

In the Name of God Amen. I Elizabeth
 Ballow of the County of Chatham in the State of
 Georgia Widow. being sick and weak in Body tho
 perfect and sound in my mind and understanding
 do constitute and make this my last Will and
 Testament First I recommend my soul into the
 hands of Almighty God who gives it and my body to
 the Earth to be interred in a decent Christian
 manner and as to all my worldly Estate I give
 and dispose of in the following manner and form.
 my Will is that all my lawfull Debts and Funeral
 expences be truly paid and discharged — I give and
 bequeath to my Niece Sarah Bacon her Heirs and
 Assigns a Negro Wench named Lucy — I give and
 bequeath to my Kinsman Joseph Bacon (son of
 my Niece Sarah Bacon) his Heirs and Assigns a
 Negro Boy named Leipio — And I do hereby ordain
 constitute and appoint my Niece Sarah Bacon sole
 Executrix of this my last Will and Testament and
 I do hereby disavow disannul and make void all
 other Wills deeds bequeaths and legacies whatsoever
 and do ratify and confirm this and no other to be
 my last Will and Testament. Witness my hand and
 Seal this sixteenth day of December in the Year of
 our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty two

Signed Sealed pronounced and
 declared by the said Elizabeth
 Ballow to be her last Will and
 Testament in the presence of us who
 in her presence and in the presence
 of each other have hereunto
 subscribed our names:

Hannah Gibbons
 John McAllister

her
 Elizabeth & Ballow (L.
 mark

Before me John Love Esquire —
Acting Register of Probates for the —
County of Chatham in the State aforesaid

Personally appeared John M. Mahon of the —
County and State aforesaid School-master one of the
subscribing witnesses to the annexed last Will and
Testament of Elizabeth Ballow late of the same —
place Widow deceased who being duly sworn on the
holy Evangelists of Almighty God maketh Oath and
saith that he was present and did see the said —
Testatrix Elizabeth Ballow sign (by a mark) —
pronounce publish and declare the said Paper —
Writing hereto ^{annexed} to be and contain her last Will
and Testament and that she was at the execution
thereof to the Deponent's Judgment and belief of sound
and disposing mind memory and Understanding and
further that he the said John M. Mahon with
Hannah Gibbons subscribed their names as witnesses
to the said Will at the request and in the presence
of the said Testatrix and in each others presence

Sworn this 10th day of }
Nov. 1783 }
In Love #

John M. Mahon