of God that gave it me and my Body I recommend to the Earth to be Buried in a Christian like and Decent Manner at the Discretion of my Executors 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 and Dispose in this following Manner and form, Imprimis I Give and Bequeath unto my well beloved Wife Barbary Honour all my hole Personal Estate Except one three Year old heifer to be given unto William Jones Son of William Jones Brickleyer to be left in the Care of his Mother until he the said William Jones shall arrive to the Age of fifteen Likewise I Constitute and ordaining well beloved Wife Barbara Honour my whole and Executor of this my Last Will and Testament as Witness my Hand and Seal the Day and Year above Written

Thomas his ✗ Mark Honour

Witnes Present

Philip Rasin

Denis his ✗ Mark Mecreadey

Thomas Able

Philip Raisin and Dennis McCready being Sworn on the Holy Evangelists do say That they were Present and did see Thomas Honour Sign and Seal the foregoing Instrument of Writing and did at the same time hear him Publish and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament and that the Testator did then appear to be of sound disposing Mind and Memory and that they did write their Names as Witnesses thereto in the Presence and at the Request of the Testator and in the Presence of each other and that Thomas Able the other Subscribing Witness was present and did write his Name in like Manner

Sworn this 22. day of March 1764 before D Hands Dep. Com. Kent

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In the name of God Amen I William Comegys of Kent County in the Province of Maryland being very Sick and weak in Body but of sound Mind Memory and Understanding (Blessed be God) therefore do this twenty third Day of March in the Year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and sixty four make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in Manner and form following (that is to say) first of all I Give and devise unto my Eldest Son John Comegys my dwelling Plantation called Willys Lott and Buck hill Containing three hundred and seven Acres or thereabouts to have and to hold with all the Premises and Appurtenances thereunto belonging (the Crop on the Ground Excepted) to him & his Heirs forever, he or they Paying two hundred Pounds of Current Money of Maryland to be paid to five of his younger Brothers & Sisters to each of them forty Pounds (to wit) to Cornelius forty Pounds to Alethea forty Pounds to Edward forty Pounds to Jonathan forty Pound & to Ann forty Pounds to be paid to each of them when they shall arrive at Age the Boys at twenty one Years & Girls at fifteen, and also I give unto my dear Son John one Negroe Woman called Marea & one Negroe Boy called Jacob & more, Secondly I Give and devise unto my Son Alphonso my Plantation on the head of Brickleyers Branch being part of two Tracts or Parcels of Land (to wit) one hundred & Eighty one Acres of Land called the Forest more or less and also forty eight Acres of Land called Chance be it more or less Together with all the Premises & Appurtenances thereunto belonging to have and to Hold to him and his Heirs forever, he or they Paying one hundred and twenty five Pounds Current Money (as followeth) to his three Brothers and two Sisters each of them as they arrive to the Age of twenty one Years the Boys, the Girls at fifteen Years (to wit) to be paid unto Edward twenty five Pounds to Jonathan twenty five Pounds to Cornelius twenty five Pound, to Alethea twenty five Pound and to Ann twenty five Pounds, Also I give unto my dear Son Alphonso one Negro Boy called Jem & no more, Thirdly I give and devise unto my Son Nathaniel all that Parcel of Land in Queen Ann County where my Cousin William Comegys now lives being part of Comegys reserve & Guyders Range Containing by Estimation two hundred & seventy Acres of Land be it more or less together with all the Premises & Appurtenances thereunto belonging to have and to hold to him and his Heirs forever, fourthly I give and devise unto my Son Jesse all the Residue of my Land in Queen Anns County whereon John Richmond lives being part of Comegys Reserve and Guyders range & Guyders Lott. Containing two hundred and seventy Acres of Land more or less with all the Premises and Appurtenances thereunto belonging to have and to hold to him and his Heirs forever, fifthly my Will is that after my just Debts be paid and my funeral Charges Expences & my Wifes thirds be taken out I give the Residue or remaining part of my Personal Estate to be equally divided Share and share alike between my Sons, Nathaniel Jesse, Edward, Jonathan and Cornelius, and my Daughters Alethea, and Ann Lastly I Ordain and Appoint my Loving Wife Ann, and my Son John