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In the Name of God Amen I Thomas
Cresap Gent his Majesty's Lieutenant of the Province of Maryland being in
perfect health and memory (praised be God) considering how uncertaine a thing life
is and in this World, and how certaine that it is a time appointed unto all men that not
knowing how soone it may come I do make and ordaine this to be my last
Will and Testament

Imprimis I bequeath my Soul unto Almighty God who gave it unto me
hoping that through the merits and intercession of my Redeemer the Sa
viour and Justly offended to have pardon and remission of my sinnes and
that he will graciously pleased to receive the same my Soul I give a
way the Earth from whence it came to be decently interred in this place
appointed by Maj.r William Dent who I do hold will do me that Christian
office of Friendship in a Country where I am a stranger [illegible] being
Just and true and Friend both to my Father [illegible] and thus
Constitute and Appoint Maj.r William Dent [illegible] administrator
in my Last Will and Testament rendring and [illegible] accounts
of my Estate as well as my Father after his Decease the Estate to the
person hereafter named

Item my Will and desire is that Maj.r Dent has paid all
due from me and what are left in satisfied of my Creditors of my Estate
be allotted he returne the residue of both Estates unto Sr Charles Lorrimer
Bt Excepting such Legacies as are left by me in his Country

Item I give and bequeath unto my Honored Father unto whom
I owe all (next after God) all my worldly happiness all the money and Tobacco
shall be found due to me after my debts are satisfied Equally Fifty
and pounds of Tobacco and a Ring of five pounds sterling [illegible] and
Maj.r William Dent for his great trouble the [illegible] equally
[illegible] give appointe

Item my Will and desire is that after my Father and [illegible] Executors
and my Father Will give unto my Honored [illegible] shall dye before my two
[illegible] to my Brothers and Sisters each in Law Dated Nell to be [illegible]

Item I give and bequeath in Law do not pay them by leaving
Ring and to Mr Freeman [illegible] wanting for the [illegible] to [illegible]

Item I give unto [illegible]

Item I give [illegible]

Therefore declare
[illegible] I have [illegible]
[illegible]

Thos Cresap [illegible]

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