

slavery, liberated, manumitted & set free, and by these presents do hereby
 release from slavery, liberate, manumit & set free, my Negro Woman Ann
 Maria Jolly, being of the age of twenty three years, and able to work & gain
 a sufficient livelihood & maintenance, and her the said Negro Woman named
 Ann Maria Jolly, I do declare to be henceforth free, manumitted and
 discharged from all manner of servitude or service to me, my Executors
 or Administrators forever. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set
 my hand and affixed my seal this twenty seventh day of November in
 the year of Our Lord eighteen hundred & forty nine.

Signed, sealed & delivered in the presence of us
 Wm. Bea - Charles Cookran

John R. Crighton

Maryland, Dorchester County, To Wit: Be it remembered that
 on this twenty seventh day of November 1849, personally appears John
 R. Crighton, party to the within instrument of Writing, before me the
 subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland for the said
 County, and Acknowledges the same to be his act & deed for the purposes
 therein mentioned, and the Negro Woman within named to be henceforth
 manumitted & discharged from all services to him, or to any claiming
 under him, and to be free & manumitted according to the act of
 Assembly in such cases made & provided.

Acknowledged before

Charles Cookran.

Paid to } Be it remembered and it is hereby certified that
 Garrison Barnes } the following Deed of Manumission was recorded on
 the 24th day of December A. D. 1849, To Wit:
 Know all men by these presents that I, Peter
 Harrington, of Dorchester County, for and in consideration of the good character
 of my Negro Man called Garrison Barnes, now aged forty one, and sound in
 mind & body, and other considerations moving me thereto, do hereby manumit
 and set free the said Garrison from this date. In Witness whereof I have
 hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal this 24th Dec. 1849
 Test Charles Cookran } Peter Harrington

Edward W. Lecompte. }
 State of Maryland, Dorchester County, To Wit: On this 24th Dec. 1849
 personally appears before me the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace for
 the said State & County, Peter Harrington, party grantor in the
 foregoing & above Deed of Manumission, and Acknowledges the
 same to be his act & deed.

Charles Cookran