

COURT OF APPEALS OF VIRGINIA

Present: Judges Frank, McClanahan and Senior Judge Willis

JULIA M. GREENWAY

v. Record No. 2115-06-4

JOHN B. GREENWAY

MEMORANDUM OPINION\*  
PER CURIAM  
MAY 15, 2007

FROM THE CIRCUIT COURT OF FAIRFAX COUNTY  
R. Terrence Ney, Judge

(Polly B. Knight; Knight & Stough, LLP, on briefs), for appellant.  
Appellant submitting on briefs.

(Drake T. Brodin, on brief), for appellee. Appellee submitting on  
brief.

Julia M. Greenway (wife) appeals from the circuit court's July 27, 2006 final decree awarding John B. Greenway a divorce *a vinculo matrimonii*. On appeal, wife lists eight questions presented, challenging the court's equitable distribution and child support rulings. Upon review of the record and briefs of the parties, we dismiss this appeal for wife's failure to comply with the requirements of Rule 5A:20(d).

ANALYSIS

In her opening brief, wife included no statement of facts and recites in argument only selected factual assertions without providing a fair recitation of all the evidence bearing on the issues raised.

Rule 5A:20(d) requires an appellant's opening brief to include "[a] clear and concise statement of the facts that relate to the questions presented, with references to the pages of the

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transcript, written statement, record, or appendix.” Because this Court “will not search the record for errors in order to interpret the appellant’s contention and correct deficiencies in a brief,” Buchanan v. Buchanan, 14 Va. App. 53, 56, 415 S.E.2d 237, 239 (1992), we will not consider a “Question Presented” that is unsupported by the requirements of Rule 5A:20. See, e.g., Barrs v. Barrs, 45 Va. App. 500, 512, 612 S.E.2d 227, 232-33 (2005); Courembis v. Courembis, 43 Va. App. 18, 26, 595 S.E.2d 505, 509 (2004).

Wife set forth no statement of facts relating to her questions presented. By failing to provide such a statement of facts, wife has failed to satisfy the requirements of Rule 5A:20(d).

“[S]tatements unsupported by argument, authority, or citations to the record do not merit appellate consideration.” Buchanan, 14 Va. App. at 56, 415 S.E.2d at 239. Thus, we will not consider these issues on appeal.

Accordingly, wife’s appeal is dismissed.

Dismissed.