

In the Name of God Amen. I certify & declare of the State of Maryland  
County of Baltimore being released in years, the 1<sup>st</sup> of April, mind  
& memory. Do make & ordain this my last will & testament, and it is  
the will that it be recited by all as goodly first given and my soul  
to God who gave it, and my body to the Earth from whence it came  
to be buried in a Christian & decent manner at the discretion of my  
executors herein after mentioned, had as to the worldly property &  
comparisons of I dispose of in the following manner

1<sup>st</sup>. To my wife & because that all my just debts be paid

2<sup>d</sup>. I bequeath to Elizabeth Black, Robert Morris, Benjamin Franklin & William Penn my dues in law or otherwise — 3<sup>rd</sup>. I bequeath to my son Robert McLean my negro girl Peggy & to my Daughter Martha Readley I bequeath my negro girl Peggy together with a bed & furniture consisting of a double bedsheet & double blanket & a pair of fine sheets, likewise a chest of drawers & a large butter dish and Dishes Table cloth —

5<sup>th</sup>. To Elizabeth McLean my grand daughter I bequeath my negro woman Lucy — 6<sup>th</sup>. To my daughter Anna Hill I bequeath one hundred & fifty dollars to be given to her by my executor as her necessity may require but should Hill die her husband return within two years from this time & ~~she~~<sup>they</sup> should think fit  
again to live with him, then should any part of the above  
money remain it shall be given to her two youngest children

Viz Mary & Elizabeth — 7<sup>th</sup>. The remaining part of the money  
that I am now possessed of I bequeath to my three children Viz  
Robert, William & Mary Green & Martha Readley an equal part  
each, with this proviso that the part falling to Mary Green shall  
be equally divided between her daughter Elizabeth

8<sup>th</sup>. Esq or — 8<sup>th</sup>. The remaining part of my property consisting of the  
of Uncle and house to仆人 to whom it is my will & pleasure that to  
be sold & equally divided between my three children Viz Robert  
& Mary & Martha — The summing truly I leave to my son Robert & his  
wife & children as a legacy to my son Robert, my wife, son  
above to be equally divided between the above three children

To God who gave it, and my legacy to the Earth from whence it came  
to be buried in a lonely & desert place at the direction of my  
executrix herein after mentioned, as had as to the worldly property I  
comprise & of I dispose of in the following manner  
I. The 1st. It is my will & pleasure that all my just debts be paid -

2<sup>d</sup> I beg you to extend Black, Robert Morris, a undersigned  
& William Heron my dues in two one dollar each - 3<sup>d</sup> I beg you to  
to my son Robert McComb my negro girl Priscilla + 4<sup>th</sup> To my  
Daughter Rachel Reddinger I beg you to the my negro girl Piggy  
together with a Lock of her hair consisting of a double concealed  
& claspable Retractable & a piece of fine Sheet, otherwise a Chest of  
drawers & a large parrotie desk and Dishes Table cloth -

5<sup>th</sup> To Elizabeth & her issue my ground always I bequeath my  
neger woman Lucy - 6<sup>th</sup> To my daughter Susan Vige I bequeath  
one hundred & fifty dollars to be given to her by my executor as  
her necessity may require but should William her husband  
return within two years from this time ~~she~~<sup>the</sup> should think pro-  
per again to live with him, then should any part of the above  
money remain it shall be given to her two youngest children  
viz Mary & Elizabeth - 7<sup>th</sup> The remaining part of the money  
that I am now possessed of I bequeath to my three children viz  
Robert, William & Mary Green & distribute it equally, each  
with this proviso that the part falling to Mary Green shall  
be equally divided between her daughter Elizabeth  
& her son - 8<sup>th</sup> The remaining part of my property consisting of the  
old house & barn to be given to the said Robert & his wife  
as joint proprietors - I bequeath to my son Robert & his  
wife Elizabeth as a legacy to my son Robert, my种植园, farm  
house to be equally divided between the above three children  
viz Mary & Robert - If to Susan & Robert they are to be  
divided equally between them.

I also represent my son Walter. He and his  
brother Frank have sold their interest in the  
company to me. I am now the sole owner.  
Signed at the office of the company  
in New York City, March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1889.