

GERALDINE ANDERSON,

Complainant,

I IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

vs.

I BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MORRIS ANDERSON, JR.,

IN EQUITY

Respondent.

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TO THE HONORABLE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, IN EQUITY, AND TO THE HONORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE THEREOF:

Comes your Petitioner, the undersigned Geraldine Anderson, and respectfully represents and shows unto your Honor and unto this Honorable Court as follows:

FIRST:

That she is over the age of twenty-one years and is presently residing in the State of Michigan, her more particular address being 1357 East Alexanderine Street, Detroit 7, Michigan. That the Respondent is over the age of twenty-one years and is presently residing in Corpus Christi, Texas, his more particular address being unknown to your Complainant.

SECOND:

That your Complainant and the Respondent were married on November 6, 1945, in Bay Minette, Alabama, but they have been separated for approximately four years. That four children were born to your Complainant and the Respondent; Emmanuel Earl Anderson, who is now ten years of age, Lary Labon Anderson, who is now eight years of age, Lauretta Anderson, who is now five years of age and Diane Anderson, who is now four years of age.

THIRD:

That all of said children are presently residing with your Complainant's mother in Bay Minette, Alabama, and your Complainant's mother is unable to properly maintain and educate said children without financial help from your Complainant and the Respondent. That the Respondent has never contributed to the support of said minor children since his separation from your Complainant and your Complainant is informed and believes and upon such information and belief alleges that the Respondent is gainfully employed in Texas and

is able to assist your Complainant and her mother in careing for said children. That it is to the best interest of said children that they remain in Bay Minette with your Complainant's mother whose home is in all respects suitable and proper and a correct environment for said children. That your Complainant has regularly sent to her mother financial help but she is unable to send all that is required in the circumstances.

PRAYER FOR PROCESS:

The premises considered your Complainant respectfully prays that the Respondent, Morris Anderson, Jr., be made a partyto this cause by the usual writ of process requiring him to plead or answer to this complaint within the time prescribed by law and the rules of this Honorable Court.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF:

The premises considered your Complainant respectfully prays that upon a final determination of this proceeding that your Honor will enter an order requiring the Respondent to contribute monthly to the support and maintenance of his said minor children and will award the custody of said children to your Complainant with the right in her to leave said children with her said mother. And your Complainant prays for such other, further and different relief as in Equity will be meet and proper.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

WAYNE COUNTY

Public in and for said County in said State, personally appeared Geraldine Anderson who is known to me and who, after being by me first duly and legally sworn, did depose and say under oath as follows:

That her name is Geraldine Anderson and that her name is signed to the foregoing petition and that the facts alleged therein are true.

Dated this 25 day of November, 1954.

X <u>Geraldine Anderson</u>
Geraldine Anderson

Sworn to and subscribed

before me this 6 day

of November, 1954.

Notary Fublic, Wayne County, Michigan