In the Name of God Amen I Mary Garrett being sick & weak
Xd in Body but of as good Sence and memory as I have been for some time do
Institute and Ordaine this to be my last Will and Testament in manner &
form as followeth first I resigne my Soul to Allmighty God that gave it me
trusting and hoping in ye merrits of Christ that my Body shall be raised
at the last day to the in joyment of a Blessed Resurrection and as for
what worldly goods it hath been pleased God to endow me with I give and
bequeath in manner and form as followeth and my Body to be Buried in
a decent and Christian like manner according to the discretion of my Ex
hereafter named

Imprimis I give and bequeath to Grover Bordman my land and plantation that I
now live on to him and his heirs for ever
And my will is that my Negro Will shall be free from all persons and
I give and bequeath him five pounds out my Estate

Imp. I give and bequeath to Winnifred Wate one feid Cow & yearling with her
and one Suit of Cloathes of good Stuff

Imp. I give and bequeath to Bridgett Gilles one Suit of good Stuff Cloathes

Imp. I give and bequeath Sarah Bordman Senr my worsted Stuff Cloathes

Imp. I give and bequeath to Elenor Bordman one Ewe Lamb

And for all the Remainder of my Estate after my just debts and Legacys
is paid I give and bequeath to be equally devided amongst my brother
John Gilles Children and do institute and ordaine Thos Humphries
to be whole & Sole my Executor and Administrator of all my goods Chattles
and Credits denying and Revoking all other wills and this to be my last
Will and Testament dated this 13th Day of March in the year of our
Lord 1727/8 as witness hereunto I have set my hand & Seal

Signed Sealed in the presence of Us
Thos Collier
Romen his ++ mark Collens Senr
Romen his A mark Collens
John his + mark Collens
Mary Garrett ye Testator

Mary her X mark Garrett (Seal)

On the Back of ye Aforegoing Will was this written viz
Mary ye 18th 1728 Then Came Thos Collier Romen Collens and John Collens & made Oath upon the holy Evangelist of Allmighty God that they saw the within named Mary Garrett ye Testator Sign & Seal ye within Instrument as her last Will and Testament & that they heard her Publish & declare the

Same so to be and that at the time of her so doing she was of sound disposing
mind & memory to the Best of their knowledge Sworn Before me the day
and year above Written

David Wilson Depty Clerk of Somerset County

In the Name of God Amen I Richard Acworth of Stepney Parish in
Xd Somerset County being very Sick and low in Body but of perfect sence
and good memory Blessed be the Allmighty God for it & and do make this
my last Will & Testament Revocating and disannulling all Will or Wills
made heretofore by me Either in word or Writing first I leave and bequeath
my Soul to God that gave it and my Body to the Earth from whence it was
taken to be Buried in a Decent and Christian manner as my Executors
hereafter named shall think fitt &c

first I leave and bequeath unto my loving Sons Charles Acworth and Thos
Acworth one Tract of land of five Hundred Acres Called Acworths Delight
and one Tract of land of two Hundred Acres Called Hog Quarter and one
Tract of land of one Hundred Acres Called Acworths Choice to them and
their heirs for ever to be equally divided between the sd Charles Acworth
and Thomas Acworth Charles Acworth having the lower Part of the land
and Thomas Acworth the Upper Part of the land all the sd three Tracts of
land lyeth on the South Side of Barren Creek and they are to Begin their
division at the Boat landing and from thence to extend their Course
Back into the Woods to divide the land Equally Between them &c

2 I leave and Bequeath unto my loving Son Richard Acworth one Hundred
Acres of land Called Chance lying on the South side of Barren Creek beginning
at a landing by the Creek side Called the Sweet bows landing to him and his
heirs for ever never to be Mortagaged Lett or sold by him to any Person
or Persons for ever without the Consent of his two Brothers Charles
Acworth and Thomas Acworth &c

3 I leave and Bequeath unto my loving Sons Richard Acworth Charles
Acworth & Thomas Acworth two Hundred Acres of land and Marsh Called
Marsh Point and one tract of land and Marsh Called Ridges lying on ye
South side of Nanticoak River between Barren Creek and the Deen Creek
to them and their heirs for ever Never to be sold by any of them without
the Consent of them all &c

4 I leave and bequeath unto my loving son Thomas Acworth two feather

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