In the Name of God Amen the 9 day of Novemb: in the Year of our Lord God 715 I Phil Carter of Somset County in the Parish of Stepney being very Sick & weak of Body but of perfect Mind & Memory thanks be to God therefore calling unto mind the Mortality of my Body & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to dye doe make & ordain this my Last Will & Testam: that is to say principally & first of all I give & recomend my Soul into the hands of God that gave it & for my Body I comend it to Earth to be buried in a Christian like & decent Manner at the discretion of my Ex: Nothing doubting but at the Gen: Re[illegible] I shall receive the same again by the Mighty power of God & as touching such worldly Estate as it hath pleased God to bless me w: in this Life I give & dispose of the same in the foll: forme & manner. Imp: I give & bequeath to Mary my Dear & Welbelovved Wife one third part of all my moveable Estate after my just Debts & what other Legacys are paid & the other two thirds to be equally devided betwixt Jn: Richards Senr: & Sarah Acworth Widow. It: I give & bequeath to Sarah Acworth junr: & to the heirs of her Body for Ever two hund: Acres of Land to be taken out of the S: Side of a Tract of Land called Whetstone being the Plantacon that I now live upon my Beloved Wife having the benefitt thereof during her Life It: I give to Jn: Richards junr: & his heirs one hund: Acres of Land to be taken upon the West of the Remainder of the ass: Tract of Land called Whetstone & the waste Land that I have taken up betwixt that Tract called Whetstone & a Tract formerly belonging to Manasses Morris & It: I give & bequeath to Jn: Richards Senr: & his heirs all that Remains of that Tract called Whetstone & Likewise of the waste Land I have taken up It: I give unto Sarah Acworth junr: one feather bed & four head of Cattle It: I give Tabitha More one two year old heifer It: I give unto Eliz: Richards one two years old heifer [illegible] It: I give unto Phil Richards my Long Gun & best hat & my other gun to Jn: Acworth It: I give to Sarah Acworth w: her Child that she now has one little Mare Colt & one yearling heifer It: I give Jn: Richards Senr: all my wearing Cloths & two Yards & a half of new broad Cloth that is now buy me to make a Coate & I doe likewise Constitute & Ordain the S: Jn: Richards Senr: my only Sole Ex: of this my Last Will & Testam: & I doe hereby utterly disallow, Revoke & Disannull all other former Wills, Testam: Legacys & Ex: by me in any ways before this time named willed & bequeathed Ratifying & Confirming this & no other to be

my Last Will & Testam: In Wittness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal the day & Year above Written

Philip Carter (Seal)

Signed & Sealed in the presence of us
David his mark Shelte
Rob: R his mark Downs
Jn: Kinler his mark
Alex: Carlile

And on the back was thus Endorsed viz: Memor: that this day (viz) the 10 Jan: 715 came before me Alexr: Carlile, David Shelte & Jn: Kinler in their p[illegible] persons & made Oath upon the holy Evangelist that they saw the w: in Testat: declare & Signe the w: in Instrum: as his Last Will & Testam: & that he published pronounced & declared the same so to be & at the time of his so doing he was of Sound & perfect Mind & Memory to the best of their knowledge as Wittness my hand

Sam: Hopkins Dep: Comr

In the Name of God Amen I Jn: Stockley of Allhallows Parish in Somset Co: in the Province of Maryland Gent: being very sick & weak in Body but of Sound & perfect Mind & Memory praise be therefore Given to almighty God doe therefore make & ordain this my Last Will & Testam: in Manner & forme following first I comend my Soul into the hands of Almeighty God to have full & free Confidence in his Mercy through the Merrits Death & passion of our Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ to have full & free pardon of all my Sins & to inherritt Everlasting Life My Body I committ to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Ex: hereafter named & as touching the disposition of my Temporall Estate as it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow upon me I give & dispose thereof as follo: Imp: I give unto Rob: Johnson two hund: & fifty Acres of Land to him & his heirs for Ever part of a Tract called North Paterson. I give unto my Son Tho: One hund: Acres of Land w: a Plantacon lyeing upon the head of Cedar Neck Creek to him & his heirs for Ever. It: I give unto my Son Wm: Stockley the Plantacon where I now dwell containing One hund: Acres of Land to him & his heirs & assignes for Ever. It: I give unto Mary my beloved wife the Beach containing One hund: & fifty Acres of Land upon the North Side of the Inlet Nehoboth to her & her heirs & Assignes for Ever. It: I give to my Son in Law Jonathan Sturges Sixteen Young Steers to be paid to him this Next Spring. It: I give to my Son Thos: Stockley a Bull 5 or 6 years old raising at Th: Mattins. It: I give to my Son Thos: Stockley my best Coate & Breeches 2 or 3 doz: of Plate Butt: All the Rest & ~~[illegible]~~ Residue