

To all people to whom these presents shall come of John  
 Bilt of Sommersett County in the Province of Maryland plantor  
 send greeting in our Lord God everlasting; Know ye that of the  
 said John Bilt being of Algood and perfect mind and with  
 out fraud or deceit for divers good causes and considerations  
 me hereunto moving have given granted and confirmed  
 And by these presents doe give grant and confirm unto my  
 Loving Goddaughter Anne Bradshaw Jun<sup>r</sup> the daughter of W<sup>m</sup>  
 Bradshaw of Sommersett County in the Province of Maryland  
 plantor two Cowe Calves marked as followe one hole in the left  
 ear, the one commonly called Gentle the other Shorte the said  
 Cowe Calves soe marked and called as aforesaid I doe freely  
 and voluntarily give unto my said Goddaughter her heirs  
 and Assignes for ever at the age of threeteene yeares to  
 have and to hold both male and female and to enjoye and  
 Dispose of at her owne proper goods forever when my said  
 Goddaughter Anne shall be threeteene yeares of age  
 the said Cowe Calves with their Increase to run in sheeke  
 amongst my owne for the use and benefit of my Goddaughter  
 before mentioned untill she cometh to the age before recited  
 But if unlesse my said Goddaughter should be taken away  
 by death before she cometh to the age of threeteene  
 yeares then the said Cowe Calves with their Increase  
 so shall to be given againe and be at her disposing; more  
 over it is my will and pleasure that my said Goddaughter  
 before