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In the name of God amen I **NATHAN BASS** of the county of Granville and state of North Carolina being of sound mind and disposing memory do ordain this to be my last will and testament revoking all former will buy me made.

I want all my just debts paid by my executor hereafter named for him to sell such property as I shall not hereafter will for the payment of my debts.

I give and bequeath unto my wife, **MARTHA BASS**, one desk, one bed and necessary furniture, one spinning wheel, one flax wheel, one cow and calf, sow and hogs, the choice of my horses, one side saddle, one pot and oven, one set of knives and forks, half dozen pewter plates, two decanters, one tub and pail. I Also loan unto my wife, **MARTHA BASS**, during her life ten acres of land to include the dwelling house that I now live in and also the outhouses to be laid off as she may think proper reserving one acre of land around the graveyard for a family burying ground and I loan her my still during her life and at her death I give the above still and ten acres of land to **WARNER TANNER**, better known by the name of **WARNER BASS**, to him and his heirs forever.

I give and bequeath unto the aforesaid **WARNER TANNER** all of that part of my land line south of the big path running from **WILLIAM BRADFORD** to Mrs. **ANN L. TAYLOR**'s in the tract I now live on to the line of **LEWIS PETIFORD**, one black horse which he has now in his possession, one cart and one half dozen pewter plates to him his heirs forever.

I give bequeath unto **LEWIS PEDIFORD**, who married my daughter **ELIZA [BASS]**, fifty acres of land be the same more or less being the land on which the said **PEDIFORD** now lives bounded by the land of **JOSHUA HUTCHINSON**, deceased, and others and one pot to him and his heirs forever.

I give and bequeath unto my daughter **HONOR [BASS] JONES** that part of my land not already divided that is all on the east side of the path way from my house to **WILLIAM DEMENT** to her and her heirs forever.

I give and bequeath to my son **JESSE BASS** five shillings to him and his heirs forever.

I give and bequeath to my grandson **SAMUEL VALENTINE** five shillings to him and his heirs forever.

I give and bequeath to my daughter **SALLY [BASS] PEDIFORD** five shillings to her and her heirs forever.

All the property that I have not named in the above will I want my executor to sell and if then should be more then will pay my debts I wanted equally divided between my wife **MARTHA** and **WARNER TANNER**.

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I the said **NATHAN BASS** do hereby appoint **WILLIAM BRADFORD** executor to this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 2nd day of January A. D. 1835.

NATHAN BASS {seal, his + mark}

Signed and acknowledged in presence of us

D. A. PARSHALL
BENJAMIN KITTRELL
A. H. WALKER

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The execution of the foregoing last will and testament of **NATHAN BASS**, deceased, was duly proven in an oath in open court by **DANIEL A. PARSHALL** and **ANDERSON H. WALKER** two of the subscribing witnesses hereto and **BENJAMIN KITTRELL** the other subscribing witness being dead. **DANIEL A. PARSHALL** made oath that the signature "**BENJAMIN KITTRELL**" is in the proper handwriting of **BENJAMIN KITTRELL** and that he witnessed the same in the presence of the other witnesses.

On motion it is ordered to be recorded.

Witness

JAMES M. WIGGINS, Clerk of Court

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