

of the State of Maryland in and for the City aforesaid personally appears *W<sup>o</sup> Rhetilla, Burke* and made Oath on the Holy Evangelij of Almighty God that the consideration, money in the within bill of sale (mentioned) has been bona fide paid  
Sworn to before

H. R. Robbins

State of Maryland Baltimore County  
I hereby certify that Henry R. Robbins Esquire before whom the annexed Acknowledgment, and affidavit was made and who has thereto subscribed his name was at the time of so doing a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland in and for the City of Baltimore duly Commissioned and sworn.

In Testimony whereof, I hereto set my hand and affix the seal of Baltimore County Court, this 13<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1848.

A. W. Bradford Clerk  
Baltimore County Court.

Recorded the 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 1848

Bill of Sale from  
Rhetilla Burke  
to  
Ann C. Burke

Know all Men by these Presents that *Rhetilla Burke* of Anne Arundel County and State of Maryland, for and in consideration of the sum of One dollar lawful money of the United States, in hand paid by Ann C. Burke of the County

and State aforesaid at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged - Have granted bargained and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain and sell unto the said Ann C. Burke her Executors Administrators and assigns -

One Negro Boy named George Washington aged thirty four years to serve until he shall have arrived to the age of forty four years and then to go free and One Negro boy named Joshua aged ten years on fifteenth of June last to serve until he shall have arrived to the age of thirty five years, and then to go free also One Negro Girl named Patta aged eight years the 20<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> 1848 and all her increase to serve until she shall have arrived to the age of thirty five years and then she be set free, and the said Patta's increase each to serve until they arrive to the age of thirty five years and then to go free -

To Have and To Hold the said described Negro Boys George Washington and Joshua and Negro Girl Patta and all her increase to the said Ann C. Burke her Executors, Administrators and assigns and the said Rhetilla Burke for myself Heirs, Executors and administrators, the said Negro boys George and Joshua and Girl Patta and her increase unto the said Ann C. Burke her Executors, Administrators and assigns.