

Maryland pt. Ann Arundel Co. October 7<sup>th</sup> 1774 — In the Name of God  
Amen — I John Ewitt of the City of Annapolis Carpenter being Sick and Weak  
of Body but of sound and perfect mind and Memory do make and ordain this to be my  
last will and Testament in manner and form following —  
I Impower It is my Will that my Exor. Capore to take all that part of a Lot of  
Ground on which ~~was~~ now dwells together with the House and Improvements  
thereon being part of a lot of Ground number ninety six conveyed to me by my  
Father Joseph Ewitt on the twentieth Day of March one thousand  
Seven hundred and forty four and Likewise that he sell all my  
Effects of what kind and nature ~~and~~ and when he shall have the  
Said Lot House and Improvements and effects sold, and he is hereby  
Impowered to sell the Same the money arising from the Sale  
thereof together with any other Monies that he may Collect of my out  
Standing Debts after all my Just Debts and Funeral Expenses are  
paid, I give and Bequeath to my three Sons Seth, Hill Ewitt, Abraham  
Ewitt and Woodward Ewitt to be equally divided amongst them, but in  
Case either of my Sons Abraham Ewitt or Woodward Ewitt should die before  
they arrive to the age of twenty one Years then their part shall fall to my  
aforesaid Son Seth Hill Ewitt — Item. I give and Bequeath to my  
Son Joseph John Ewitt and his heirs and Assigns for ever all that  
Piece or parcel of Ground being part of a Lot of Ground number  
ninety six now in my Possession conveyed to me by my Father  
Joseph Ewitt on the fourteenth day of November one thousand  
Seven hundred and sixty three. I also further give and Bequeath  
to my said Son Joseph John Ewitt his heirs and assigns for ever,  
All that piece or parcel of Ground devised to me and my heirs by the  
Last will and Testament of my Father Joseph Ewitt. It is my will that  
my Executor shall not sell my House and Ground mentioned in this will  
to be sold untill the term is expired for which ~~was~~ now took it  
which Term will expire some time in November one thousand Seven  
hundred and seventy five. — Lastly I do appoint Jon<sup>d</sup>. Pinkney  
of the City of Annapolis to be my Executor to see this my will per-  
formed and I do hereby Revoke and annul all former wills & wills  
heretofore by me made acknowledging and Confirming this and no  
other to be my Last Will and Testament. In Witness  
(whereof)