

In the Name of God Amen


The 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of September Anno Domini: 1756 I Martha Eaton  
of the Township of Warminster in the County of Bucks and Province of  
Pennsylvania Widow, being Sick and weak in Body but of perfect sound  
and Disposing mind and Memory, Do make & Ordain this my Last  
Will and Testament (that is to say) principally & first of all I give &  
Recomend my Soul to God who gave it, and my Body to the Earth to be  
Buried in a Decent Christian manner at the Discretion of my Executor  
herein after Named; and as Touching such Worldly Estate as it  
hath pleased God to Bless me with, I give and Dispose of in the follow-  
ing manner

I Give Devise and Bequeath unto my two Daughters (Viz) Mary  
Jones and Sarah Lewis all my Wearing Apparel to be Equally  
Divided between them Share & Share alike but if my s<sup>r</sup> Daughter  
Mary Jones Should die with the present Indisposition which She Labours  
under then my Will is that my s<sup>r</sup> Daughter Sarah Lewis do Receive the  
whole

I Will that all the rest and Remainder of my Estate be Sold by my  
Executor for the most the same Will Yield; and the Surplusage after  
Debts paid to be Divided between my Three Sons (Viz) Joseph San David  
Eaton & Edward Eaton in such manner & Portions as that Edward may  
have Six pounds more then David & David Four pounds more then Joseph

And Lastly I appoint my Good & trusty Friend Joseph Hart to be  
my Soul Executor, And I do hereby Disanul & revoke all & every former  
Wills Legacy's Bequests and Executors by me in any ways before Named  
Willed and Bequeathed Ratifying this and no other to be my Last Will  
and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my  
hand and Seal the Day and Year above Written.

Witness Sealed published pronounced  
and Declared by the s<sup>r</sup> Martha Eaton as  
her Last Will and Testament in the presence of  
James Stirling & William Hart

  
Martha Eaton  
daughters Mary Jones  
Sarah Lewis

Back: for: The 2<sup>d</sup> Day of October Anno Domini 1756 Then appeared  
 Stirling and Jacob Frank Two of the Witnesses to the within  
 Written Will, and Upon their Solemn Oaths did severally Dece  
 that they were Respectively Present and Saw Martha Eaton  
 the within Testatrix Sign Seal Publish and Declare the wit  
 Writing to be her Last Will and Testament, and that she wa  
 at the Doing thereof of Sound Mind Memory and Understa  
 to the Best of their Knowledge. Before me Nich: Gibbs Dep  
 By Virtue of a Commission from the Regr: Genl  
 And by the Direction of Lawr: Grosvenor Dep. Jy. Regr.

Witnessed in my Presence  
 at New York the 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of October 1756

Martha Eaton

Will # 346

Joseph Hart  
 Esq.

I read by the Oath of both  
 the Witnesses to the  
 Copy of the Will

Martha Eaton's Will

Back to:

Best Remembred That On the 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of  
 October 1756 this Last Will and Testament of Martha  
 Eaton was duly Proved according to Law and Probate and  
 Letters Testamentary were granted unto Joseph Hart  
 Executor therein named He being first Solemnly Affirm  
 ed sworn well and Faithfully to Administer the Goods and Chattels Rights and  
 Credits of the said Deceased and to exhibit a True and Perfect Inventory  
 thereof into the Registrars Office for the said County of Bucks full  
 month after the Date hereof and a Just and True Account of his  
 Administration when thereunto Required to Render Witness my  
 Hand and the Seal of the said Office the Day and Year aforesaid

Nich: Gibbs Dep. Jy. Regr.

By Virtue of a Commission from the Regr: Genl

An Inventory of the Goods and Chattels of Martha Eaton  
Late of Warminster Township Widdow Deceased Appraised  
the Second Day of October Annoq Domd: 1756 by us the  
Subscribers

To Pocket Book and Cash	£	0	2	0
To a Cart Cart Saddle & Two Teams		3	10	0
To an Iron Tooth Harrow Shingle trees &c			15	0
To one Cow		2	15	0
To Three Mares & Two Young Colts		15	10	—
To some Oats in the Straw		1	2	6
To some Share of Bees			12	0
To some Geers & an Old Tide Saddle & Bridle			19	6
To an Iron pot Kettle Fryng pan pot racks &c			18	6
To a Salling or a Tub & some Trumpery in y <sup>e</sup>			4	0
To a p of Bed Stocks & about $\frac{1}{2}$ <sup>old House</sup> of Wool			7	0
To an Old $\frac{1}{2}$ Bush Fire Shovel Tonges &c			7	0
To 3 Puter Dishes & plates 2 porengers &c		1	4	0
To an Old Feather Bed & Furniture		6	0	0
To Glass Bottles some Earthen Bottles & 2 Chairs			8	0
To a Tubbord 12/ about 3 <sup>lb</sup> of Yarn 3/0			15	
To 29 <sup>lb</sup> of Linning Cloth a 2/6 of y <sup>e</sup>		3	13	9
To a Chaff Bed Coverlid &c		1	0	0
To about 9 Bush <sup>es</sup> of Oats some Flax Seed & } 6 Old Baggs			18	0
To 3 Sheep 1/4 an Halbert 5/		1	1	0
To Cash Due upon Bond & other ways		28	10	5
	£	70	12	8

Joseph Dilworth  
John Eables