and did see Richard Willson Sign and Seal the within Instrument of Writing and did hear him Publish and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament and that at such time he did appear to be of sound disposing Mind and that they did Write their Names as Witnesses thereto in the Presence and at the Request of the Testator and that William Husbands was present and did Write his Name in like Manner Sworn before D Hands Dep Com Kent

7 Feb Recorded

In the name of God Amen The Twenty seaven Day of January in the Year of our Lord 1764, I John Reed of Kent County in the Province of Maryland being weak of Body but of sound Disposing Mind and Memory thanks be given to God therefore and calling to Mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all Flesh once to die do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament that is to say Principally and first of all, I give and recommend my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God that gave it and for my Body I Recommend it to the Earth to be buried in a Christian and decent like Manner at the Discretion of my Executors nothing Doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty Power of God and as touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life I give and Dispose of the same in the following Manner and form, Imprimis It is my Will and I do Order that all my just Debts and funeral Charges be paid and satisfied, Item I give and bequeath to my well beloved Wife one third part of my Estate Real and personal, Item I give and bequeath to my Son John all my Lands and none of my personal Estate, Item I give and bequeath all the Rem under part of my Estate after my Wife's Dower is taken out to be equally divided between my Son Benjamin my Son Amos my Son Shadrach and my Daughter Ruth, and Ap point my Son Amos and my Son Shadrach Sole and Lawful Executors to this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and (Disannulling)

Disannulling all Wills and Wills heretofore by me made Do acknowledge this to be my last Will and Testament in the Presence of the Subscribing Witnesses called to Testify

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced Declared and Acknowledged by the Testator to be his last Will and Testament

John his ✕ mark Reed (Seal)

Wm Smith
Coston Griffith
James Smith Junr

On the 26th Day of October 1765 William Smith and Coston Griffith being sworn on the holy Evangelists do say that they were present and did see John Reed Sign and Seal the aforegoing Instrument of Writing and did hear him Publish and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament and that he did appear to be of sound and disposing Mind That they did write their Names as Witnesses thereto in the Presence of the Testator and at his Request and in the Presence of each other and that James Smith Junr the other Subscribing Witness was present and did Write his Name in like Manner

Sworn before D Hands Dep Com Kent.

On the 26th Day of October 1765 Amos Reed and Shadrach Reed being Sworn on the holy Evangels do say that the within Instrument of Writing is the true and only Will and Testament of John Reed late of Kent that hath come to their Hands Possession or Knowledge, and that they do not know of any other

Sworn before D Hands Dep Com Kent

5 Feb Recorded

In the name of God Amen July the twenty six Day in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty five I William Clark of Kent County in the Province of Maryland being grown in Years and calling to Remembrance that it is appointed for all Men to die but now being of a serious disposing mind and memory thanks be to God for it do make and ordain this to be my last Will & Testament in manner and form following, Viz First I recommend my Soul to God that gave it hoping through the merits of my Saviour to Receive forgiveness of all my Sins and my Body to be buried at the Discretion of my Wife and as touching what Worldly Goods it hath pleased God to bless me with after my Debts and funeral Charges are paid I give and Dispose of in Manner and form following, Item I give & bequeath

(to)