
LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF:

**IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA**

BOBBIE JEANNE DUNCAN LEDBETTER
Deceased

CASE NO: 20BHM01797

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

The Will of the above-named deceased having been duly admitted to record in said county, **Letters Testamentary** are hereby granted to **SCOTT ALLEN LEDBETTER and DEAN DAVID LEDBETTER** the Personal Representatives named in said will, who has complied with the requisitions of the law and is authorized to administer the estate. Subject to the priorities stated in §43-8-76, Code of Alabama (1975, as amended), the said Personal Representative, acting prudently for the benefit of interested persons, has all the powers authorized in transactions under §43-2-843, Code of Alabama (1975, as Amended).

WITNESS my hand this date, **25TH day of JANUARY, 2022**

(SEAL)

SHERRI C. FRIDAY
Judge of Probate

I, SHERRI C. FRIDAY, Judge of Probate Court of Jefferson County, Alabama, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, correct and full copy of the **Letters Testamentary** issued in the above styled cause as appears of record in said Court. I further certify that said Letters are still in full force and effect.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court this date, **JULY 7, 2022**

Sherri C. Friday

Judge of Probate

IN THE MATTER OF:

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JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA**

THE ESTATE OF:

CASE NO. 20BHM01797

**BOBBIE JEANNE DUNCAN LEDBETTER
aka BOBBIE DUNCAN LEDBETTER
DECEASED**

ORDER ON FILING AND PROBATING LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

This day came Scott Allen Ledbetter and Dean David Ledbetter and filed a petition in writing, under oath, therewith producing and filing in this Court an instrument of writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Bobbie Duncan Ledbetter, deceased. Said Will bears the date of June 3, 1997, and is attested to by James Jackson Bethune, Jr. and Margaret Ann Bethune. Praying that the same be probated as provided by law, the petitioners, Scott Allen Ledbetter and Dean David Ledbetter, are the sons of said deceased, and is named in said Will as Personal Representative thereof. The next of kin of said deceased are as follows, to-wit: Scott Allen Ledbetter and Dean David Ledbetter, of whom are all over nineteen years of age and of sound mind.

And thereupon comes each of the above named next of kin, expressly waiving all notice of the petition to probate said Will and consenting that the same be probated at once, and the Court having ascertained by sufficient evidence that the signatures affixed to said waivers of notice and acceptance of service are the genuine signatures of said next of kin, on motion of said petitioner, the Court proceeds to hear said petition. After due proof, according to the laws of this state, the Court is satisfied and is of the opinion that said instrument is the genuine Last Will and Testament of said deceased, and that such instrument should be probated as the Last Will and Testament of said deceased. It is, therefore,

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that said instrument be duly admitted to probate as the Last Will and Testament of Bobbie Duncan Ledbetter, deceased, and is **ORDERED** to be recorded together with the proof thereof and all other papers on file relating to this proceeding. It is further **ORDERED** that petitioner pay the cost of this proceeding.

DONE this date, January 25, 2022.

Alfred C. Friday

Judge of Probate

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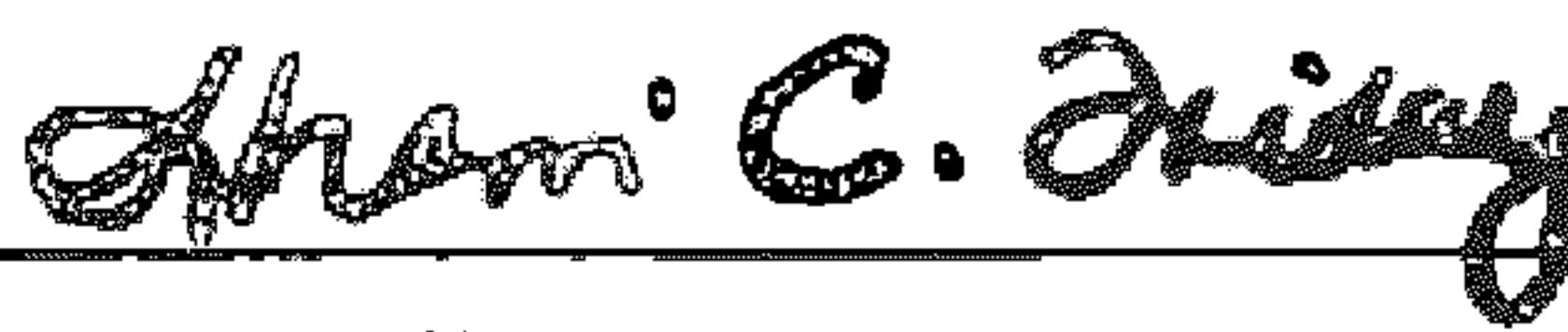
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ORDER GRANTING LETTERS TESTAMENTARY WITHOUT BOND

Now on this day comes Scott Allen Ledbetter and Dean David Ledbetter and files in this Court his petition in writing, under oath, praying that Letters Testamentary upon the Will of Bobbie Duncan Ledbetter, deceased, be issued to Scott Allen Ledbetter and Dean David Ledbetter.

It is therefore **ORDERED** and **DECREED** by the Court that Letters Testamentary upon said will be granted to Scott Allen Ledbetter and Dean David Ledbetter, and that said letters issue without bond or security being required, in accordance with the terms of said will. It is further **ORDERED** that the petition in this behalf be recorded.

DONE this date, January 25, 2022.



Judge of Probate

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**LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF
BOBBIE DUNCAN LEDBETTER**

I, Bobbie Duncan Ledbetter, of Pelham, Alabama, revoke my former Wills and Codicils and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament.

**ARTICLE I
PAYMENT OF DEBTS AND EXPENSES**

A. I direct that my just debts, funeral expenses and expenses of last illness be first paid from my estate.

**ARTICLE II
DISPOSITION OF PROPERTY**

A. Tangible Personal Property. Subject to the preceding provisions of this will, I direct that all of my jewelry, clothing, personal items, furniture, household furnishings, automobile(s), and other items of tangible personal property be distributed to my spouse, Allen Thurman Ledbetter, Jr..

If my spouse does not survive me, my tangible personal property shall be distributed to my child(ren) in equal shares. If a child of mine does not survive me, such deceased child's share shall be distributed in equal shares to the children of such deceased child who survive me, by right of representation. If a child of mine does not survive me and has no children who survive me, such deceased child's share shall be distributed in equal shares to my other child(ren), if any, or to their respective children by right of representation. If no child of mine survives me, and if none of my deceased child(ren) are survived by child(ren), my tangible personal property shall be distributed to the beneficiaries of my residuary estate.

B. Residuary. I direct that my residuary estate be distributed to Stephanie Stafford Ledbetter, 2505 Indian Crest Drive, Pelham, Alabama 35124. If such beneficiary does not survive me, my residuary estate shall be distributed to my heirs-at-law as determined under the laws of the State of Alabama.

**ARTICLE III
NOMINATION OF EXECUTOR**

A. I nominate Scott Allen Ledbetter, of Hoover, Alabama, and Dean David Ledbetter, of Pelham, Alabama, as Co-Executors, without bond. If one of the above nominees does not serve for any reason, the remaining nominee shall serve as sole Executor without bond.

**ARTICLE IV
EXECUTOR POWERS**

A. My Executor, in addition to other powers and authority granted by law or necessary or appropriate for proper administration, shall have the right and power to lease, sell, mortgage, or otherwise encumber any real or personal property that may be included in my estate, without order of court and without notice to anyone.

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**ARTICLE V
MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

A. Paragraph Titles and Gender. The titles given to the paragraphs of this Will are inserted for reference purposes only and are not to be considered as forming a part of this Will in interpreting its provisions. All words used in this Will in any gender shall extend to and include all genders and in numbers when the context or facts so require, and any pronouns shall be taken to refer to the person or persons intended regardless of gender or number.

B. Thirty Day Survival Requirement. For the purposes of determining the appropriate distributions under this Will, no person or organization shall be deemed to have survived me, unless such person or entity is also surviving on the thirtieth day after the date of my death.

C. Spouse. I am married to Allen Thurman Ledbetter, Jr. and all references in this Will to "my spouse" are references to Allen Thurman Ledbetter, Jr..

D. Children. The names of my children are:

Scott Allen Ledbetter
Dean David Ledbetter

All references in this Will to "my child" or "my children" include the above child (or children) and any other children born to me after the signing of this Will.

E. Beneficiary Disputes. If any bequest requires that the bequest be distributed between or among two or more beneficiaries, the specific items of property comprising the respective shares shall be determined by the such beneficiaries if they can agree, and if not, by my Executor.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Bobbie Duncan Ledbetter, the testator, sign my name to this instrument this 3rd day of June, 1997 and being first duly sworn, do hereby declare to the undersigned authority that I sign and execute this instrument as my last will, and that I sign willingly, that I execute it as my free and voluntary act for the purposes therein expressed, and that I am nineteen (19) years of age or older, of sound mind and under no constraint or undue influence.

Bobbie Duncan Ledbetter
Bobbie Duncan Ledbetter.

We, James Jackson Bethune, Jr., and Margaret Ann Bethune, the witnesses, sign our name to this instrument, being first duly sworn, and do hereby declare to the undersigned authority, that the testator signs and executes this instrument as his last will and that he signs it willingly, and that each of us in the presence and hearing of the testator hereby signs this will as witness to the testator's signing, and that to the best of our knowledge the testator is nineteen (19) years of age or older, of sound mind, and under no constraint or undue influence.

James J. Bethune Jr.
James Jackson Bethune, Jr.,
residing at 5385 Meadow Brook Road, Birmingham, Alabama
35242

Margaret A. Bethune
Margaret Ann Bethune,
residing at 5385 Meadow Brook Road, Birmingham, Alabama
35242.

State of Alabama
County of Jefferson

Subscribed, sworn to and acknowledged before me by Bobbie Duncan Ledbetter, the Testator, and subscribed and sworn to before me by James Jackson Bethune, Jr., and Margaret Ann Bethune, the witnesses, this 3rd day of June, 1997.

Paul C. Ballenger
Notary Public

NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF ALABAMA AT LARGE.
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: May 5, 2001.
BONDED THRU NOTARY PUBLIC UNDERWRITERS.

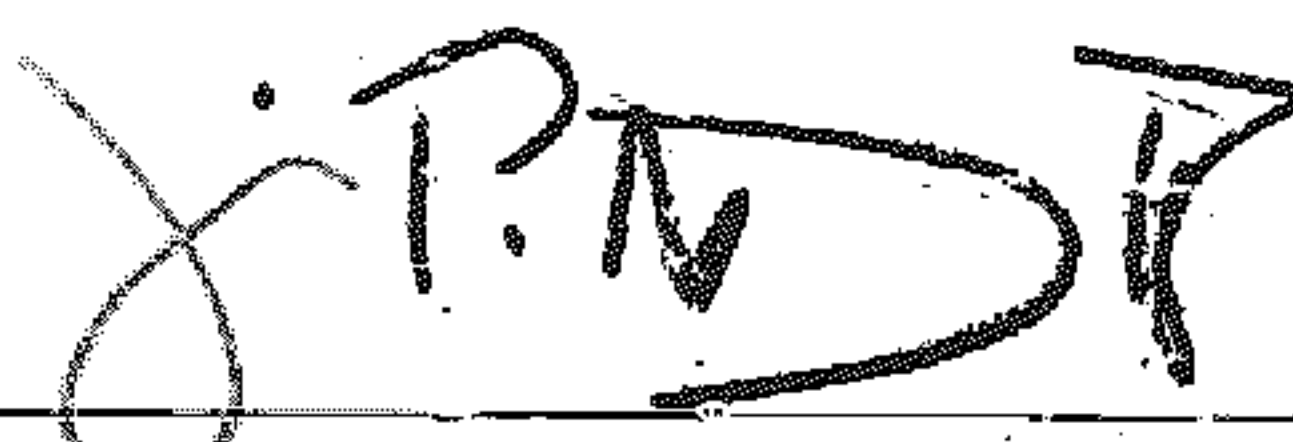
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JEFFERSON COUNTY**

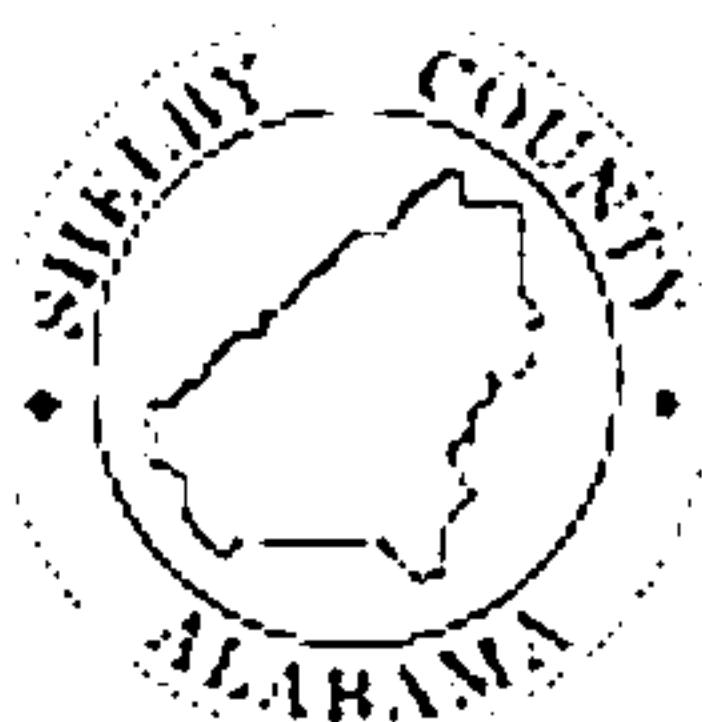
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I, **JAMES P. NAFTEL II**, Judge of Probate Court, in and for said County in said State hereby certify that the foregoing contains a full, true and correct copy of the, **LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, ORDER GRANTING LETTERS TESTAMENTARY WITHOUT BOND, ORDER ON FILING AND PROBATING LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, AND LETTERS TESTAMENTARY** in the matter of THE ESTATE OF BOBBIE JEANNE DUNCAN LEDBETTER as the same appears on file and of record, in this office.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court this date,
JULY 7, 2022



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