Will and Testament and that he did then appear to be of sound disposing mind and that they did Subscribe their Names as Witnesses thereto in the Presence of the Testator and at his request Thomas Ringgold the Testator being sworn in like manner doth say that the same Instrument of Writing is the true and only Will of James Ringgold that hath come to his Knowledge —

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In the Name of God Amen I Philip Davis of Kent County in the Province of Maryland being sick and weak in Body but of sound and disposing mind and Memory thanks be to God do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following. I recommend my soul to God who gave it me and my Body to the Ground to be buried in a Christian like manner at the Discretion of my Executrix hereafter named and as to the Worldly Goods it has pleased God to bless me with (after my just Debts and funeral Charges are paid I dispose of them in the following manner. First I give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Ann Davis all my Estate both Real and Personal during her Widowhood except what shall be hereafter Disposed of —

2dly I give and Bequeath unto my Beloved Son James Davis and to the Heirs of his Body Lawfully Begotten my now Dwelling Plantation being part of a Tract of Land called Dullums Folly containing One hundred Acres more or Less.

3dly I give and bequeath unto my beloved Son Samuel Davis and to the Heirs of his Body Lawfully begotten all that part of a Tract or Parcel of Land called Angels Lott which I bought of a certain Simon Wilmer Containing one hundred Acres but my Will is that in Case it shall please God that my said Son James should die without Lawful issue and my Son Samuel should become possessor of my said Land called Dullams Folly then I give and Bequeath

(unto)

unto my said Son William Davis and to the Heirs of his Body Lawfully begotten my said Land called Angels Lott —

4thly I give and Bequeath unto my said Sons James Davis and Samuel Davis each a Horse Bridle and Saddle of the Value of Twelve Pounds Currency each ~~and~~ to be paid by my Executrix hereafter named as they Respectively Arrive at the Age of Twenty one Years —

5thly I give and Bequeath all the remainder of my Personal Estate to be Equally Divided between my said beloved Wife Ann Davis and my three Children William, Rebecca and Martha Davis —

6thly I do hereby constitute and Appoint my Beloved Wife Ann Davis whole and Sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all other Wills and Testaments heretofore made by me In Witness where of I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this twenty eight Day of October in the Year of our Lord Seventeen hundred and Sixty Seven —

Signd Sealed Published & Declared by the Testator as his last Will & Testament in the presence of Us the Subscribers who his requested to sign thereto as Evidences —

Philip Davis (Seal)

Edw: Pryce Wilmer
John Stanly
Henry Semans

At the foot of the aforegoing Will was thus Written Viz. —

Kent ss. On the 29th day of December 1767 Edward Price Wilmer John Stanly and Henry Semans being sworn on the Holy Evangelists do say that they did see the Testator Philip Davis sign and Seal the foregoing Instrument of Writing and did hear him Publish and declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament and that he did then appear to be of sound disposing mind that they did Subscribe their Names as Witnesses thereto in the Presence of the Testator and at his Request, And Ann Davis the Executrix being Sworn in like manner doth say that the same Instrument of Writing is the true and only Will and Testament of Philip Davis of Kent County that hath come to her Knowledge.

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