

year and my Negro Woman named Jane aged about  
 forty years and do for myself, my Executors & Administrators  
 release unto the said Nick, Cesar, Hannah, Cook  
 and Jane all my right and all claim whatsoever as  
 to their persons or to any Estate they may acquire  
 hereby declaring the said Nick, Cesar, Hannah  
 Cook and Jane after the above twenty fifth day of  
 December next absolutely free without any  
 interruption from me or any person or persons  
 whatsoever claiming under me In Witness  
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this  
 25<sup>th</sup> day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand  
 seven hundred and Ninety nine

Sealed & Delivered

William Franklin Seal.

in the presence of

James Mackubin

Rezin Howles

On the back of the foregoing was thus endorsed by  
 Ann Arundel County on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of June 1799

That came the within named William Franklin before  
 me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace for  
 the County aforesaid & acknowledged the within instrument  
 of writing to be his act and Deed according to the act of  
 Assembly in such case made and provided

Recorded 25 June 1799

James Mackubin

William Franklin } William Franklin of Ann Arundel  
 to  
 my Negroes & County in the State of Maryland  
 do hereby set free from bondage my Negro Girl  
 named Easter aged about seven years when  
 she shall arrive to the age of sixteen years also