

In The Name of God Amen: The fifth
Day of September 1786 J. Lewis Patience Barber
of the City of Phil.^a Province of Pennsylvania being
Very Sick and Sickly & Weak in Body but of Perfect
Mind and Memory; Thanks be giving unto god: Therefore
Calling unto mind the Mortality of my Body, and knowing
that It is appointed once for all men to Die, do make and
Ordain this my Last will & Testament: that is to say: Principally
and first of all: I Give and Recommend my Soul Into the
Hands of Almighty God that Gave it: and my Body
I Recommend to the Earth to be Buried in Decent
Christian burial at the Discretion of my Executors Nothing
Doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall Receive
the Same again by the mighty Power of God and
as Iaching such Worly Estate wherewith it hath
Pleased god to Bless me in this Life: I Give, Devise
and Dispose of the Same in the following Manner &
form, To wits: I Give & Bequeath to my ^{Beloved}
Wife Ann Patience all my Real & Personal
Estate in America or Elsewhere which is or here
After shall Fall to me; as witness my hand
This

Louis Patience
mark

Witness Joseph Craig
Present James Bray

Witness
Letter of Attorney
Thomas Quinn
Jacob Ford.
Witness by Robt Robt. the
1st Day of June 1790.

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