

Witness

Daniel

Wm. Edmondson

In the name of God Amen I Bryant Edmondson of Halifax County State of North Carolina being sick and in perfect mind and memory. Do make this my last will and Testament as touching my worldly estate in the following form & manner. I Give I Give to my beloved wife Sally Edmondson my whole Estate during her life in full satisfaction then to be Equally divided among all my Children that is to wit I Give I Give to my beloved wife Sally Edmondson my Executrix and James Parker Executor of this my last will and Testament as Witness my hand & seal this fifth day of December one thousand Seven hundred & ninety four signed sealed & acknowledged in presence of Us

Elisha Willis David Dazby

Bryant^{his} Edmondson



Halifax County

February 1795 Then the will and child in open Court & duly proved by oath of Elisha Willis one of the subscribing Witnesses thereto; and on motion ordered to be recorded. Whereupon Sally Edmondson the Executrix and James Parker the Executor came in and was duly qualified thereto

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In the name of God Amen I William Pullen Junior of the County of Halifax and State of North Carolina being weak in body, but of a perfect & sound mind and memory, and calling to mind the frailty of my Body and knowing that it is once appointed for man to die. Do make & ordain this to be my last will & Testament. First I recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it, and as to my Body I recommend to the Earth from whence it came, to be buried in a Christian like Manner at the side of my father nothing doubting that at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same, and as to my worldly Estate the Almighty God has endowed me with, I shall dispose of in the following manner, that is to say, first of all

all my Just debts and funeral Charges, be paid from the Residue of my Estate I desire as follows (to wit) Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Charlotte Pullen the Tract of land whereon I now live containing two hundred acres being the Land I purchased of Jeremiah Bunkley Likewise I give to my wife Charlotte Pullen one negro man Luke and a Peter, one negro woman Sal some negro girl Esther likewise I give my wife Charlotte Pullen two mares & one horse to wit, Diamoni, Wounce & Wicks, I give my wife Charlotte Pullen three feather Beds and furniture likewise I desire my wife should have Trowler head of Cattle to have her Choice out of my whole flock, the above mentioned articles I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Charlotte Pullen during her natural life & after her death, I desire that the Land left her, to be Equally divided between my two youngest sons, to wit, Willie Pullen & Ricky Pullen and if either of them should die the other to have the two hundred acres and at the death of my wife, I give the negro girl Esther to go to my son Eton Pullen to him & his heirs, likewise after the death of my wife Charlotte I desire that the two negro men, to wit, Peter & Luke one negro woman Sal likewise two mares & one horse three feather Beds & twelve heads of Cattle all to be Equally divided between all my Children, to wit, Cloc Pullen, Leroy Pullen, Chaney Pullen, Chary Pullen, William Pullen Junior, Judwell Pullen Charlotte Pullen, Eton Pullen, Willie Pullen & Ricky Pullen Equally share & share alike. Item I give & bequeath unto my eldest son Leroy Pullen all the Land lying on the South Side of Hills Road from Benjamin Cro Line to Mary Corbins line likewise I give to my son Leroy Pullen two acres of Land on the North Side of the Road where his house stands. I give & bequeath unto my said son Leroy Pullen one Bay Horse with likewise one Bed & furniture to him & his heirs for ever. Item I give and bequeath unto my son William Pullen all the Land lying between Hills road and the above land given to my wife as far as to a cart path called Pullen Cart way, likewise I give my son William Pullen one horse of Ten pounds Virginia money Price to be raised out of my Estate & one Bed & furniture. Item I give & bequeath unto my son Judwell Pullen all the residue of my Land lying between the said cart path and Salstons Meadows and in the said Meadows to him & his heirs for ever. Likewise I give to my son Judwell Pullen one horse at Ten pounds Virginia money Price to be raised out of my Estate. Likewise one feather Bed & furniture. Likewise I give my son Judwell Pullen twenty pounds Virginia money to be raised out of my Estate to the said Judwell Pullen & his heirs for ever. Item I give unto my Daughter Cloc Pullen one horse at Ten pounds Virginia money Price to be raised out of my Estate like also one Bed & furniture to her and her heirs for ever. Item I give & bequeath unto my son Judwell Pullen one negro Boy named Peter to him and his heirs for ever. Item I give and bequeath unto my son Leroy Pullen one negro Boy called I & for him to pay Cloc Pullen Ten pounds Virginia money for her part of said man. Item I give unto my two Daughters Chaney Pullen & Chary Pullen one negro girl which to be Equally divided between them two Equally share & share alike. Item I give & bequeath unto my daughter Charlotte Pullen an negro girl Lucy to her & her heirs for ever. Item I give unto my daughter Chaney Pullen one horse at Ten pounds Virginia money Price to be raised out of my Estate likewise one feather Bed and furniture to her & her heirs for ever. Item I give & bequeath unto my daughter Chary Pullen one horse at Ten pounds Virginia money Price to be raised out of my Estate.

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 one horse at ten pounds virginia money price to be raised out of my Estate. Likewise one feather Bed & furniture
 Likewise I give my son Tidwell Pullen twenty pounds virginia money to be raised out of my Estate to the
 said Tidwell Pullen & his heirs for ever. Then I give unto my Daughter Cloe Pullen one horse after raising
 virginia money price to be raised out of my Estate like the one Bed & furniture to her and her heirs for ever. Then I
 give & bequeath unto my son Tidwell Pullen one negro Boy named Peter to him and his heirs for ever. Then I give and
 bequeath unto Jerry Pullen one negro Boy called & for him to pay Cloe Pullen ten pounds virginia money for her part
 of said negro. Then I give unto my two Daughters Chancy Pullen & Charo Pullen one negro Girl called to Equally divided
 between them two Equally share & share alike. Then I give & bequeath unto my daughter Charlotte Pullen one negro
 Girl called to her & her heirs for ever. Then I give unto my daughter Chancy Pullen one horse at ten pounds virginia
 money price to be raised out of my Estate likewise one feather Bed and furniture to her & her heirs for ever. Then I
 give & bequeath unto my daughter Charo Pullen one horse at ten pounds virginia money price to be raised out
 of my Estate likewise one feather Bed & furniture to her & her heirs for ever. Then I give & bequeath unto my daughter
 Charlotte Pullen one horse at ten pounds virginia money price the same to widows of my Estate. Likewise one
 feather Bed & furniture to her and her heirs for ever. And as to the balance of my Estate both Real & personal I desire
 it should be Equally divided between all my Children to wit Cloe Pullen Jerry Pullen Chancy Pullen Charo Pullen
 William Pullen son Tidwell Pullen Charlotte Pullen Peter Pullen Willie Pullen & Nicky Pullen Equally
 share & share alike. I do appoint my dear & Beloved wife Charlotte Pullen my sole Executrix & my Jerry Pullen
 John Matthews my Executors to this my last will & Testament. I do hereby disavow & revoke all other wills
 Testaments & do publish & pronounce this & no other to be my last will & Testament in writing which I
 have hereunto subscribed my name this 25th day August. 1794

Test Rudin ^{his} Moore. Sol. ^{his} & Broom
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William Pullen

Halifax County Jct.

February Session 1795. This will was Exhibited in open Court & duly proved by
 the oath of Rudin Moore one of the subscribing Witnesses thereto and the Motion ordered to be received Chancery
 Jerry Pullen and John Matthews the Executors in the said will named Came in and was duly read & signed
 thereto

Attest
 Long C. H.

In the Name of God Amen this 5th day of December 1794 I Samuel Horton of the County of Halifax
 being sick & weak of mind & memory thank God for the same but knowing that it is the will of God that I
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