

STATE OF INDIANA, ALLEN COUNTY, ss:

THE UNDERSIGNED, applicant for LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP on the person and estate of
Laura P. Marks Jr aged 15 years, Aug 22, 1885
Josephine Marks aged 19 years, 21, 1885
minor heirs of Elizabeth Marks late of Allen County, deceased, represents that said minors reside in Allen County, in the State of Indiana, and are joint owners of Real Estate situated in Allen County, of the probable value of Dollars, which will rent annually for the sum of Dollars. Said wards also own personal property of the probable value of Two hundred ten Dollars. Catherine Marks

State of Indiana, Allen County, ss:
the above applicant, being duly sworn, says that the material facts contained in the above statement and application for Letters of Guardianship, on the persons and estates of the persons therein named, are correct and true, as she verily believes, and further saith not of family my judgment whatsoever
Catherine Marks
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 21 day of December 1885
Simon P. Marks husband of Catherine Marks hereby consent to the appointment of said guardian of Simon P. Marks and Josephine Marks.
I Simon P. Marks hereby consent my wife Catherine Marks to act as my guardian and ask the Court to appoint her as such.
Simon P. Marks Catherine Marks and Mathias Zahm
Know all Men, That we, Catherine Marks, Simon P. Marks and Mathias Zahm

are bound unto the State of Indiana in the sum of Six hundred fifty Dollars, for the payment of which we bind ourselves jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed and dated, this 21 day of December 1885
If the above bound Catherine Marks will faithfully discharge her duties as GUARDIAN of the person and property of Simon P. Marks and Josephine Marks
minor heirs of Elizabeth Marks, deceased, then this obligation is to be void, else to remain in force.
Catherine Marks [Seal]
S. P. Marks [Seal]
Mathias Zahm [Seal]
The Court approved by me, the 21 day of December 1885
Willis D. Maier Clerk A. C. C.

State of Indiana, Allen County, ss:

1. Catherine Marks swear that I will honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of my trust as GUARDIAN of Simon P. Marks and Josephine Marks
Elizabeth Marks deceased, according to law, so help me God.
Catherine Marks Guardian.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 21 day of December 1885
Willis D. Maier Clerk A. C. C.

State of Indiana, Allen County:

1. Simon P. Marks swear that I am worth, over and above my indebtedness, in real estate Fifty hundred Dollars, as I believe, so help me God.
S. P. Marks
Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 21 day of December 1885
Willis D. Maier Clerk A. C. C.

State of Indiana, Allen County:

1. Mathias Zahm swear that I am worth, over and above my indebtedness, in real estate Twelve hundred Dollars, as I believe, so help me God.
Mathias Zahm
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 21 day of December 1885
Willis D. Maier Clerk A. C. C.

LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

State of Indiana, Allen County, ss:

I, WILLIS D. MAIER, Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County, certify that Catherine Marks of said County, has been appointed guardian of the person and property of Simon P. Marks and Josephine Marks
minor heirs of Elizabeth Marks late of said County, deceased, and has qualified as such.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court this 21 day of December A. D. 1885
Willis D. Maier Clerk
Filed and recorded December 21 1885
Willis D. Maier Clerk Allen Circuit Court.