

In the name of God Amens. I Adam all one of
 Frederick County, and State of Maryland, being ⁱⁿ of good health
 of Body, and of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding
 Considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time.
 therefore do make and publish this my last will and Testament in
 the following manner, First and principally I recommend my
 soul into the hands of almighty God who gave it, and my Body to
 the Earth to be decently buried in a Christian like manner, and
 as touching such Temporal Estate, wherewith it hath pleased divine
 providence to bless me with, in this life, I give devise, and
 dispose of the same in the following manner, viz;

I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Margaret during
 her natural life time, or her widowhood, all and singular my
 personal Estate, of whatsoever nature it may consist of at my decease,
 all outstanding debts due to me, on Bonds, or Notes being excepted,
 at my decease, which if their should be any - I give and bequeath
 the same to my sons and daughters, or to their heirs, share, and share
 alike to each; - And I further give and devise unto my wife
 Margaret, during her life time or widowhood, all and singular
 my present dwelling plantation, with every part, and parcel of
 Land which I have or hold, or occupy adjacent thereto with the
 appurtenances thereto belonging, unto her my said wife during
 her natural life, or widowhood, but the same, devise as just
 mentioned above to my wife, to be subject to the following
 exception, or restraint, viz, the my Wife Margaret shall not
 herself, cut any of the timber, on said Land as above devised to her
 or suffer it to be cut by any other person, for the purpose of selling
 the same, or to be taking off the said Land or premises further
 than what may be wanting for Family uses, or for repairing
 making, or keeping up the fences &c. - But in case my Wife
 should marry after my decease, or otherwise die during the minority
 of my son George Thair, Then in such case it is my will, and
 Order and direct, that my Executor hereafter named, shall sell and
 dispose of all my personal Estate, then remaining at her marriage
 or decease, (at Public Sale) and in case of her intermarriage after
 my decease, to pay unto her my wife, the sum of Fifty pounds
 Current money, arising out of from the proceeds thereof, as and
 for her full Dower of my Estate, both Real and personal, and
 the residue thereof, ~~and~~ and the residue thereof or in case of her death
 the whole of my personal Estate bequeathed to my wife, I give and
 bequeath to my son George Thair his heirs &c. and in case my
 Wife should marry or die after my decease during the minority

of my son George then my Executor shall rent, and Let out, all my said dwelling plantation to the best advantage, at his discretion for the use of my son George, until he shall arrive at age -

Item. I give and devise unto my son George Maine his heirs, and assigns all and singular my present dwelling plantation, including the several pieces or parcels of land being contiguous to each other, with one Tract of Land called Empty Bottom conveyed to me by George Ellyn, and two other parcels of Land, being part of a tract of Land called Monteglanias, conveyed to me by Peter Maury, and one parcel of Land being part of the Resurvey on Johnsons Level, conveyed to me by Thaddeus Hedge, and also one other piece, or parcel of Land, being also a part of the aforesaid Resurvey of Johnsons Level, conveyed to me by Frederick Bizer all which Tracts of Land, I give unto my said son George Maine his heirs, and assigns forever - Subject nevertheless to the payment of Three Hundred pounds to current money to be paid to my daughters, Elizabeth and Magdalene, to each of them share and share alike, or to their heirs or assigns - which payments to be made to my Daughters in the following manner - viz - One year after my Wifes decease my son George shall pay to my daughter Elizabeth, the sum of Fifty pounds Current money, and the second or following year, to pay, or cause to be paid the like sum of Fifty pounds current money, to my second daughter Magdalene, or their heirs or assigns -


Item. It is my will and intention, that the devise of my Plantation and dwelling to my son George shall not affect or be operative, against, the Devise made to my wife, during her life time, or Widowhood after my decease, as the case may be, but subject to the same, and the payments mentioned to be made to my daughters, to be paid and discharged as heretofore mentioned - viz - as an annual payment of the same the sum of Fifty pounds to each of my said daughters as before mentioned and so on year after year, untill they be fully paid off agreeably to their said devise, and after which sums are fully paid to my two daughters, which sums taken together will amount to Three Hundred Pounds, then and not till then, all my dwelling Plantation with every of the appurtenances thereto belonging to be the right title and Estate of my son George Main, his heirs and assigns forever -

Item. I give and devise to my son Frederick Main the Land and premises which he has now in possession situate in Frederick County State of Maryland, it being two tracts or parcel of Land, the one called Pleasant Hill containing Eighty six and three quarters Acres of Land, more or less, and one other tract or parcel of Land being part of a tract called, Resurvey on Timber Ridge Enlarged, containing Nineteen Acres of Land more or less - Subject nevertheless on the part of my son Fredth Main to the payment of Fifty pounds current money to be paid to my two daughters, Elizabeth and Magdalene, (i.e.) the

sum of Twenty five pounds, to each one of them their heirs or assigns, which sums, are to be paid to my said two daughters, or their legal representatives, at the expiration of one year after my decease, and upon the final payment of Fifty pounds to my said daughters as above mentioned, their heirs or assigns - Then the devised Land and premises with every of the appurtenances thereto belonging to be the sole Right, Title, and Estate of my son Fred^d. Main his heirs and assigns forever -

Item, I give and devise jointly unto my daughters Elizabeth and Magdalene, two Bonds, now in my possession, which said Bonds I have oversigned to my said daughters, as a reference being had to the same will then - and whereas I have paid unto my two sons in Law Peter Michael the husband of my daughter Elizabeth and to John Smith the husband of Magdalene to each of them the sum of Fifty pounds, for which I have their respective obligations and in case I should give them any further sum, or sums of money prior to my decease, I order, and direct, and it is my intention, that no such obligations, or sums of money, shall be brought, in charge against them or either of them after my decease - The same I give Devise and discharge them, and each of them, of the same, and every part thereof - And lastly I do hereby constitute, and appoint my trusty friend Jacob Bowles sen^r. to be whole and sole Executor of this my last Will, and Testament, revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made, Ratifying this and none other to be my last will and testament, in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this second day of January Anno Domini, One thousand Eight Hundred and Eighteen.

Signed sealed published and declared by Adam Main the above named testator, as and for his last Will, and Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Dr Adam Main 

Frederick Brandenburgh

H. G. Oueal

Wm Hoffman

Frederick County to wit; on the 10th day of June 1822. then came Margaret Main, and made oath, on the Holy Evangelij of Almighty God, that, the foregoing instrument of writing is the true whole will and testament of Adam Main late of Frederick County deceased, that hath come to her hands and possession and that she doth not know of any other

Henry Steiner Receiver