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July the 17th 1851.

In the name of God Amen. I Daniel Hardman of the County of Orange and State of Indiana. do make and declare this my last will and testament, in manner and form, following. First, I resign my soul into the hands of Almighty God, hoping and believing in a remission of my sins by the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ, and my body I commit to the Earth to be buried at the discretion of my executors herein after named, and my worldly estate I give and devise as follows. First, my six oldest children whose names are Washington, Mary, Lumenious, Leonard, Abraham & John, the have each of them received of me previous to this time the sum of two hundred Dollars, my farm that I sold to my son John for sixteen hundred dollars, eleven hundred of which is to be equally divided among my six oldest children, the other five hundred my two sons are to have an equal share of viz, David Hardman and Marion Hardman, also four hundred dollars in Rail Road Stock to be equally divided amongst my six oldest children, also forty acres of land, it being the south East fourth of the North East quarter of Section fifteen in Township three North Range One East. I likewise give said tract of land to my six oldest children, also one house and three lots in the Town of Salem it being the property of Margaret Hardman deceased. I give my share of the same and my ^{oldest} children. Also I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth so long as she remains my widow one tract of land it being the North West quarter of Section twenty three, in Township three north of Range one East also the west half of the South West quarter in Section twenty three in Township three North Range one East, I give unto my said wife. Also the North West Fourth of the South West quarter in Section fourteen T. 3. R. 1. East I likewise give to my wife Elizabeth, the five hundred dollars that my two sons David and Marion now receives the are to pay back one hundred dollars to my six oldest children so soon as Marion becomes twenty one years of age. Also, I give to my wife Elizabeth so long as she remains my Widow all ~~my~~ my Personal Property on this the farm that I am now living on of whatsoever kind it may be both in the House and out of the House. And I do hereby appoint, my son Lumenious Hardman, my son in law Moses Lewis executors of this my last will and testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this the 17th day of July 1851. St. D. All the property that I have now given to my wife, both real and personal at her death or marriage to be equally divided among my five youngest children viz, David, Marion, Margaret Peter and Mary Emaline, the four hundred dollars that David and Marion has now is a part of their portion, the other three younger are to be made equal with them. Daniel Hardman Seal.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by the said Testator his last will and testament, in our presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto. David McIntire Benjamin St. Hostetter

The State of Indiana. Orange County St. David McIntire Lawrence County being duly sworn before the Clerk of the Probate Court Orange County says that the will of Daniel Hardman late of said County deceased.

dated 17th day July A.D. 1851, and to which said David McIntire and Benjamin N. Hostetter are subscribing witnesses was duly executed by said Testator in the presence of the said affiant, and the said Benjamin N. Hostetter that said Daniel Hardman at the time of the execution of the same was of full age to devise his property & of sound mind and memory, and not under coercion and restraint whatever and further say noty. David McIntire." Subscribed and sworn to before the under-

L.S. Paoli in said County of Orange the day & year last aforesaid, ~~Jeremiah Wilson~~ ^{Jeremiah Wilson} Clerk.

The State of Indiana, Orange County SS. I, Jeremiah Wilson clerk of the Probate Court of Orange County, ^{do hereby} that the will of Daniel Hardman dec. hereto attached has been duly admitted to probate before me, on this day, and that a full and complete record of said will, and of the proofs and examinations of David McIntire, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto by whom the same was proved have been recorded in my office, in a record book therein entitled Record of Wills on Page 169 & 168

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, this 29th day of September 1851. Jeremiah Wilson Ck. Jeremiah Wilson Ck.