

## RECORD OF WILLS.

I Robert Beasley of the State of North Carolina And County of Bladen being through the abundant mercy and goodness of God church that in body yet of a sound and perfect mind standing and memory do constitute this my last Will and Testament, And desire it to be recorded by all as such.

In premis. - I most humbly beseeche my God to god my maker.

I give and bequeath unto my son Richard one hundred acres of land lying on both sides of Buck Horn Branch.

I give and bequeath unto my Son John one hundred acres of land joining the place where I now live.

I give and bequeath unto my Son Henry one hundred acres of land where I now live and this hundred acres my wife to have for life time or widershins without intermission.

I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary one hundred.

I give and bequeath unto my wife one Bed one Chest and one Wheel.

I give and bequeath unto my Son Henry one set of Blacksmith tools, one Mare named Caesar to be sold to pay my debts, the rest of my property to remain with my wife and children until the youngest child comes of age.

I leave Mr. John Baldwin Sevin to be the Executor to my last Will and Testament.

The 26<sup>th</sup> of October 1818 -

Signed and sealed

in the presence of

Henry Burdette, Robert Beasley, his son

Peter Jones,

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In the Name of God Amen

I William Sutton of the State of North Carolina and County of Bladen being weak enough of sound mind and memory owing to mind the mortality of the body and knowing that it is once appointed for all men to die do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament.

I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it and hoping at the general resurrection to rise receive the same and as touching such worldly estate wherewithal it has pleased god to bless me in this life. I dispose of in manner and form following

First. - It is my Will that all my just debts and funeral charges be paid

Second. - I bequeath my wife Susannah all my lands and immovables with all my Household Furniture Stocks of all kinds and that the said Susannah shall School my young children and keep the family together if they please, and at the death or marriage of my wife Susannah my land to be equally divided between my three Sons, James Marion and Robin. The remainder of my estate to be equally divided amongst my wife and daughters Anne and Sarah, Catherine and Sophia, my daughters to receive their proportionable parts when they arrive at the age of maturity of marrying. My wife Susannah's part to be disposed of as she pleases.

Third. I do appoint my wife Susannah and my Son James Sutton my Executors to the my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this 9<sup>th</sup> of October 1814,

Be present of us his  
Agg. Andrew Williams & Son -  
Robert Murphy