wills by me made – In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this 8th day of October AD 1849.

his
James Corder
mark

Signed and acknowledge by said James Corder as his last will and testament in our presence and signed by us in his presence.

T.C. Jones
C.N. Olds

The State of Ohio Pickaway County SS:

We C.N. Olds and T.C. Jones being duly sworn in open court this 14th April AD 1854 depose and say that we were present at the execution of the last will and testament of James Corder hereunto annexed that we saw said testator subscribe said will and heard him publish and declare....

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