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DIVORCE DECREE

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The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

WANDA MARIE STANLEY, Complainant

vs.

BURNETTE WILLIAM STANLEY, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, ~~Decree Pro Confesso~~ 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 WANDA MARIE STANLEY is forever divorced from the said BURNETTE WILLIAM STANLEY for and on account of

Abandonment. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that the Complainant, Wanda Marie Stanley, is awarded the custody and control of the minor children of this marriage, namely, Martin Stanley, 4 years of age, and Michael Stanley, 2 years of age, and that the Respondent, Burnette William Stanley, shall have reasonable rights of visitation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that the said Burnette William Stanley pay to the Complainant, Wanda Marie Stanley, the sum of \$20.00 per week for the maintenance and support of the said children, and that in addition thereto, he pay medical and hospital expenses, and that he pay a sum not to exceed \$150.00 per year for clothing.

It is futher 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 futher 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 futher ordered that Burnette William Stanley the Respondent pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which executed may issue.

This 28 day of October 1959

Hubert M. J. [Signature]

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 the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Register of Circuit Court, In Equity.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

In Circuit Court, In Equity

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REGISTER

WANDA MARIE STANLEY,	)	
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Complainant,	)	IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
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-vs-	)	BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
	)	
BURNETTE WILLIAM STANLEY,	)	IN EQUITY
	)	
Respondent.	)	

TO THE HONORABLE H. M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, Sitting in Equity:-

Comes your Complainant, Wanda Marie Stanley, and files this  
her Bill of Complaint for divorce against Burnette William  
Stanley, and respectfully represents and shows unto your Honor:-

1. That the Complainant is over the age of twenty-one years  
and is a bona fide resident citizen of Baldwin County, Alabama,  
having been such a bona fide resident citizen for more than one  
year next preceeding the filing of this Bill of Complaint; that  
Burnette William Stanley is over the age of twenty-one years, and  
is a resident of the State of Alabama, residing in Mobile, Alabama.

2. That the Complainant and Respondent were lawfully  
married on, to-wit, August 17, 1954.

3. Complainant further avers that said Respondent voluntari-  
ly abandoned the bed and board of the Complainant, more than one  
year next preceeding the filing of this Bill of Complaint, since  
which time Complainant and Respondent have not lived together nor  
in any way recognized each other as husband and wife.

4. Complainant further shows unto the Court that there was  
born of this marriage two children, namely, Martin Stanley, age  
4 years, and Michael Stanley, age 2 years, who are in the care,  
custody and control of the Complainant, and that it is to the  
best interest of the children that they remain with her. Complain-  
ant further shows that the Respondent is gainfully employed, and  
is financially able to pay the sum of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) per  
week for the support of the said minor children, and in addition  
thereto, to pay for their clothing, and medical and hospital  
expenses.

PRAYER FOR PROCESS AND RELIEF

THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, your Complainant prays that Burnette  
William Stanley be made a party defendant to this cause by the

c. g. c.

usual process of this Honorable Court, requiring him to plead, answer or demur within the time and under the penalties prescribed by the rules of this Court and the Statutes in such cases made and provided; that upon a final hearing of this cause, that your Complainant be granted a divorce from the Respondent, and that the Complainant be granted custody and control of the minor children, and that the Respondent be required to pay the sum of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) per week, and in addition thereto, to pay for all of their clothing, and to pay all of the medical or hospital expenses, all as support and maintenance for said minor children. Should your Complainant be mistaken in the relief prayed for, that there be granted to her such other, different, further and general relief to which she may be entitled and as in duty bound, she will ever pray.

*Filed*  
*Oct. 28, 1959*  
*Alice J. Duck,*  
*Register*

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Solicitor for Complainant

COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
Baldwin County

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Circuit Court

TO: FRANCES G. MALLORY

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 Wanda Marie Stanley and Ernestine Linton

a witness in behalf of Wanda Marie Stanley  
Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein

in a cause pending in our

WANDA MARIE STANLEY

, Complainant

and BURNETTE WILLIAM STANLEY

Respondent

on oath, to be by you administered, upon them  
to take and certify the deposition s of the witnesses and return the same to our Court, with all convenient speed, under your hand.

Witness 28 day of October

, 1959

*Frances G. Mallory*  
Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$

Witness' Fees, \$

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
Baldwin County

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CIRCUIT COURT

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WANDA MARIE STANLEY

vs. Complainant

BURNETTE WILLIAM STANLEY

Defendant

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COMMISSION TO TAKE DEPOSITION

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COMMISSIONER:

WITNESSES:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama  
(In Equity)

WANDA MARIE STANLEY COMPLAINANT

vs.

BURNETTE WILLIAM STANLEY RESPONDENT

I, Frances G. Mallory

as Register and Commissioner in Chancery

have called and caused to come before me Wanda Marie Stanley and Ernestine Linton

witnesses named in the requirement for Oral Examination, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of October  
19 59 , at the office of C. G. Chason

in Foley , Alabama, and having first sworn said witnesses to speak the

truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Wanda Marie Stanley and

Ernestine Linton doth depose and say as follows:

TESTIMONY OF WANDA MARIE STANLEY:

My name is Wanda Marie Stanley. I am over the age of twenty-one years and am a resident citizen of Baldwin County, Alabama, having resided in Summerdale, Alabama, for more than 1 year. Burnette William Stanley is over the age of twenty-one years and is a resident citizen of Mobile, Alabama. We were married on August 17, 1954, and lived together as husband and wife until May 25, 1958, at which time the said Burnette William Stanley voluntarily and with no cause abandoned my bed and board and we have not lived together as husband and wife nor recognized each other as such since that time. There was born of this marriage two children, Martin Stanley, who is 4 years of age and Michael Stanley, who is 2 years of age. They are in my care, custody and control. Burnette William Stanley is gainfully employed and is financially able to pay the sum of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) per week for the support and maintenance of the said minor children, and in addition thereto to pay for any medical or hospital expenses, and clothing to a maximum of One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) per year.

SIGNED: Wanda M Stanley

TESTIMONY OF ERNESTINE LINTON:

MY name is Ernestine Linton. I am personally acquainted with Wanda Marie Stanley and Burnette William Stanley. She is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, having been a resident of Summerdale for more than one year. He is presently residing in Mobile, Alabama. They are both over the age of 21 years. They were married on August 17, 1954, and lived together as husband and wife until May of 1958, at which time he voluntarily and with no cause abandoned her bed and board and they have not lived together as husband and wife since that time. There are two children of this marriage, Martin Stanley, who is 4 years of age, and Michael Stanley, who is 2 years of age. They are in the custody and control of their mother, who is a fit and proper person to have such custody.

SIGNED: Ernestine Linton

**ORAL EXAMINATION**

I, **FRANCES G. MALLORY** as Register and Commissioner hereby certify that the foregoing deposition on Oral Examination was taken down in writing by me in the words of the witness es and read over to them and they signed the same in the presence of myself and **C. G. Chason** at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witnesses or had proof made before me of the identity of said witnesses ; that I am not of counsel or of 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 **28** day of **October**, 19**59**.

*Frances G. Mallory* (L. S.)

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**THE STATE OF ALABAMA**  
**BALDWIN COUNTY**

**IN CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY**

**WANDA MARIE STANLEY**

**COMPLAINANT**

vs.

**BURNETTE WILLIAM STANLEY**

**RESPONDENT**

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**CECIL G. CHASON**

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW  
FOLEY, ALABAMA

October 26, 1959

Mrs. Alice J. Duck, Register  
Bay Minette, Alabama

Dear Mrs. Duck:

Enclosed herewith is Bill of Complaint, Answer and Waiver, Testimony of Wanda Marie Stanley and Ernestine Linton, Note of Testimony and Final Decree in the Divorce proceeding of Stanley -vs- Stanley.

There is also enclosed my check in the amount of \$13.50, in payment of the Costs of Court.

Yours very truly,



C. G. Chason

CGC:fm

encls. as noted.

WANDA MARIE STANLEY

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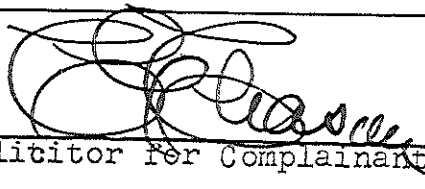
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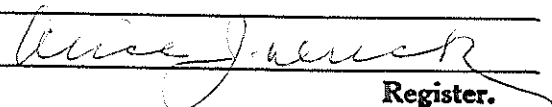
THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
Baldwin County

IN EQUITY  
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

This cause is submitted in behalf of Complaint upon the original Bill of Complaint,  
and testimony of Wanda Marie Stanley and Ernestine Linton

and in behalf of Defendant upon Answer and Waiver

  
Solicitor for Complainant

  
Register.

No. 4746

**THE STATE OF ALABAMA**  
**Baldwin County**

**IN EQUITY**  
Circuit Court of Baldwin County

WANDA MARIE STANLEY

VS.

BURNETTE WILLIAM STANLEY

**Note of Testimony**

Filed in Open Court this

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WANDA MARIE STANLEY,  
Complainant,  
-vs-  
BURNETTE WILLIAM STANLEY,  
Respondent.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

Comes the Respondent in the above styled cause and accepts service of a Bill of Complaint heretofore filed in said cause; waives notice of the filing of interrogatories in said cause, and the right to cross same; waives notice of the taking of testimony in said cause, and consents that the same may be taken and the cause submitted for final decree.

And for answer to the Bill of Complaint heretofore filed in this cause, Respondent says:

1. He admits the allegations contained in Paragraph 1 of the Bill of Complaint.
2. He admits the allegations contained in Paragraph 2 of said Bill of Complaint.
3. He denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 3 of said Bill of Complaint, and demands strict proof thereof.
4. He admits the allegations contained in Paragraph 4 of said Bill of Complaint.

Burnette W. Stanley

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
a Notary Public, on this the 24th  
day of October, 1959.

Francis G. Mallory  
Notary Public, Baldwin County  
State of Alabama

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Oct. 28, 1959  
Alice J. Duck  
Register