

At the time of my arrival at Frederick
Maryland of the County State of Virginia feeling
very ill and weak body due to some indisposition
Memory faintness and considering the many
accidents I had met with at length and this
mortal life too much fatigued this my last will and
testament I have & principally recommending my immortal
soul into the hands of my Creator trusting through
the merits of Jesus Christ in the pardon & remission
of sins and as happy abode in the regions of
bliss and immortality and as to such worldly estate as he hath
pleased God to bestow on me I give and dispose of the
same in manner following I will & order that all
my just debts & general charges shall be paid off as soon
as convenient the balance being given by my Executors herein
after named I do give and bequeath unto my loving

the thought of my being so near my dear friends and
of my friends and as happy admission into the regions of
 bliss and immortality as to such worldly Estate, where with
 I thank Pleased God to bless me with I give and Dispose of the
 same in manner following I will Order and Direct that all
 my Just Debts & funeral Charges shall be paid off as soon
 as convenient may be after my decease by my Executors hereinafter
 named I Give and bequeath unto my Loving
 Wife Barbara during her natural life the said Plantation
 my house in Cambridge where now I reside together with
 the said my son Henry for her and his wife's Widdow's
 household and kitchen furniture and also my cattle &c
 I Give and my Executors or my Executors and assigns I Give
 to the said Plantation One year after my decease she shall keep
 only two cows and her mare which now is named Harry
 I Give and I keep for her as long as she lives further

I give then if need should require twenty five pounds
in trade and twenty pounds in cash which is in my
son Henrys hands and if she shall not need it it shall
remain for my son Henry unpaid forever for use.

Further as my will and I give and bequeath unto my
son Henry every plantation whereon I now live
for him and his heirs forever by buying unto my

Daughter Rachel one year after my decease the
sum of twenty five pounds in suitable trade or coin
every year after the sum of twenty five pounds in

Cash also I give to my daughter Rachel my young colt
and one cow & calf also I give to my wife all my
bees and one year after my decease my son Henry
shall provide every necessary for my loving wife during
as long as she remaineth alive. B. F. Thos.

as long as she remains my Widow But if she should
happen to marry again she shall move off my plantation
Without molesting my son Henry also I give with
the plantation unto my son Henry all my Iron
utensils belonging to the plantation and also I give
unto my grandson Abraham the first Coll. which shall
come out of the mine which I gave to my wife to
avoid further strife I give unto my son Henry all
every tract of land which I now possess & further, is
my will that the rest of my children Anne George
Frederick Elizabeth Jacob John David Abraham
Cathy and Molly each of them the sum of five hundred
more and above what they have already received
to be their full share to be collected out of my

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