

DECEDENT AND FAMILY INFO

Rockford Laydeesman died at the age of 90 after a long and active life. His wife Viola predeceased him. Rockford and Viola have 3 children together, Flower (a daughter), Granite (a son) and Hyacinth (their youngest daughter). Viola has 1 child from a prior marriage, DaisyLu, but Rockford did not adopt her. Rockford also has two other children from prior relationships. One is a son named Rockford Laydeesman, Jr. (Rocky) from a prior marriage. The other is Delilah (a daughter who bears a striking resemblance to Rockford) born out of wedlock. Rockford's name is listed on Delilah's birth certificate, and he has acknowledged her as his daughter, but Delilah never resided with her father and their relationship has been strained for many years.

Rockford consulted with an attorney to have his Will prepared about 4 months prior to his death. Rockford reviewed a typewritten printout copy of his Will and at the top of the back of the draft he wrote in his own handwriting: "Rockford Laydeesman draft Will reviewed. See attorney 3/15 to get it done". Rockford was scheduled to execute his Will on March 15, 2015 at the attorney's office. However, Rockford passed away peacefully in his sleep the night of March 13, 2015. The draft Will Rockford had distributed his estate as follows:

1. A specific bequest of \$50,000.00 to his daughter Delilah
2. A specific bequest of \$40,000.00 to his stepdaughter DaisyLu
3. Residuary estate to distribute equally among his children with Viola: Flower, Granite and Hyacinth

Did Rockford die testate or intestate?

Sorry Rockford, your Will was not executed and cannot be admitted to probate. You died intestate.

