

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, DOMESTIC RELATIONS



IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF)
)
RUTH MARTIN,)
)
Petitioner,)
)
v.)
)
TED MARTIN,)
)
Respondent.)

No.

COD03179

DOM. REL.
CAL. #C
M130-142

PETITION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE

NOW COMES the Petitioner, Ruth Martin, by and through her attorneys, Wiczer & Associates, Chartered, and for her Petition for Dissolution of the Marriage of the parties, Petitioner states as follows:

1. That the Court has jurisdiction over the subject matter herein and the parties hereto.
2. That the Petitioner is a resident of the State of Illinois, County of Cook, and has been so residing for at least one year up to the present time.
3. That the Respondent is a resident of the State of Illinois, County of Cook, and has been so residing for at least 90 days up to the present time.
4. That Petitioner is 64 years of age and is residing at Chicago, Cook County, Illinois.
5. That the Respondent is 76 years of age and is residing at Chicago, Cook County, Illinois and is the owner of Parkway Metal Products, Inc.

6. Petitioner and Respondent were lawfully married on February 3, 1967, in Chicago, Illinois and the marriage was registered in Chicago, Illinois.

7. That two children were born to the parties, namely, Rena, age 31 and Arona, age 28. Both children are emancipated. No children were adopted and Petitioner is not now pregnant.

8. Without cause or provocation by the Petitioner, Respondent is guilty of extreme and repeated mental cruelty toward the Petitioner.

9. The Petitioner and Respondent have acquired certain marital property including, but not limited to, the following:

- (a) the marital home commonly known as 927 Castlewood, Chicago, Illinois;
- (b) retirement benefits that the parties have accumulated during the marriage;
- (c) various items of clothing, furniture, jewelry and household furnishings;
- (d) automobiles;
- (e) financial accounts in the name of the Petitioner and Respondent;
- (f) Respondent's and/or Petitioner's interest in Parkway Metal Products, Inc.;
- (g) various parcels of real estate; and
- (h) a time share in Sarasota, Florida.

10. Petitioner and Respondent have various marital debts that should be equitably divided and paid for by Petitioner and Respondent.

11. Respondent is gainfully employed and earning substantial income has sufficient resources and income to pay his own attorneys' fees, and to maintain himself and is therefore not entitled to an award of costs and/or maintenance in this case.

12. Conversely, Petitioner is not employed and does not have the resources or income to pay her own attorney's fees and/or to maintain herself and is therefore entitled to an award of costs and/or maintenance in this case.

WHEREFORE, the Petitioner, Ruth Martin, prays that this Honorable Court enter judgment as follows:

- A. For dissolution of marriage in favor of both parties dissolving their marriage;
 - B. Award to Petitioner her own property and all of her non-marital property, if any exists;
 - C. Award to Petitioner and Respondent each an equitable portion of their marital property;
 - D. Order that Respondent be barred from past, present, or future maintenance from Petitioner;
 - E. Order that Respondent be barred from an award of attorneys' fees and costs;
 - F. Order an award of maintenance and attorney's fees to Petitioner;
 - G. Enter such other orders as may be just in reference to the debts of the parties;
- and
- H. Grant such other relief as this Court deems appropriate and equitable.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH MARTIN

By: _____
One of Her Attorneys

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LEGAL DESCRIPTION

The North 259.03 Feet of Lot 8 in Anderson-Miller Des Plaines Industrial Park North, a Subdivision of (Except Oakton Street) South ½ Fractional Southwest ¼ Section 19-41-12. Recorded February 28, 1966.

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 130 Rawls Road, Des Plaines, Illinois
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