Item I give unto my Grand Daughter Elizabeth Barton one Negro Woman and her Increase to her and her ~~heirs~~ Heirs forever

Item — Desire that all the rest of my Estate may be equally divided between my s^d Grandson and Grand Daughter —

Item — Desire that if either my s^d Grandson or Grand Daughter should Dye before they come of age that their Estates may fall to ye Survivor of them two

Item Desire that my Daughter in Law Rachell Barton may have the Use of it as Long as she is a widow —

Item — Desire that if my Grandson or Grand Daughter should Dye without Heir that the Negroes above mentioned should fall to my Daughter in Law Rachell Barton and to her Disposing the s^d Negro and their Increase, And likewise Daughter in Law Rachell Barton to be whole & Sole Exr^x and Edward Brannon to be Overseer of this my last Will and Testam^t — As witness my Hand & Seale this 8 & 12th day of December 1716

Elizabeth her E B mark Barton (Seale)

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of us —

Wm Hawthorne Witness, James Parrandier, Jno Parrandier —

On the Back whereof was thus Endorsed Viz^t

April 9th 1717 Then came James Parrandier and John Parrandier Witnesses hereunto Attesting and made Oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that they saw the within mentioned Eliza^d Barton publish and declare the matter herein contained to be her Last Will & Testament

Coram me die & Anno Supra

A Contee Dep Cl Cur

Kezia Stevens her Nuncupative Will

March 12th 1716 — Came Jno Nelson & took Oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that he heard Kezia Stevens in her Last time declare that it was her Desire that Ozias Wills should have her son James Stevens with what she had to do for of his of his son — And further ye s^d Kezia Stevens gave to her Godd Daughter Anne Nelson one Heifer and that the first Calfe of the same Heifer should have should go to belong to Elizabeth Nelson — Coram me die & Anno Supra A Contee Dep Cl Cur

In the Name of God Amen I John Posey of Charles County in the province of Maryland being sick and in Body but of perfect Memory thanks be to almighty God for ye And calling to mind the uncertainty of this life do make and appoint this my Last Will and Testament — manner and form following —

First I give and bequeath my Soul unto the hands of Almighty God and my Body to Earth hoping to receive the same at ye Last day with a free pardon of all my Sins through the Merits of Jesus Christ my only Saviour and Redeemer and my Body to have a Christian Burial at the Discretion of my Exr^x hereafter named —

Imp^o I give to my Dear and welbeloved Mother Mary Posey all ye Tract of Land called Stump Neck She to have the same forever and to Sell and Dispose of the same as she will —

Item I give unto my Dear and welbeloved Mother Mary Posey my Plantation that she now Lives on during the Term of her Natural Life and after her Decease to my welbeloved Brother Fran^s Posey to him and his heirs forever —

Item I give to my welbeloved Bro^r Benjamin Posey one hundred Acres of Land called Bolaine Gill (that is to say) the Plantation that is now called Walter Denning from ye Mouth ye pine lived on it to him and his heirs forever —

Item — I will and Bequeath to my welbeloved Bro^r Frances Posey my Plantation called Rhodes to him and his heirs forever —

Item I give my Saddle and Bridle to my well beloved Brother Frances Posey —

Item I give to my welbeloved Bro^r Bolaine Posey my Tract of Land called Woodall's Branch to him and his heirs forever —

Item I give to my welbeloved Sister Mary Posey my Horse called Skipper

Item I appoint my Dear and Loving Mother Mary Posey sole Exr^x of this my Last Will and Testam^t Revoking all other Wills this being my true and intended meaning as witness my Hand & Seale this twenty first day of March one thousand seven hundred and Sixteen —

Jno I Posey (Seale)

Test^e Cha: Musgrave, Timothy Reading

Edwd E^d Evans mark

On the Back of which s^d Will was thus Endorsed Viz^t

April ye 28th 1717 —

Came Charles Musgrave and Timothy Reading Witnesses hereunto Attesting and took Oath on the Holy Evangelist that they saw the within named John Posey publish and declare the matter herein contained to be his Last Will and Testament as also that Edwd Evans ye other Evidence Subscribing was present at ye same time

Coram me die & Anno Supra A Contee Dep Cl Cur