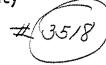
# The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

## CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY



W. C. SMITH Complainant
vs.
JUDY HARRIS SHITH
JUDY HARRIS SMITH, Respondent
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sideration thereof, the Court is of the opinion that the Complainant is entitled to the relief prayed for
said bill.
It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the bonds of matrimony heretof
existing between the Complainant and Defendant be, and the same are hereby dissolved, and that the
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to each other until sixty days after the rendition of this decree, and that if appeal is taken within six
lays, neither party shall again marry except to each other during the pendency of said appeal.
It is further ordered that the Complainant and Respondent be, and they are hereby permitted
again contract marriage upon payment of the cost of this suit.
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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

In Circuit Court, In Equity

W. C. SMITH

Complainant
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JUDY HARRIS SMITH

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W. C. SMITH COMPLAINANT

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

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BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

JUDY HARRIS SMITH RESPONDENT IN EQUITY

NO. 3518.

#### APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN AD LITEM

In this cause, it appearing to the Register, Alice J. Duck, that Judy Harris Smith, is a minor, and,

In the said proceeding it being made to appear to the Register, Alice J. Duck, that the said minor, Judy Harris Smith, is interested in the result of said proceedings for divorce.

It is therefore Ordered, by the Register that Wilson Hayes be and he is hereby appointed Guardian Ad Litem to represent the said Judy Harris Smith, a minor, upon hearing of the said proceedings.

Done this oth day of July, 1955.

CONSENT TO ACT

I, Wilson Hayes, hereby consent to act as guardian ad litem for Judy Harris Smith, a minor upon hearing of the above cause.

Witness my hand this 8th. day of July, 1955.

Guardian Ad Kitem

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABALA:

You are hereby commanded to summons JUDY HARRIS SMITH, to appear and plead, answer or demur within thirty days from the service hereof to the bill of complaint filed in the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, in Equity, by W. C. SMITH as Complainant and against JUDY HARRIS SMITH, as Respondent.

WITNESS my hand this the \_s-a day of \_Many 1955.

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W. C. SMITH

COMPLAINANT

VS

JUDY WARRIES SMITH

RESPONDENT

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
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IN EQUITY.

TO HOMORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN GOUNTY, ALABAMA, IN EQUITY:

Your Complainant, W. C. Smith, respectfully represents unto your Honor and this Honorable Court as follows:

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That your Complainant is a bona fide resident of Baldwin Jounty, Alabama, and over twenty years of age; that the Respondent is over sixteen years of age and a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama.

2.

That your Complainant and the Respondent married in Baldwin County, Alabama, on June 22, 1952, and lived together as husband and wife until on to-wit September 1, 1952.

That on to-wit; September 1, 1950, while your Complainant and Respondent were living together as husband and wife, in Baldwin County, Alabama, the Respondent voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of your Complainant and has remained away voluntarily and continuously since that time.

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There are no children as fruits of this marriage and no property to be divided.

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, the complainant prays that your honor will by proper process make the said Judy Harris Smith party respondent to this cause of action, requiring her to plead, answer or demur to the same

within the time and under the penalties prescribed by law and the practice of this Honorable Court.

derect award to him a decree of divorce forever barring the bonds of matrimony existing between your complainant and the respondent, and that he be granted such other, further, different or general relief as he may be in equity and good conscience entitled to receive.

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That my name is W. U. Smith. I am over the age of 20 and a resident of Baldwin Scunty, Alabama and have been all my life. The respondent is over the age of 16 and is a bona fide resident of Baldwin Scunty, Alabama. We were married in Leaksville, Mississippi on June 22, 1952 and lived together as husband and wife until on or about the first of September 1952 at which time the respondent voluntarily abandoned my bed and board and we have not lived together as husband and wife since that day. I do not believe we will aver-live begother again as husband and wife. There are no children as fruits of this marriage and no property to be divided. I respectfully ask this Honorable Court to grant me a divorce.

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That my name is Connie Smith. I know both parties to this cause. The complainant is over the age of 20 years and is a resident of Faldwin County, Alabama and has resided here all of his life. The Respondent is over the age of 16 years and was also raised in Baldwin County. They were married in Leaksville, Mississippi on June 21, 1952 and lived together until about the first of September, 1952 when the respondent abandaned the complainant without fault on his part. So far as I know they have not lived together as husband and wife since that time. They have no children as fruits of this carriage and so property to be divided. I do not believe they will ever live together again as husband and wife.

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JUDY HARRIS SHITH

RESPONDENT

IN THE CIRCUIT OCURT OF BALLEVIN OCURTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY.

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The Respondent admits the allegations as to ages, marriage and residence, but denies all other allegations contained in the bill of complaint, and demands strict proof of the same.

The Respondent waives notice of the time of taking of testimony on behalf of the Complainant; the right to cross-examine Complainant's witnesses; and agrees that this cause be submitted for final decree without further notice.

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STATE OF allowa COUNTY OF Jefferson

I, See 3 ff , a Motary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Judy Harris Smith, whose name is signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the conveyance, she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

. Given under my hand and seal or this the 8th day of June, 1955.

Notary Public,

W. C. SMITH

COMPLAINANT

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WITNESS my hand this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1955.

Register.

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COMPLAINANT

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Done this 8th day of July, 1955.

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#### CONSENT TO ACT

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Witness my hand this 8th. day of July, 1955.

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COMPLAINANT

VS

JUDY HARRIS SHITH

RESPONDENT

IN THE STROUT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA IN EQUITY.

Comes the Respondent, Judy Harris Smith, a minor, by Wilson Hayes her Guardian ad Litem and for answer to the bill of complaint heretofore filed in this cause says:

Now comes the Respondent and accepted service of the summons and complaint in this cause.

The Respondent admits the allegations as to ages, marriage and residence, but denies all other allegations combained in the bill of complaint, and demands strict proof of the same.

The Respondent waives notice of the time of taking of testimony on behalf of the Complainant; the right to cross-examine Complainant's witnesses; and agrees that this cause be submitted for final decree without further

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