

Samuell Galloway of west river in  
County of Anamudoll and province of Maryland  
being in perfect health and sound in mind & memory  
I am thankfull to god for but considering the  
Uncertainty of time in this world. do make Constitute  
Bequeath & Appoint this to be my Last will & Testament  
revoaking all Other wills or wills Testament or  
Testaments by me formerly made

First I Give unto my Eldest son Sam<sup>r</sup>. Galloway and  
his heirs Lawfully begotten by his body or such  
of them as he shall think most worthy of Tract  
of Land I Purchased of Ebene Hall situate &  
Lying in Calvert County on id. Tract my s. son Sam<sup>r</sup>.  
now Dwells but for want of such heirs as aft.  
to Descend to my surviving sons John, Peter, Joseph  
& Rich<sup>d</sup>. or such of them as shall be then living  
part and share Equally alike but if so it should  
happen that my son Samuel aft. should survive  
my aft. four sons and Dye w<sup>th</sup> out heirs Lawfully  
begotten of his body as aft. then the Land before  
Mentioned given to my son Sam<sup>r</sup>. to be Divided  
of and the produce thereof to be Equally divided  
among my three Daughters Anne, Mary, Sarah  
Secondly I Give and bequeath unto my son Joseph Galloway  
and his heirs Lawfully begotten by his body  
or such of them as he shall think most worthy

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all that Land w<sup>ch</sup>. my father Rich<sup>d</sup>. Galloway bought  
of one Jacob Duland way the heere by id. my father purch-  
ased being now standing it being part of a tract of Land  
Called by the Name of Port situate and Lying on the west  
Side of west River I also give unto my s. son Joseph &  
his heirs as aft. all that Parcel of Land w<sup>ch</sup>. my Father  
Rich<sup>d</sup>. Galloway aft. bought of Thomas Hook situate  
& Lying on the west side of west River being part of a  
Tract of Land Called Brown Town both in the County of  
Anamudoll aft. I give Likewise unto my s. son Joseph  
Galloway and his heirs as aft. all that tract of Land Called  
Galloway on id. my now Dwelling plantation is Lying  
unto my Brother Rich<sup>d</sup>. Galloway a parcel of the same  
patent unto him and Called by the name of Favour, I also  
Give unto my son Joseph aft. the heirs as aft. all that tract  
of Land Called the Gift adjoining upon my Other Lands  
aforesaided I Likewise give unto my said son Joseph  
as aforesaid a parcel of Land Lying on the west side of west  
River it being the One Moyle or Part of a tract of Land  
Called Monnerston the same being my purchase of one Peter  
Coale, I also give unto my s. son Joseph and his heirs  
as aforesaid all the Land which I took Lying at the head  
of the aforesaid Tract Called Monnerston <sup>at the head of the</sup> <sup>the same</sup> <sup>the same</sup>  
Lying on the south side of the same between it  
and the Land Called Hook now in possession of Gerard  
Hopkins Extending to the Line of Division between  
John Hawkins and me in that tract Called Monnerston all  
the aft. Tracts of Land I give unto my son Joseph aforesaid

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1395 / & his heirs Lawfully begotten by his body or  
such of them as he shall think most worthy  
savouring to my Dear and Loving wife my new  
Dwelling plantation is the half of the lands given  
as aft. unto my d. son Joseph during his  
Widowhood and if so it should happen of  
my Dear & Loving wife should Mary then my  
will & mind is that my son Joseph aft. doo  
Quietly posses and Enjoy all the Lands I have  
before given unto him

Thirdly I Give and bequeath unto my son <sup>John</sup> Galloway &  
his heirs Lawfully begotten by his body or such  
of them as he shall think most worthy all of  
Tract of Land is. I Purchased of <sup>Chr. Button</sup>  
field lying near the head of west River in  
County aft. known and hold by the name of  
Cumberstone I also Give unto my v. son John  
being part of a Tract called <sup>the Cumberstone</sup>  
his heirs as aft. that parcel of Land is  
Purchased of Sam. Waters & Sarah his wife  
& Thomas Hawkins & Chr. his wife excepting  
that part thereof that lyeth on the south  
side of a branch called the Cumber branch &  
adjoining to the Land now in the possession of Chr.  
I also give unto my aft. son John & his heirs all that  
Parcel of Land is. I bought of John Blackmore  
/ buy /

1396 / being part of the same Tract Together is. all that part of  
Land is. I took up lying upon the west south west Line  
of the aft. tract of Land called Cumberstone to him And  
his heirs as aforesaid  
And further my will and mind is that if my son Joseph  
should Die w<sup>th</sup> out heirs w<sup>th</sup> all the Lands given  
unto him shall descend unto my son John and his heirs  
aft. and if it should happen that my son John should  
Die w<sup>th</sup> out heirs w<sup>th</sup> all the Land given him shall  
Descend unto my son Joseph and his heirs as aft.  
Fourthly I Give unto my son Rich. Galloway & his heirs  
Lawfully begotten by his body or such of them as he shall  
think most worthy a tract of Land called Fordstone formerly  
Taken up by Thomas Ford w<sup>th</sup> Lyeth at the head of west  
River in the County aft. saving such part of thereof is.  
James white sold to John Waters since is. the dividing  
is agreed on between Chr. Waters owner of the d. Land  
And myself I Doe also give unto my v. son Rich.  
and his heirs as aft. all that tract of Land adjoining  
unto the aft. tract called Fordstone known and hold by  
the name of Addition is. all Surplussages lying  
between the Ancient Shropps to gather also w<sup>th</sup> that  
part or parcel of Land before mentioned & Excepted  
in my bequest to my son John out of Cumberstone  
is. Lyeth on the south side of a branch called  
Cumber Branch & adjoining to the aft. Branch  
Land now in possession of Chr. Waters to my v. son  
his heirs as aft. but if it should happen that my son  
/ Rich. /

Rich: should dye w<sup>th</sup> out heirs as aft: then the aft:  
 two parcels of Land called Pastons & the Addition  
 w<sup>th</sup> the Surplussage there of shall goe & spend to my  
 son Joseph & his heirs as aft: and the beforemenc<sup>d</sup>  
 parcel of Land Lumber stone on the south side of  
 Lumbers branch unto my son John & his heirs as aft:  
 Fifthly I Give unto my son Peter Galloway and his heirs  
 Lawfully begotten by his body or such of them as  
 he shall think meet w<sup>th</sup>out all that Land w<sup>ch</sup> I  
 Purchased of Thomas Velebott w<sup>ch</sup> tract is known  
 by the name of the Obligation and Lyeth in two  
 parcels the One Cont: two hundred & fifteen &  
 the Other Seventy six both w<sup>ch</sup> I Give unto my  
 P: son and his heirs as aft: & if it should so happen  
 that my said son Peter should dye w<sup>th</sup> out heirs  
 as aft: then the Land given unto him shall  
 devolve unto my son Rich: and his heirs as aft: saving  
 to my Daughter in Law Eliz: Galloway the  
 Plantation her husband now Lives upon to containe  
 One hundred Aeres of Land And no more during her  
 Widow hood and my will & mind further is that if  
 my sons Peter & Rich: should both dye w<sup>th</sup> out  
 heirs as aft: then Peters part of Land to spend to  
 my son John and his heirs as aft: and Rich: part  
 to my son Joseph and his heirs as aft: severally &  
 Respectively and if my sons John & Joseph should  
 both happen to dye w<sup>th</sup> out heirs as aft: then I have

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John part of Land to David to Peter and Joseph to  
 Rich: & their severall heirs but in case that all of my  
 aft: four sons Peter, John, Peter, Joseph & Rich: should  
 all die w<sup>th</sup> out heirs as aft: then all my Lands given unto them  
 to Equally Divided Among my three Daughters Anne,  
 Mary & Sarah their heirs for Ever  
 Sixthly My will & mind is that my moiety or half part of that  
 tract of Land purchased by me & Gerard Tophin of  
 Joseph Gates & his wife & Jane their Daughter dwelling  
 in the Kingdom of England together w<sup>th</sup> my part of the vacant  
 Land w<sup>ch</sup> we have taken on to be taken up adjoining  
 thereto situate and lying between the head of South  
 River and Detupert the said Tract being hold and called  
 by the name of /whites Falls be Equally Divided in four  
 parts my son Rich: having his first Choice my son Ju:  
 the second & my son Joseph the third & my son Peter the  
 last w<sup>ch</sup> I give unto them & their severall heirs respectively  
 for Ever but in case my son Rich: should happen to die  
 before he Disposes of his part and w<sup>th</sup> out heirs as aft: then my  
 mind & will is that his part of P: Land shall goe & Devolve  
 to my son Peter & his heirs for Ever & not w<sup>th</sup> standing I  
 have & not w<sup>th</sup> standing I have Given them all a fee simple  
 in this Land my mind and will is that if Any of them incline  
 to sell or Dispose of their parts that they Doe it One to  
 Another  
 Seventhly my will & mind is that my son Sam: Galloway shall  
 have the use of Two Acres now in his possession named  
 Cedar and Tonge so long and for such time as my loving  
 wife

1399 / wife shall think fit to let them remaine to: her  
 & that it shall be in her Power to take them away  
 when she pleases

Eighthly I Give unto my son Saml: all that he stands Possesed  
 in my books for

Ninthly I Give unto my Daughter now Called Founal Ford  
 one Negro Woman w<sup>th</sup> her Increase to her & her Children

Tenthly I Give unto my Daughter Sarah Gallows provided  
 she Marries w<sup>th</sup> her Mothers Consent one  
 Negro Girl Called stiles one Negro man not to  
 Exceed thirty years of Age & of sound Constitution  
 as far as Can be Discovered, a feather bed and  
 furniture of ten p<sup>ts</sup> Called Store & fourteen head of  
 Cattle as near as may be for goodness & Age such as my  
 Daughters Anne and Mary hath already had as  
 also the Sum of fifty p<sup>ts</sup> store to be p<sup>aid</sup> hereby  
 bills of Exchange or out of my Officall Estate  
 here w<sup>ch</sup> my Exoratrix shall think fit all w<sup>ch</sup> upon  
 the aft<sup>r</sup> Condition of Marrying w<sup>ch</sup> her Mothers Consent  
 to be Delivered her at the Age of Eighteen  
 or Day of Marriage w<sup>ch</sup> shall first happen but  
 if she transgress the aft<sup>r</sup> Condition then instead thereof  
 the sum of five shillings no more

11<sup>thly</sup> I Give unto my Daughter Anne John's the sum of  
 fifty pounds store at the Discretion of my Exoratrix

400 / to be paid by bills of Exchange or out of my <sup>Officall</sup> Estate here  
 According to Appraisalment

12<sup>thly</sup> I Give unto my Daughter Mary ~~the~~ the sum of  
 forty pounds Store as before Exposed to my Daughter  
 Mary

13<sup>thly</sup> And in as much as I have given & Delivered unto my sons  
 John & Peter Each of them a Negro man I Doe by this  
 Article give and bequeath unto my son Joseph & Rich:  
 to make their advancement in that Respect Equall to  
 their v: Brothers to Each of them one young Negro  
 man Hoall & sound not Exceed as near as we are may  
 be twenty years of Age my will & mind further is that  
 my son Joseph and Rich: for looking after the same  
 Joseph at home & Rich: at the Sever Plantation shall be  
 Allowed to their own Uses their severall shares of the Rente  
 made and be maintained w<sup>ch</sup> virtually sh<sup>all</sup> be out of  
 my Estate until they arrive at the Age of Eighteen  
 w<sup>ch</sup> time I Doe Appoint them to be of Age to be  
 possessor of their Lands & their severall parts of my Estate  
 w<sup>ch</sup> may be their Dues

14<sup>thly</sup> after all my aft<sup>r</sup> Legacies & Just Debts are p<sup>aid</sup> remaining  
 part of my Officall Estate of what Nature or kind so ever  
 or in what part of the world so ever shall be Divided in  
 three Equall parts One of w<sup>ch</sup> I Give and bequeath unto  
 my Dear and Loving wife & the Other two third parts  
 to be Equally Divided Amongst my four sons John  
 Peter, Joseph & Rich:

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15<sup>thly</sup> I Give my Brother Rich: Galloway above said  
who I Doo Appoint Coorsor of this my last will &  
Testament —

16<sup>thly</sup> I Desire Maria More & Sam: Rich: for may appraise  
my Estate —

17<sup>thly</sup> That my sons John & Peter in the Division of  
my Estate shall Allow & Acc: for so much as they  
have already Received as leg: by my books —  
to their Brother Joseph & Rich: Except one  
Negro man give to Each of them who were not  
to be brought to account & having in my  
foregoing will Given Jor: & Peter: Each of them  
a Negro to make their Advancements Equal  
to their Brothers —

18<sup>thly</sup> I Constitute and Appoint my Dear and Loving  
wife Anno Galloway to be sole & sole Ex: of this my  
Last will & Testament but if it should be that my  
Loving wife should Dy: before she hath adu: her  
On my Estate, I Doo Appoint & Bid mine four  
sons viz: John Galloway, Peter Galloway  
Joseph Galloway & Rich: Galloway to be my  
whole and sole Ex: of this my Last will &  
Testaments In Witness whereof I have hereunto  
set my hand and seal this seventeenth day of the  
fourth month Anno Dom: One thousand seven hundred &  
eighteen —

Sam: Galloway  
(Signed)

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Sam: Galloway, wife & Testam: in the presence of  
his  
Anno Pearce Wm: Robinson, Wm: Richardson  
Mark  
Joseph Richardson, Rich: Galloway Junr, Sarah Sparrow  
Sarah Sand, Samuel Thomas —

Jan: 17<sup>th</sup> 1720 Came Wm: Robinson & Anno Pearce two of  
the subscribing Evidences to the foregoing will who make  
Oath upon the holy Evangelist of Almighty god that they  
see the Testator W: Sam: Galloway & doo sign & seal  
the foregoing Instrument as his Last will & Testament and  
heard him publish and Declare the same to be and of  
at the time of the doing thereof he was of sound disposing  
mind & memory to the best of their knowledge —  
I swore to before me the Day and year above —

W: Sam: Galloway

Likewise at the same time Came W: Wm: Richardson One  
Other of the Evidences subscribed to the foregoing will  
who takes his Test: in usual form as the said Directs  
being One of the people called Quakers that he saw W:  
Sam: Galloway the Testator Seal the foregoing Instrum:  
as his Last will & Testament and that at the same  
time he Acknowledged his Name writt there to to  
be his Own hand Writing & that at the time of his doo-  
ing he was of sound disposing mind & memory to the best  
of his knowledge, & it is so to be before me the Day & year abo-  
ve mentioned —

W: Sam: Galloway