


Till age, it is my wish and Desire that no Inventory be taken or Appraisement made of my said Estate, and I request the Commissary to dispence therewith, on my Executors giving sufficient Security to discharge the trust hereby reposed in him.

I do hereby appoint my dear Son James Ringgold sole Executor of this my Testament and last Will. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Affixed my Seal this Seventeenth day of February, in the Year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Nine.

Signed sealed published pronounced and declared as and for his testament and last Will,

Wm Ringgold 

by William Ringgold in the presence of us, who at his request in presence, and in that of each other have Witnessed the same, Robt Anderson Junr, Ben Chambers, Thomas Anderson, Wm Chambers,

State of Maryland }  
Kent County to Wit } December 8<sup>th</sup> 1709 then came  
Thomas Anderson, and Ben<sup>r</sup> Chambers

two of the subscribing Witnesses to the within last Will and Testament of William Ringgold State of Kent County dooed, and severally made Oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, that they did see the testator herein named sign and seal this Will, and that they heard him publish pronounce and Declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their Apprehensions of sound and disposing mind Memory and understanding, and that Robert Anderson Junr and William Chambers the other ~~two~~ <sup>two</sup> ~~subscribing~~ <sup>subscribing</sup> Witnesses was present at the same time, and signed their Names as Witnesses to this Will in the presence and at the Request of the testator and in the presence of each other, and in  
Before M<sup>r</sup> Nicholson Reg<sup>r</sup> Wills for Kent County