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DIVORCE DECREE

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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

MARY ADRIENNE WRIGHT BONHAM, Complainant

vs.

PAUL GEORGE BONHAM, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, Decree Pro Confesso on answer and waiver and Testimony as noted by the Register, and upon consideration thereof, the Court is of the opinion that the Complainant is entitled to the relief prayed for in said bill.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between the Complainant and Defendant be, and the same are hereby dissolved, and that the said Mary Adrienne Wright Bonham is forever divorced from the said Paul George Bonham for and on account of Desertion. And it is further ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Complainant be, and she hereby is, granted the right to regain and use her maiden name of Mary Adrienne Wright.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that neither party to this suit shall again marry except to each other until sixty days after the rendition of this decree, and that if appeal is taken within sixty days, 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 to again contract marriage upon payment of the cost of this suit.

It is further ordered that ~~Respondent~~ Mary Adrienne Wright, the Complainant, pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which executed may issue.

This 7th day of June, 1955

Hubert M. Hall

Judge Circuit Court, In Equity.

I, _____, Register of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original decree rendered by the Judge of the Circuit Court in the above stated cause, which said decree is on file and enrolled in my office.

Witness my hand and seal this _____ day of _____, 19____

Register of Circuit Court, In Equity.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

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Mary Adrienne Wright

Bonham

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Mary Adrienne Wright Bonham,
Complainant

vs.

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Respondent

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

IN EQUITY
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

This cause is submitted in behalf of Complaint upon the original Bill of Complaint,
and testimony of Mary Adrienne Wright and Mary Wright

and in behalf of Defendant upon Answer and waiver.

W. L. Hagen

Alice J. ...
Register.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

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NOTE OF TESTIMONY

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

Circuit Court

TO:

Lena N. Chestnut

KNOW YE: That we, having full faith in your prudence and competency, have appointed you Commissioner, and by these presents do authorize you, as such time and place as you may appoint, to call before you and examine *Mary Adrienne Wright Bonham and Mary Wright*

a witnesses in behalf of *Court* in a cause pending in our Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein

Mary Adrienne Wright Bonham

and *Paul George Bonham*, Complainant

Respondent on oath, to be by you administered, upon *these* to take and certify the deposition of the witness and return the same to our Court, with all convenient speed, under your hand.

Witness *1st* day of *June*, 195*4*

Alice J. Newell
Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$ _____

Witness' Fees, \$ _____

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
(In Equity)

MARY ADRIENE WRIGHT BONHAM

Complainant

VS.

PAUL GEORGE BONHAM

Respondent

I, Lena M. Chesnutt

as Register and Commissioner

have called and caused to come before me Mary Adriene Wright Bonham as
Complainant's

witness named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the _____ day of _____
195____, at the office of _____
in Bay Minette, Alabama, and having first sworn said Witness _____ to speak the
truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Mary Adriene Wright
Bonham doth depose and say as follows:

My name is Mary Adriene Wright Bonham and I am twenty two years old and I live in Bay Minette, Alabama. I know that Paul Bonham is twenty five years old. We were married in Mobile, Alabama on August 20, 1953. On November 22, 1953 my husband, Paul George Bonham, left our home and never came back. Since that time, we have not lived together in any way. I have tried to get him to come back to me many times but he has never done so. I asked him to let me come and live with him many times, but he wouldn't let me come live with him.

There are no children born to us.

Mary Adriene Wright Bonham
MARY ADRIENE WRIGHT BONHAM

ORAL EXAMINATION.

I, Lena M. Chesnutt, as Register and Commissioner hereby certify that the foregoing deposition on Oral Examination was taken down by me in writing in the words of the witness and read over to her and she signed the same in the presence of myself _____

at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witness or had proof made before me of the identity of said witness; that I am not of counsel or kin to any of the parties to said cause, or any manner interested in the result thereof

I enclose the said Oral Examination in an envelope to the Register of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal, this 7th day of May, 1955

Lena M. Chesnutt (L. S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

MARY ADRIENE WRIGHT BONHAM

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Respondent.

Oral Deposition

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
(In Equity)

MARY ADRIENE WRIGHT BONEHAM

Complainant

VS.

PAUL GEORGE BONEHAM

Respondent

I, Lena M. Chesnutt

as Register and Commissioner

have called and caused to come before me Mary Wright

witness named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the _____ day of _____
195____, at the office of _____
in Bay Minette, Alabama, and having first sworn said Witness _____ to speak the
truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Mary Wright
doth depose and say as follows:

My name is Mary Wright. I am over twenty one years of age and I live in Baldwin County, Alabama. I am acquainted with the Complainant in this case. I have known her for all her life. I know that the Complainant in this case was married to Paul Bonham in August, 1953. I know that they have not been living together as husband and wife since November, 1953. I have on several occasions since that time heard the Complainant, Adriene Bonham, beg the Respondent, Paul Bonham, to come back to her. He would not do as she said. I also heard on more than one occasion Adriene Bonham offer to come and live with Paul Bonham but he refused to let her do so.

Mary Wright
MARY WRIGHT

ORAL EXAMINATION.

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Given under my hand and seal, this 7th day of May, 1955

Lena M. Chestnutt (L. S.)

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MARY ADRIENE VERICHT BONHAM,
COMPLAINANT,
VS
PAUL GEORGE BONHAM,
RESPONDENT,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY

The Respondent, in her own proper person, and admits the allegations contained in the Bill of Complaint filed in the above styled cause, as to ages residence, marriage, and children, but denies all other allegations contained therein and demands strict proof thereof.

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

Paul George Bonham
PAUL GEORGE BONHAM, Respondent

RECORDED

STATE OF ALABAMA

I, Wilson Hayer, a Notary Public in and for said county and state, hereby certify that Paul George Bonham, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that being informed of the contents of the instrument, executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal this 28th day of April, 1955

Wilson Hayer
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Ala.

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BALDWIN COUNTY, ALA.
NOTARY PUBLIC

STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to summon PAUL GEORGE BONHAM 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 MARY ADRIENE WRIGHT BONHAM, as Complainant and against PAUL GEORGE BONHAM, as Respondent.

Witness my hand this ____ day of April, 1955.

REGISTER

MARY ADRIENE WRIGHT BONHAM,)	IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
COMPLAINANT,	(BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
-vs-)	IN EQUITY
PAUL GEORGE BONHAM,	(NO. _____
RESPONDENT.)	

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

Your Complainant, Mary Adriene Wright Bonham, respectfully represents and shows unto your Honor and this Honorable Court as follows:

I

That your Complainant is 22 years of age and is a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and that Respondent is 25 years of age and is a resident of Mobile County, Alabama.

II

That Complainant and Respondent were married in Mobile, Alabama, on August 20, 1953, and that they lived together as husband and wife until, to-wit, November 22, 1953.

III

That on to-wit, November 22, 1953, Respondent abandoned Complainant, and removed himself from their home and never returned; and that though often requested to do so, Respondent has never returned to Complainant though often requested and intreated to do so, and has refused to allow Complainant to live with him though often requested to do so; and that Respondent has lived separate and apart from Complainant from November 22, 1953 to this date.

IV

That there is no issue of this marriage.

V

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That there is no property involved.

VI

Now therefore, the premises considered, Complainant prays that this Honorable Court will cause process to issue to the said Respondent, Paul George Bonham, requiring him to plead, answer, or demur to same within the time allowed by law.

And Complainant further prays that upon final hearing of this cause, your Honor will grant to her and absolute divorce forever barring the bonds of matrimony existing between Complainant and Respondent, and granting Complainant the right to resume and use her maiden name of Mary Adriene Wright, and that your Honor will grant such other, further, different or general relief to which Complainant may be in equity and good conscience entitled.

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ALICE J. DUCK, Clerk

Wilson Hayes
SOLICITOR FOR COMPLAINANT

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