

William Lewis
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To all to whom these presents shall Come I Robert Ingham by Virtue of a Power of Attorney made to me by Martha Lewis the lawful Wife of William Lewis now upon this proved according to Law do Acknowledge the Relinquishment of the Donor and all other Right title & Interest that he or she or Martha Lewis hath to a tract of Land sold by her husband William Lewis to Richard Culver to be her Voluntary Act & Deed June 8th 1712

Teste Rob^t Smead (Clerk) Comd
Recorded with the deed
June 23rd 1712
— Rob^t Smead (C. Clerk) Anusm

The within deed of Sale of Land was Acknowledged in Open Court of Accomack County by Hugh Roberts by virtue of a power of atty made by William Lewis to him to be his atty & of W. Williams sen is to Richard Atter maye
Recorded May 10: 1717

March of 15 th 1716		Sold of the State belonging to orphans of Thomas Taylor Dec.		Per: Freda & Cur. S.	
Sold to William Wheelton & Duffell Corn					
Sold Edward Harmon of Iron ware to the Value of					100
Sold to Thomas Thornton of wooden ware					147
Sold to Elias Taylor 10 bushels & 3 pecks of Corn					120
Sold William Thornton a Living wheel					215
Sold to Thomas Hale 7 bushels Corn & 3 pecks of Potatoes					102
Recorded May 8. 16 th 1717					630
The within Inventory was					1534

Recorded the within Inventory was
May 8. 16th 1797

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~~James~~ (Chas: Reed & Son: Cor. Brooth)

John Watts

In the Name of God Amen This nineteen day of Apr Anno seventeen hundred & seventeen And in the Third Year of the
 of our sovereign Lord King George of Great Britain France and Ireland King &c. I Elias Taylor of the aforesaid County being Sick and weak
 in body but of sound & perfect memory (Praised be God) And knowing the Uncertainty of this Life on Earth, and being desirous to settle things
 on Earth in order to my disposition, Do make this my last will & Testament in Manner & form following, that is to say firstly principally
 I commend my Soul to Almighty God my Creator, Assuredly believing that I shall receive full pardon & free remission of all my sins, And so
 saved by the precious death & merits of my blessed Saviour & Redeemer Christ Jesus, & my body to the last to be buried in such decent and
 Christian manner as shall be thought meet by my Executors hereafter named And as touching such worldly Estate as the Lord hath lent me
 my Will & meaning is that the same shall be employed and bestowed as by this my Will is expressed. And first I do revoke, rescind
 & annul all former Wills by me formerly made, And declare and appoint this to be my last Will & Testament & no other
 Item 1 I Give & bequeath unto my Son Joshua Eight Negro Slaves Viz Joseph, Robert, Mary & Henry, Francis, Elizabeth & Henry
 her Son Full of Grace
 Item 3 I Give and bequeath to my Son Joshua my Silver tankard & Cup & half a doz of Silver Spoons & my Silver lined Cane
 Bible in folio All the Antiquities of the Jewes Josephus in folio
 Item 4 I Give & bequeath to my Son Joshua Three guns One of them known to be my fathers, The other 2 which I bought of Mr. Andrew
 Clark & Ware And also my best pistol & shotter and Trappers Saddle And likewise my Horse mill, And All the (Horse) mill with
 all their appurtenances, likewise I Give that is my Son Joshua my New Stile Containing 30 gal^l or more (my Will is it
 to have it moved off the plantation
 Item 5 I Will & bequeath to my Son Joshua all my Land & plantation in Abawamon which was given to me by my father William
 Taylor as by his last Testament bearing date sixteen hundred Eighty six will appear to him and the heirs of his body lawfully entitled for ever
 Item 6 I Give and bequeath to my Son Joshua Taylor four hundred and fifty Acres of Land lying on of Eastern or Northeastern side of a branch
 of said 4 so Acres to my daughters Hannah and Esther to be equally divided between them, to them & their heirs for ever, and if either
 dies without lawful issue then to of Survivors & her heirs for ever
 Item 7 I Give & bequeath to my Son Joshua twenty one head of Cattle aged from two Years & upward to six Years & under male and
 female proportionable if with Convenience, And likewise as many Sheep so qualified, And All two Horses & one Mare not exceeding
 my five Years old, And all my old looking glass
 Item 8 I Will & bequeath to my Son Joshua Two good feather beds & furniture and my best Indian Quilt all I give him two pair
 of large hand irons One pair of them with brass heads, my large tongs & fire shovel, & my two pair of Sticks and six pewter dishes
 One doz pewter plates & my Two best Chests
 Item 9 To my Two daughters Hannah Taylor & Esther Taylor I Give and bequeath my five hundred Acres of Land which I purchased
 of the John Custis of Northampton County Ed^d to be equally divided between them by a parallel line from the head of the said land to
 the Cape to their & their heirs of their body lawfully begetting for ever, but not to all both Marriage any part or parcel thereof
 without each to other or to of heirs of my Daughter Elizabeth Whittington, & no other, but if my two daughters Hannah and
 Esther dies without lawful issue that the 500 Acres of Land shall revert to my Daughter Elizabeth & her heirs that shall inherit
 of South Side of Occomcon
 Item 10 I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Hannah Two Negro Slaves named Sam^l & Kate with her Increase for ever
 Item 11 I Give to my Daughter Esther two Negro Slaves named Felix and Dorcas with her Increase for ever
 Item 12 I bequeath to my Son Joshua my great iron pot Containing near 15 Gall^l and one Smaller one with pot hood & small

Item 13 I Give and bequeath to my Two daughter Hannah & Esther each of them a feather bed & furniture & to each an Iron pot
 Item 14 I Give & bequeath to my Daughter Mary three Slaves a Mustee named Toby & a Negro Woman named Dina & likewise her Son named Ebin
 Item 15 I Give & bequeath all to my Daughter Mary Twelve head of Cattle and the same Number of Sheep & a Dun Mare & Colt running now at Sacks Island with their Increase I Give her one feather bed with its appurtenances & Iron pot
 Item 16 The 500 Acres of Land given to my two Daughters Hannah and Esther my meaning & will is That if either of them shall dy without heriditable Issue then the Survivor to possess the whole and if both should die then as afores
 Item 17 I Give & bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Whittington one Negro Slave named George Longgo to her & her heirs for ever
 Item 18 I Give to my loving Wife my brick house with all the rooms thereunto belonging for & during her natural My Will and desire is That if my Wife shall again Marry That then my Son shall attain to Age to Enjoy & possess what is above given at the Age of Eighteen Years & my daughters at Sixteen, but if she Continues in Widowhood my Son to remain with her till he shall attain to twenty One Years & my daughters till they are Eighteen or Married
 Item 19 The two Negroes Mary & Elizabeth given in the second Article to my Son Joshua my Will now is That my daughter Mary shall have one of them named Elizabeth, And instead of Elizabeth I will y^e my Son Joshua shall have Dina and her Son Ebin which in the fourth Article was given to my daughter Mary, All I Give to my Son Joshua Negro Dick
 Item 20 I Give & bequeath to my Daughter Naomie Davis ten head of Sheep
 Item 21 I Give to my Daughter Comfort Ewel two Cows & Calves
 Item 22 I Give to my Daughter Mary Taylor my Jewel riding horse Lastly I do ordain Constitute & appoint my loving Wife Comfort Taylor Sole Executrix of this my last & absolute Will & Testament My Will and desire is That if my Executrix should die before my Son Joshua shall arrive to y^e Age of Eighteen years Then I ordain & appoint my Son in law Mr William Whittington as absolute Execut^r to this above
 In Confirmation of this my last Will & Testament I have hereunto set to my hand & Seal y^e day & year above
 Signed y^e y^e Testator & sealed
 In presence of
 Thomas Perry
 Wm Taylor
 Mary Taylor
 Recorded June 17th 1717

Thes within last Will & Testam^t of Mr Elias Taylor was proved in Open Court of Accomack County by the Oaths of Thomas Perry William Taylor & Mary Taylor y^e three Witnesses to y^e same June 14th 1717 Which y^e Court admitted to record
 Teste Cha: Smead C^l C^l for Accomack
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This Indenture made the Sixth day of May in the Year of our Lord God One thousand Seven hundred & seven years in the Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George King of England Scotland France & Ireland Defender of the Faith &c
 Between John Morain of the County of Accomack in Virginia Planter of the One party & John Morgin of the place planter Witneseth that the said John Morain for diverse Good Causes & Considerations him moving thereunto but more Especially for & in Consideration of three Thousand Six hundred Pounds of Good Sound Merchantable Tobacco in Casque to me in hand & payed by y^e said John Morgin & secured to be payed before y^e Perfession hereof have by these presents Given Granted Bargained Sold alind Inpossest & Confirmed and by these presents Do fully Clearly and absolutely Give Grant Bargain Sell alind Inpossest and Confirm unto the said John Morgin his heirs & assigns for ever Two hundred Acres of Land situate lying and being in the County of Accomack afores in the Woods and bounding as followeth Viz: bounding Southwest and by South on the Land belonging To Capt Daniel Morain South East & by East on the Land belonging to Mr Willm Black with Lines & Courses as followeth first beginning at a Corner tree near y^e plantation now belonging to Markus Andrews thence Running North west and by West Two hundred and four poles to a Corner Gum thence North East & by North seventy Eight poles & an half to an other Corner tree thence South East & by East Two hundred & four poles to a sapling Red Oak thence South west & by South to the first mentioned Corner tree which said Land was formerly granted to Griffith Savage by Patent dated y^e 25 day of Octo ber 1673 and by the said Griffith Savage assigned to Rowell Gladding & by the said Gladding assigned to Mr George Nicholas Hack as by their Assignments on the back of their Patents bearing Date y^e 23 day of April 1679 & y^e 26th day of March 1684 as by the said Patents may appear which said Land was also patented by the said Hack & by the said Mr George Nicholas Hack his last Will and Testament was given to his Son Peter Hack & by the said Peter Hack assigned unto the said John Morain To have and to hold the said two Hundred Acres of Land together with all & singular y^e Rights members Jurisdictions and appurtenances with all Grounds Woods Under Woods Waters meadows feeding pastures with all & singular other profits & Advantages whatsoever unto the said John Morgin his heirs & assigns for ever & the said John Morain for himself his heirs Execut^r & Admin^r Doth hereby Covenant Promise grant & agree to and with y^e said John Morgin his heirs & assigns & they by these Presents y^e the said John Morain at the time of y^e