


Sydings aged about eighteen years of good health and constitution and able and Capable to earn a good and sufficient livelihood for herself do hereby manumit and set free her the said Cornelia Sydings - and declare her to be free and clear of all obligation to serve me, or any other person, and that she shall forever hereafter be entitled to have receive and take the rents and profits of her own labor and I do hereby give and grant freedom to her the said Cornelia, she being of sound mind and body and Capable by labour to earn sufficient, food and raiment for herself with other request necessities of life -

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty third day of February Eighteen hundred and forty eight Signed, Sealed and delivered

in the presence of us <sup>his</sup> Henry Sydings <sup>mark</sup>   
 J. W. Hunter  
 Geo Johnson

Anne Arundel County St.  
 Be it known that on this Twenty third day of February in the year Eighteen hundred and forty eight Before me the Subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace of said County personally, appeared Henry Sydings grantor of the within deed of manumission and a resident of said County to me known as such and acknowledged the same to be his act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned -

J. W. Hunter  
 Recorded the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1848.

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