It and for my Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in a Christian
like decent manner at the discretion of my Executor nothing
doubting but at the General resurrection I shall receive the same
again by the mighty power of God and as touching such worldly
Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life
I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner
and form

Imprs I give and bequeath unto Elizabeth my dutiful & beloved wife for my
time dwelling p[ortion] Portion called Spring Place during her life and
after her decease to be equally divided between my two Sons Jacob
and Charles to them and the heirs of their Body Lawfully begotten

Item I give unto my Son Francis one hundred acres of Land which lieth
lyeth between Spring Place and John Tibbolls with that Plantation
where George Slader last lived by the Consent of the said Francis
Marling Provided such hundred acres aforesaid moreover shall
begin at the second bounded tree of the said Tibbolls Land and
run with the said John Tibbols Land South East by South one
hundred and fifty perches and then South west to the land called
Spring Place and with it to the first bounded tree bounded on the
North with the said River to the first bounded tree being the
second tree of John Tibbolls Land which Land I give to him and
the heirs of his Body

Item I give unto my three Sons Abraham and Isaac ~~and Jacob~~ all
the remaining part of my Land due to me in any part of
this Province which Land I do give to them and the heirs of
their Body Lawfully begotten which Land is to be equally divided
amongst my three Sons and further my desire is that they may
enjoy the Lands given them when they come to the age of twenty
years old

Item I give to my daughter Sarah two pewter dishes two pewter pottes
and two pewter porringers and one Cow and Calf to be delivered to her
next October and that I gave her before Item I give to my daughter in Law Joyce
Tippolet Ripley three pewter dishes two pewter porringers and one Cow and Calf to be delivered
next October

Item my will and desire is after my beloved wife hath her third
proportionable out of the personal Estate after my just debts
and Legacies paid and satisfied my desire is that all the
remainder of my whole Estate whatever personally to be equally
divided amongst my six Sons and every one equal part to be
received when they come to the full age of twenty years old and not
before further my desire is if there should not be the
complement of Land within those bounds given to my Son Francis
my will is the state sixty one hundred acres be made up out of
any the Lands next joining to fulfill my real legacy given him
above Notwithstanding any thing contrary in this

Item

Item my will and desire is that my two beloved wife be my
Executrix and my Son Francis to be my Executor to be jointly
concerned to see this my last will and testament fulfilled and
performed

Item my will and desire is if in case any difference or controversy should
arise between my beloved wife and my Son Francis in their joint
concerns wherein I have appointed them to see this my last will
performed and kept I do give my trusty and well beloved friend
Ralph and John Hudson full power and authority to determine any
matter of Controversy that shall or may arise between my wife and
Son as if my self were personally present and I do hereby utterly
disallow revoke and disannull all and every other former testaments
wills and Legacies Bequests and Executors by me in any way before
this time named willed and bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming
this and no other to be my last will and testament In witness whereof
I have hereunto hereof set my hand and seale the day and year
above written

Francis Marling his mark

Signed Sealed published pronounced and
declared by the said Francis Marling Sen.
as his last will and testament in the presence
of us the subscribers

John Tibbolls Sen.
Will Gravy his mark
John Brinton mark

Sept. 27th anno Dni 1702

There was the within will proved in due
form of the Oath of John Tibbolls Wm. Gravy and John
Brinton the Witnesses thereunto subscribed before
me Certified the day and year aforesaid per me
Robt. Hinley Deputy County for Talbot County

And Letters Testamentary were accordingly Granted unto Elizabeth Marling
and Francis Marling Executors et Fogo Rex with the will annexed

In the name of God Amen I John Clifford of Dorchester
County Sen. being of a perfect sense and memory at the present writing
thereof praised be to my Creator for it do make and declare this as my
Last will and Testament in manner and forme following viz.

Imprs I give and bequeath my Soul unto Almighty God who gave it
with a full assurance of the pardon and remission of all my sins in and thro
the merits and sufferings of my Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ and my
body to the Earth to be honestly buried at the my Executor shall think most convenient and to what worldly Estate it hath
pleased God to bless me with I give and bequeath as followeth

Item I give and bequeath unto my Eldest Son John Clifford all the Plantation and
Lands thereunto belonging one which Game tree called and known by the
name of Fowlell containing three hundred and sixty six acres more or less as
also I give and bequeath unto my said Son John Clifford as aforesaid

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