The foregoing Will and hereof 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 presence of the Testator and at his request

G Milligan Clerk of Cecil County

(1½ Sides) Ed.

In the Name of God Amen

I Samson George of St. Mary Anne Parish Cecil County in Maryland being of sound mind tho' weak in Body do make this my Last Will and Testament revoking all other Wills or Wills by me heretofore made

Imprimis I desire to be buried decently at the discretion of my Executor hereafter named in hopes of a joyful resurrection tho' the merits of blood of my dear Saviour and redeemer Jesus Christ. ——

Item I desire that all my Legal debts be paid as soon as my Executors shall have it in their power after my decease. ——

Item I leave and bequeath the plantation I now live on & the plantation Beyan Mr. Swins lives now on to my dearly beloved Wife until my Eldest Son comes of age and after he arrives at the full age of Twenty one then he is to have said plantations reserving one third thereof to my dd wife during her natural life. ——

Item I leave the plantation called Samsons Adventure now rented to Matthias Johnson to my Executors to be by them sold if they think proper & to be divided among my three daughters Mary Rachel and Ann as soon as they come to the age of Sixteen years

Item I leave all the personal Estate I now am possessed of to my Executors to be by them divided equally between my Son John and three daughters as soon as they come of age reserving to my dear Wife her third part. ——

Item I leave my dear Wife Sara George my Brother Nicholas George and my Wifes Brother Samson Cannon my Executors to this my Last Will Signed Sealed and published this ninth day of July 1760 Anno

In presence of us
Jno Hamilton
Tho: Hughes
John Nicholls Junr

Samson George (Seal)

Cecil County ss: October 13th 1760 John Hamilton Thomas Hughes & John Nicholls the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will being duly and solemnly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God depose and say that they saw the Testator Samson George Sign the foregoing Will and he did 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 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

(4 Sides) Ed.

G: Milligan Clerk Cecil County

In the Name of God Amen

I Michael Ruley of Cecil County of the province of maryland Gent. Being weak of Body but of perfect mind and memory do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament bearing date this Eighteenth day of June one thousand seven hundred and fifty nine. ——

First I commit my Soul to God my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereafter named nothing doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and touching my worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life I give devise and dispose of the Same in the following following manner and form ——

Item It is my Will and I do ordain that in the first place all my just debts and funeral charges be paid. ——

Item I leave unto my Wife one negro man named Sampson and I leave unto my Wife two feather beds. ——

Item Item I leave unto my Son Michael and unto my Son Seth one negro Wench named Rose and her Increase. ——

Item I leave unto my Daughter Rebecca and unto my Daughter Mary and unto my Daughter Rachel and unto my Daughter Ann five pounds apiece. ——

Item I leave unto my Daughter Priscilla one negro Woman named Jane I leave my Daughter Priscilla in the Care of my Son Anthony. ——

Item I leave the remainder of my moveable Estate after my just debts are paid unto my Son Anthony and unto my Daughter Priscilla and unto my Son Michael and unto my Son Seth to be equally divided between the four ——

Item I leave my well beloved Wife Hel and Sol Executor ~~Item~~ I leave unto my Son Anthony one negro boy called Samson Born 1756. ——

I acknowledge this to be my Last Will and Testament ——

Sarah Price
Jno Winterbury
Jan Nicholas

Michael Ruley