

Maryland } To all Christian People To whom these presents
 Annapundell County } shall come We John Hammond son of Thomas John Hammond of
 the County aforesaid and Anne his wife send greeting Know ye that the said John
 Hammond and Anne his wife as well for and in consideration of the Natural
 affection and Brotherly Love which we have unto our well beloved Brother in Law
 Merry Gaither of Frederick County planter and for and in consideration of the sum of
 Five Shillings as also for divers good causes and considerations us therunto moving
 Have given and granted and by these presents Do Freely give and grant unto the
 said Merry Gaither his Heirs and assigns All that parcel of Land lying in Frederick
 County aforesaid near Little Whip Creek and Singenock Beginning at a bounded Red
 Oak standing one Hundred and eight perches of a line South ten degrees West being the
 Fourth line of the said land called Strife and turning thence South Ten degrees West
 Forty perches then South sixty West eight perches then South Forty six perches
 then South sixty degrees West sixty perches then South Thirty degrees East thirty two
 perches then South Twenty degrees West forty perches then South sixty Degrees West
 forty perches then South nineteen degrees West forty four perches then South Ten
 degrees East seventy two perches then along the said Tract of Land called Hammond's
 Strife North sixty seven degrees East one Hundred and Twenty perches then North
 thirty Degrees West thirty two perches then West Twenty perches then South Twenty
 perches then South sixty nine degrees West forty perches then North forty
 perches then North thirty degrees East one hundred perches then North seventy
 one degrees East thirty two perches then South thirty degrees East forty six
 perches then North sixty degrees East forty six perches then North fourteen
 Degrees East one hundred and thirty perches North sixty nine degrees East
 forty perches then North twenty six degrees West forty four perches then by a
 straight line to the Beginning Now laid out and containing Two hundred Acres
 To have and to hold all and singular the said premises with the appurtenances unto
 the said Merry Gaither his heirs and assigns for ever and all the estate Right Title
 Interest Property claim and Demand (of and in the said premises) of us the said
 John Hammond and Anne his wife our Heirs Executors Administrators and
 assigns In Witness whereof we the said John Hammond and Anne his wife
 have hereunto Interchangeably set our hands and seals this 12th of November
 in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty five

Signed Sealed and Delivered }
 in presence of us }
 Cornelius Howard
 his
 Thomas T Medcalf
 Mark

John Hammond son }
 of Tho. John . . . }
 Ann Hammond



Edw. Gaither son of Benj^r
 On the back of the foregoing Deed was thus written to wit
 Received the Day and Year within written of the within named Merry Gaither the sum of five Shillings
 in full for the consideration of the within mentioned We say Rec^d. by us
 Jm^r Hammond son of Thomas John
 Ann Hammond

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