

Matthew Sloan Benge

Name

Crossing at 9th- 880 West 200 South Apartment 416

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In the Court of Utah

THIRD Judicial District SALT LAKE County

Court Address 450 SOUTH STATE STREET, SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84114

In the Matter of (select one)

☒ the Marriage of (for a divorce with
or without children, annulment,
separate maintenance, or
temporary separation case)

Matthew Sloan Benge

(name of Petitioner)

and

Laura Kathryn Benge

(name of Respondent)

Other parties (if any)

Divorce Decree

264901956

Case Number

Matthew Bates

Judge

Commissioner (domestic cases)

The court decrees:

Divorce

1. Matthew Sloan Benge is granted a divorce based on the Declaration of Jurisdiction and Grounds signed by Matthew Sloan Benge. The divorce will become final upon entry of the divorce decree.

Children (Utah Code 81-6-101(7))

2. **Matthew Sloan Benge** and **Laura Kathryn Benge** do not have any children together.

- We do not have any children together who are minors. A minor is a child under 18 who has not been married or otherwise emancipated.
- We are not expecting a child.
- We do not have incapacitated adult children together who are eligible for child support, or, **Matthew Sloan Benge** is not asking for child support for any adult child who is eligible for child support.

Personal property (Utah Code Title 81, Chapters 1, 4, 6, and 9)

3. All personal property not addressed in the divorce should be divided as the parties have already divided it.

Vehicles

4. Vehicles will be divided as follows:

a.

Year: **2013**

Make: **Honda**

Model: **Civic**

VIN: **N/A**

Owner (before divorce): **Laura Benge**

Current value: **\$8,000.00**

Amounts Estimated: **no**

Ownership After Divorce: **Laura Kathryn Benge**

Loan: **N/A**

b.

Year: **2019**

Make: **Nissan**

Model: **Frontier**

VIN: **N/A**

Owner (before divorce): **Matthew Benge, Laura Benge**

Current value: **\$18,500.00**

Amounts Estimated: **no**

Ownership After Divorce: **Matthew Sloan Benge**

I.

Lender: **Mountain America Credit Union**

Address: **P.O. Box 2331 Sandy, Utah 84091**

Date Acquired: **N/A**

Amount Owed: **\$6,791.84**

Amounts Estimated: **no**

Monthly Payment: **\$272.51**

The debt will be paid as follows: **Matthew Sloan Bengé will pay the entire debt. Matthew Sloan Bengé will provide a copy of the divorce decree to the lender.**

Bank and credit union accounts

5. Bank and credit union accounts will be divided as follows:

a.

Account Number: **6971**

Account Type: **Checking**

Institution Name: **America First Credit Union**

Address: **455 east 500 south, SLC, Utah**

Date Opened: **N/A**

Balance (US Dollars): **\$4,350.39**

Estimated: **no**

Owner: **Matthew Sloan Bengé and Laura Kathryn Bengé**

Co-Owner(s): **N/A**

Divide as follows: **It will be split evenly**

Life insurance policies owned by Matthew Sloan Bengé

6. The life insurance policies owned by Matthew Sloan Bengé will be divided as follows:

a.

Account Number: **None**

Institution Name: **N/A**

Address: **N/A**

Date Opened: **N/A**

Balance (US Dollars): **N/A**

Estimated: **no**

Owner: **N/A**

Divide as follows: **No invested life insurance**

Debts

7. The parties are not aware of any debts from the marriage. If any debts exist, each debt will be the responsibility of the party who incurred the debt.

Real property

8. The parties acquired the following real property during the marriage:

a.

Description: **House**

Address: **Crossing at 9th- 880 West 200 South Apartment 416, Salt Lake City, Salt Lake, Utah 84104 United States**

Tax ID: **15-11-177-010-0000**

Legal Description: **All of Lot 6 and the West 15 feet of Lot 7, Block 5, GLENDALE ADDITION, according to the Official Plat thereof as recorded in the Office of the Salt Lake County Recorder, State of Utah.**

Date property acquired: **Feb 9, 2018**

Names on title: **Matthew S. Bengé, Laura K. Bengé**

Original cost: **\$235,000**

Current value: **\$439,500.00**

Property values estimated: **no**

Disposal: **This property will be sold as follows:**

Until the property is sold, Matthew Sloan Bengé and Laura Kathryn Bengé will have equal use and possession of this property. Matthew Sloan Bengé and Laura Kathryn Bengé will be equally responsible for payments, taxes, and insurance until the property is sold.

The proceeds of the sale will be applied as follows:

(i) First, pay expenses of sale.

(ii) Second, pay all mortgages and liens. If there is money still owed on mortgages and liens, the parties will each be responsible for one half of each payment.

(iii) Third, pay all marital debts and obligations.

(iv) Finally, divide any remaining balance equally between the parties.

i.

Creditor: N/A

Names on mortgage: Laura K Bengé, Matthew S Bengé

Date mortgage acquired: Jun 14, 2021

Mortgage balance: \$176,144.11

Monthly payment: \$1,285.51

Mortgage values estimated: no

This mortgage will be paid as follows after the divorce: We will both be paying it off with the intention to sell it in March or Early April. Matthew Sloan Bengé will provide a copy of the divorce decree to the lender.

Alimony

9. Neither party will pay alimony.

Retirement money

Retirement money – retirement accounts

10. The parties have retirement money. The owner of the retirement money Plan Participant must do whatever is necessary for both parties to have full access to

information about the pension plan, retirement account, money and benefits. This includes signing any forms needed for release of the information to the other party (Alternate Payee).

11. If the Plan Participant receives any retirement money awarded to the Alternate Payee, the Plan Participant receives that money in a constructive trust for the Alternate Payee. The Plan Participant is ordered to pay the benefit directly to the Alternate Payee within 5 days of its receipt. Information on the pension plans and how they are to be divided is listed below:

a.

Account Number: **0094**

Plan Name: **Traditional IRA**

Plan Administrator: **Ameriprise Financial**

Company Name: **Ameriprise Financial**

Address: **60 E South Temple Street, Suite 950 Salt Lake City, Utah 84111**

Date Opened: **Nov 4, 2024**

Plan Value: **\$59121.43**

This plan is in the name of: **Matthew Sloan Bengé**

Divide as follows: **The entire account should be awarded to Matthew Sloan Bengé.**

b.

Account Number: **7084**

Plan Name: **Roth IRA**

Plan Administrator: **Ameriprise Financial**

Company Name: **Ameriprise Financial**

Address: **60 E South Temple Street, Suite 950 Salt Lake City, Utah 84111**

Date Opened: **May 4, 2022**

Plan Value: **\$4799.01**

This plan is in the name of: **Matthew Sloan Bengé**

Divide as follows: **The entire account should be awarded to Matthew Sloan Bengé.**

c.

Account Number: **8021**

Plan Name: **Traditional IRA**

Plan Administrator: **Ameriprise Financial**

Company Name: **Ameriprise Financial**

Address: **60 E South Temple Street Suite 950, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111**

Date Opened: **May 3, 2022**

Plan Value: **\$85351.12**

This plan is in the name of: **Laura Kathryn Bengé**

Divide as follows: **The retirement money should be awarded by percentage.**

Matthew Sloan Bengé should be awarded 16% and Laura Kathryn Bengé should be

awarded 84%. Matthew Sloan Benge should prepare the Qualified Domestic Relations Order (QDRO) for this plan within 120 days after the divorce decree is entered.

- d.
- Account Number: **none**
 - Plan Name: **Sundance Institute 401k retirement plan**
 - Plan Administrator: **Sundance Institute**
 - Company Name: **Sundance Insitute**
 - Address: **900 South 5th avenue, CSLB, Portland, OR 97204**
 - Date Opened: **Apr 14, 2022**
 - Plan Value: **\$7075.27**
 - This plan is in the name of: **Laura Kathryn Benge**
 - Divide as follows: **The entire account should be awarded to Laura Kathryn Benge.**

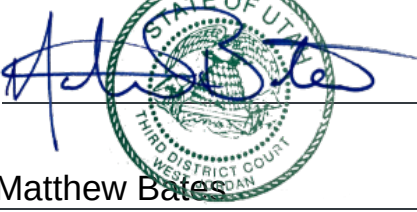
Duty to sign documents

12. The parties will sign all documents necessary to comply with the divorce decree within 60 days from entry of the decree. If a party fails to sign a document within 60 days, the other party may ask the court to appoint someone to sign the document. (Utah Rule of Civil Procedure 70)

Judge's signature may instead appear at the top of the first page of this document.

June 17, 2026

Date

Signature ▶ 

Judge Matthew Bates

Date

Signature ▶ _____

Commissioner _____

Approved as to Form.

Other Party
Signature ▶ _____

Other Party Laura Kathryn Benge
Name

Certificate of Service

I certify that I filed with the court and am serving a copy of this Divorce Decree on the following people.

a.

Name: **Laura Bengé**

Method of service: **Email**

Address: **laurabenge214@gmail.com**

Date of Service: **Jun 2, 2026**

06/02/2026

Date

Signature



Matthew Bengé

Printed
Name

Matthew Bengé