

county court, Now to all whom it may concern  
 be it known that J. Jonathan N. Loughlin of  
 the state and county aforesaid for divers good  
 causes and considerations me thereunto moving  
 as also in further consideration of five shillings  
 current money to me in hand paid have released from  
 slavery liberated manumitted and set free and  
 by these presents do hereby release from slavery  
 liberate manumit and set free my negro woman  
 named Milly being about the age of thirty years  
 and able to work and gain a sufficient livelihood  
 and maintenance, and I do also by these  
 presents set free from slavery liberate and manumit  
 her the said negro Milly's two children, namely  
 John about eight years old, and Maria about six  
 years old, and also all the future increase of  
 her the said negro Milly and her aforesaid  
 daughter Maria, and I do hereby declare the said  
 negroes, Milly, John and Maria and the future  
 increase of Milly and Maria 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 9<sup>th</sup> day of May one  
 thousand eight hundred and eight.

Signed sealed & delivered  
 in presence of us  
 Edward Hall  
 J. G. Minn

Jonathan N. Loughlin Seal