say principally and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul into the Hands of God that gave it and my Body I Recommend to the Earth to be Buried in a christian Like and decent 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 with in this life I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form —

Imprimis It is my will and I do order that in the first place that all my Just debts and funeral charges be paid and Satisfied —

Item. I give and bequeath unto my loving son Rachel Gillett daughter of my Brother German Gillett and amey his Wife my two Negro fellows Harray and adam and all my House hold Goods and chattles Except two Guns and hand mill to her and her heirs Lawfully begotten of her Body forever I Likewise Lend her my plantation I now live on house orchard and all thereto belonging to be rented out or to have an overseer Sixteen years with the said Negro fellows and the within Named Rachel Gillett is to have all the profiet that is made in Sixteen year after my death and the money Let out on Interest for her use —

Item. I give and bequeath unto my Nephew william Gillett Son of Jarman Gillett and Patience his wife my plantation I now live on with all the Land belonging to it with all the appertuanances thereunto be Profered with when he comes to the age of Twenty one to him and his Heirs Lawfully begotten of his Body forever but if he offers to Lease or morageage or died to this next her in Law and so to continue forever. I Likewise give him my New Gun and my hand mill to him and his heirs forever. —

Item I give and Bequeath unto my Loving Brother Jarman Gillett one old Gun one pair of Silver Shoe Buckles and one pair

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of Silver Knee Buckles to him and his Heirs or assigns forever

Item. I Lend unto Ann Boud Sufficient Rume at one Land of my Plantation or in the woods for a house and Garden and yearly firewood and timber to support it I Likewise Lend her one feather Bed and what belongs to it during her Natural Life —

I Give my Cyder Casks for the use of the plantation —

I do hereby ordain my Brother Jarman Gillett to be my only and Sole Executor of this my last will and Testament and I do disallow revoke and disanul all former wills and Testaments by me before made. Confirming this and no other to be my last will and Testament

In Witness whereof It Signed and acknowledged by the said William Gillett to be his last will and Testament in the pearsence of us the Subscribers — John Stevenson } William Gillett (Seal)
John Aydelott. Samuel alexander Miller }

March 17th 1767. then came John Stephenson John Aydelott and Samuel Alexander Miller the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing will and made oath on the Holy Avangalis of Almighty God that they saw William Gillett the Testator sign Seal and heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his Last will and Testament and that at the Time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of a Sound disposing mind and memory and that they Subscribed their Names as witnesses to the said will in presence of the Testator and at his request —

Sworn before Benton Harris
Dy commissary wor: County

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In the Name of God Amen This Twelfth day of February anno Domini one Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Seven. I John Short of the County of worcester and province of Maryland Being Sick and weak in Body But of perfect mind and memory as thanks therefore be given to God for the Same and Calling unto mind the mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last

(will)