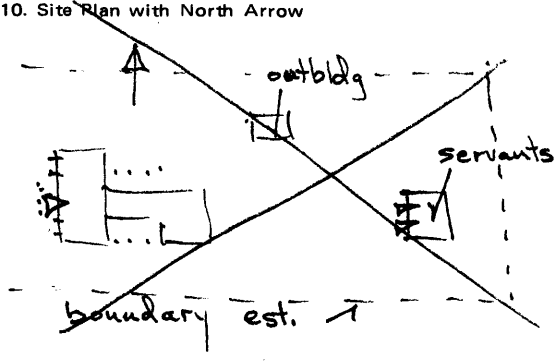


KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

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1. Historic Name (s) Thornwood		22. ADD/County Bluegrass/Jessamine <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Original Owner Otha Robards		23. Zoning Classification Magisterial District	
Present Name Baker house		24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75') Nicholasville	
3. Owner's Name Mrs. Ben Smith		25. UTM Reference Zone Easting Northing 16 712660 4199680	
4. Owner's Address 1282 Baker Lane, Nicholas-40356		26. Prehistoric Site Object Historic Site Structure <u>Building</u>	
5. Location ville Baker Lane, 1½ mile west of Rt. 27		27. District Yes No Name:	
6. Open to Public Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	7. Visible from road Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	28. Significance Evaluation National Register	
9. Local Contact/Organization		29. Status National Landmark <input type="checkbox"/> Date _____ National Register <input type="checkbox"/> _____ Landmark Certificate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____ Kentucky Survey <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 11/18/71 and 4/9/76 Local Landmark <input type="checkbox"/> _____ HABS/HAER <input type="checkbox"/> _____	
8. Ownership Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/>		30. Theme Primary <u>architecture</u> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary _____ Other _____	
10. Site Plan with North Arrow 		11. Architect	
12. Builder Otha Robards *		13. Date 1847*	
14. Style Greek Revival <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>		15. Original Use house	
16. Present Use house		17. Condition Interior good <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Exterior good <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
18. Description 2-story, 5-bay brick; 2-story, 6-bay brick ell; Flemish bond fronts on both house and slave quarters; 1-course jack arches; fine quality stone and brick masonry; large-scale interior moldings; drip-molds in front portion (west); frieze of main doorway on exterior decorated with anthemion pattern in applied wood (Lafever design). Slave quarters is in poor condition.		31. Endangered Yes No <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
19. History Designed by Otha Robards - style similar to Waveland. Robards said he would "build a house big enough to put Waveland in." 1877 atlas - O. Robards Estate.		32. ATTACH PHOTO	
20. Significance Architecture: Thornwood is a good example of regional Greek Revival; it possesses such popular features as a monumental portico across the central 3 bays, brick piers of rectangular section, a galleried ell and patternbook ornament; adding to the significance of the building is a brick slave quarters structure with more architectural pretensions than usual.		Roll No. 46 (front) and 2 (back) Picture No. _____ Direction _____	
21. Source of Information		33. Tape No. _____ Negative No. _____	
		34. Prepared by: NCP - KTG	
		35. Organization KHC	
		36. Date summer 1977	
		37. Revision Dates _____ 38. Staff Review _____	

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