

**Will, NC, Northampton, James B. Bryan 1819**

In the name of God Amen, I **JAMES B. BRYAN** of Northampton County and state of North Carolina being in a low state of health but of a well disposing mind and both of perfect sense and memory to make this my last will and testament in the following Manner and form viz.

ITEM I give and bequeath to my beloved brother **ROBERT BRYAN** twenty acres of land adjoining to my said brothers land this to him and his heirs forever.

ITEM I give and bequeath to my beloved brother **JOHN BRYAN** a note of forty seven dollars, which note is due to me from him, the said brother, **JOHN BRYAN** occasioned by a division of property, this together with the balance of my lands that are not here to forgiven away this to him and his heirs forever.

The above I submit and evolve to being my last will and testament and furthermore I constitute and ordained by brother **JOHN BRYAN** to be my executor

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 17th day of March eighteen hundred and nineteen.

**JAMES B. BRYAN** {seal, his mark}

Signed sealed and acknowledged in presence of us:

**JOEL CONNER**  
**WILLIE BRYAN**  
**JOHN BAUM**

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This last will and testament of **JAMES B. BRYAN**, deceased, was proved in open court by the oath of **WILLIE BRYAN**, a subscribing witness thereto, whereupon **JOHN BRYAN** the executor in said will named, was qualified as law directs and ordered to be certified and recorded.

Test

**J. C. HARRISON**, CCC

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