

Deed of Manumission from
Robert Sherbert
to
William Lane

To all whom it may
concern, be it known
that I, Benjamin
Sherbert of Anne
Arundel County, in

the State of Maryland, for divers good causes, and
considerations me thereunto moving, have
released from slavery, manumitted and
set free, and by these presents do hereby release
from slavery, liberate, manumit and set free
my negro man named William Lane,
being of the age of twenty two years, and able to
work and gain a sufficient livelihood and
maintenance. And him the said negro man
named William Lane, I do declare to be henceforth
free, manumitted and discharged from all
manner of service or servitude to me, my Executors,
or Administrators forever. In witness whereof I
hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty
third day of March, one thousand, eight hundred
and forty nine

Benjamin ^{his} Sherbert (Seal)
mark

Witnesses W^m M. Meekins
James Higgins &c

State of Maryland, Anne Arundel County, to wit:
On this 23rd day of March 1849, before me the Subscriber,
one of the Justices of the Peace, in and for the said
County personally appears Benjamin Sherbert, and
acknowledged the above to be his act and deed, for
the purposes therein mentioned

Joseph Chaney

Co 6 2 1/2 Recorded the 6th day of August 1849

Deed of Manumission from
Gapaway Winterson to
W^m H. H. Matthews and Geo: Matthews

To all whom it may
concern, be it known
that I, Gapaway