In the Name of God Amen I Bazil Peake of St Marys County being very Sick and Weak but of Sound and perfect mind and memory thanks be to God do make constitute ordain and appoint This to be my Last Will and Testament and my whole Estate both Real and personal to be disposed of in manner and form following That is to say.

Imprimis I give and bequeath unto my Brother John Bapt. Peake all that Tract or parcel of Land I Lately purchased of Ignatius Jarboe called the pleasant Levelle to him and his heirs for ever

Item I give and bequeath to my Worthy daughter in Law Elizabeth Meadley one Negro Girl named Hannah which at present is very Sick and in Case she should not recover her health and strength in Six months from the date of those presents Then I give her the Said Eliz.a Meadley one Negro Boy named Sam or to be at her Choice which of the two she will take at that time and also feather Bed and furniture and half a dozen pewter plates and one dish one Iron pott and hooks the pott to weigh at least twenty pounds Weavers Loom and harness and my Young Bay horse and as much Tobacco to be paid out of my Estate as will Buy her a good new Saddle and Bridle to her and her heirs for ever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Son in Law Joseph Meadley one Cow and Calf and one Sow and Piggs half a dozen Sheep and my Gun and one feather Bed and furniture and one thousand pound of Crop Tobacco to be paid out of my Estate to him and his heirs for ever

Item I give and bequeath to my Father William Peake my Wearing Cloathes and my Saddle and Bridle to him and his heirs.

Item I give the use of all the remainder or Ballance of my Estate not heretofore mentioned after my Just Debts be paid to my Loving Wife Eliz.th Peake during her natural Life and after her decease Except Such part as the Law gives her at my decease my Will and desire is shall be equally divided Between my five Brothers and Sisters hereafter mentioned Viz.t Philip Peake Barnet Peake Ignatius Peake Dorothy Peake and Rebecca Peake to them and their heirs for ever and do nominate and appoint my Loving Wife Elizabeth Peake and her son Joseph Meadley to be my Sole Executors of this my Last Will and Testament in Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this Eighth day

Day of September 1760

Signed Sealed and delivered
In presence of Us
Mary Ann Meadley
Ed.d Edwards
Mont.e Edwards

Bazil Peake (Seal)

October 13.th 1760

Then Mary Ann Meadley Edward Edwards and Mont.e Edwards the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will being duly and Solemnly Sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God depose and say that they saw the Testator Bazil Peake sign the foregoing Will and heard him publish and declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament that at the Time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind and memory and that they subscribed their respective Names as Witnesses to the Said Will in the presence of the Said Testator and at his request

Sworn to before me
Thos Gisguith Regr of St Marys Co

(5/2 Sides)

Exam.d Nov.r 4.th 1760 Then Mary Ann Meadley the Executrix named in the within Will and Testament Qualified by me Thomas Gisguith Regr of St Marys Co

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St Marys September ye 24 1760.

In the Name of God Amen I Ralph Price of St Marys County in the province aforesaid being Weak of Body but of Sound and perfect memory and considering the uncertainty of this transitory World think it fit and convenient to settle things in order for a Better Rest and principally I bequeath my Soul to Almighty God my Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ by whose meritorious Death and Passion I hope to Enjoy eternal Life, and my Body to the Earth to be decently buried at my Ex.tors hereafter ~~named~~ nominated Shall think most proper and convenient and to appoint and ordain this to be my Last will and Testament revoking all other Will or Wills by me heretofore made either verbally or in Writing.

Imprimis Item, I ordain all my household Goods to be sold to pay my just debts.

2 Item all the remaining part of my Estate I give to the poor I have at the discretion of my Ex.tors hereafter mentioned.

Lastly I appoint Peter Cain and Henry Shircliff Ex.tors of this my Last Will and Testament.

Signed Sealed delivered
in presence of
Testes John Shircliff
Richard Shircliff

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October 13.th 1760.

Then John Shircliff and Richard Shircliff the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will being duly and Solemnly Sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God depose and say that they saw the Testator Ralph Price sign the foregoing Will and heard him publish and declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound & disposing mind & memory Sworn to before

Ex.d Tho Gisguith Regr of St Marys Co