

Will, NC, Mecklenburg, Ezekiel Alexander 1837

North Carolina]
Mecklenburg County] 17 September 1836

In the name of God amen.

I **EZEKIEL ALEXANDER** of the county of Mecklenburg and state of North Carolina being of sound mind and perfect mind and memory (blessed be God) do this seventeenth day of September one [thousand] eight hundred thirty six make and publish this my last will and testament in manner following that is to say:

First I give and bequeath to my wife **NANCY ALEXANDER** my house and necessary out buildings and a reasonable support of the farm also my girl GRACE and her offspring forever; and MARY and LINDA during my wife's natural life. I also allow my wife **NANCY ALEXANDER** the household and kitchen furniture also the stock of every description for the use of my wife **NANCY ALEXANDER** and my son **RUFUS** – and I give to my son **RUFUS** the plantation on on which I live and also my negro boy TUBIOUS and PIRTUS and female but for **RUFUS ALEXANDER** my son to pay to **JOEL ALEXANDER** my son three hundred dollars and to have three years to pay it in. And I also give to my son **EZEKIEL W. ALEXANDER** my negro boy WINSLOW and I also allow and give to my grandson **THOMAS H. ALEXANDER** one dollar and it is my desire that none of my black family be sold out of the bounds of Shugar Creek Congregation and the wagon I allow for the use of the farm.

And I hereby make and ordain the worthy sons **EZEKIEL W. ALEXANDER** and **RUFUS ALEXANDER** executors of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I, the said **EZEKIEL ALEXANDER**, have to this, my last will and testament, set my hand and seal this seventeen of September 1836.

Ezekiel **ALEXANDER** {seal}

Test

THOMAS HUNTER JP
JAMES N. MOORE JP

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I certify that the execution of the within will was duly proved and recorded.

B. OATES, clerk