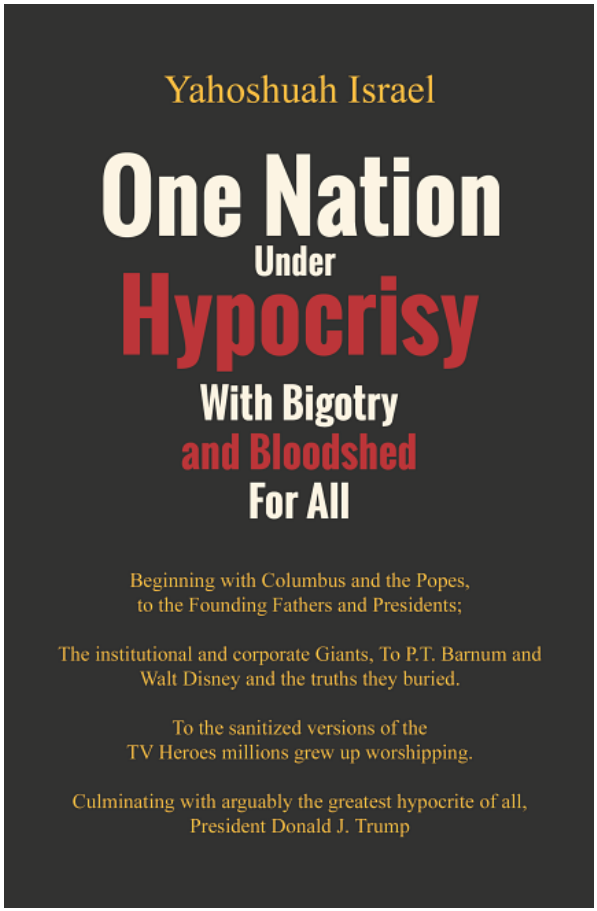


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WHY THIS BOOK WAS NECESSARY

Sanitized: 1. Made clean and hygienic; disinfected;
2. Made more palatable by the removal of elements
That is likely to be unacceptable or controversial.

This book is written not as a vindictive expose of the atrocities committed in a land that prides itself as the moral compass of the world, that "shining city on a hill", but as a necessary acknowledgement for true atonement for those crimes committed against their own humanity. In producing this book it is intended that not only those whose forebears were persecuted have a clear knowledge of the extent of which that hideous institution of chattel slavery, and native American genocide reached, but also for those descendants who reaped, directly or indirectly its bittersweet fruits.

It is not easy to obtain un-sanitized truth in a land so mired in lies and deceptions. The *clear* historical facts in this book are totally unknown to 99% of the population. The old saying that history is written by the victors is absolutely true here in America. History here is akin to a Hollywood movie that announces at the beginning that this story is based on true events. In reality the story doesn't' even loosely resemble the actual events. For a civilization whose very foundation and unfathomable wealth was built on exploitation of other humans beings for HUNDREDS of years and yet today continues to marginalize these same people is a damning and haunting legacy that will not go away. Just as in any court of law, the true extent of the crime and its effects must be exposed, and acknowledged, with proper remorse, in order for all those affected to find relief and closure. Without this process the crimes committed will fester like malignant, and deathly cancer sores in the body, (as has been the case); eating away at the nation until the foundation of its structure crumbles away in repulsion.

For the descendants who have inherited a legacy of the cruelest and most barbaric chattel slavery in the history of the world to merely accept that this was something that happened long ago, is in itself, a crime they commit against their own humanity, and their forbears who actually suffered the cruelties. It is the root of living life as an inferior human being, and a 3rd class citizen whether consciously or subconsciously. They must never cease to know what happened and to understand the effects that they are still experiencing to this very day.

Finally, this is not a call to arms; it is a clarion call to realize that though a paltry few are offered a path to wealth and semi-inclusion the overwhelming masses still suffer discrimination and systemic racism as well as brutal and lethal actions on the streets of their communities.

And from another more subtle perspective: It is a TRAVESTY of the highest order to have little kids growing up loving Walt Disney's Mighty Mouse, imitating the likes of Davy Crockett wearing their raccoon caps and the fringed leather jackets of Daniel Boone lore, and solemnly praising the wisdom and foresight of the "Founding" fathers while in reality these people committed or were in cahoots with those who committed some of the most heinous of crimes against a defenseless, subjugated people. Horrific crimes of maiming, lynching, castrations, tar and feathering, etc, of powerless human beings for no other reason but that they sought to be free. Horrible atrocities, many of which were staged as if people were on a holiday picnic for family entertainment.

FOR BLACKS AND INDIANS AND OTHERS, THE TRUE HISTORY OF AMERICA IS A HORROR MOVIE, that seems to never quite come to an end.

One that strangely enough is documented twenty-four hours a day in movies and on television. Only sanitized and tempered with such relish that one comes away with a feeling of accomplishment and

progress. In most cases, the very characters that have been depicted as heroes are in truth hypocrites and bigots.

As a Cultural Historian, I found some time ago that the more I dug through history the more unexpected things revealed themselves. Even though I anticipated the worse, inevitably, I was shocked by the extent of the crime and those lofty persons intricately involved.

Such as this below:

Philadelphia News. Printed in The Mercury, Saturday March 17, 1888

"I remember that two or three years ago I incidentally referred to a prominent physician of this city wearing shoes made from the skin of negroes. He still adhered to that custom, insisting that the tanned hide of an African makes the most enduring and the most pliable leather known to man.

Only last week I met him upon the street with a brand new pair of shoes. I looked at his footwear, as I always do - his pedal coverings have an irresistible fascination for me - and said, with a smile:

Is the down trodden African still beneath your feet?" In the most matter of fact way, and without the shadow of a smile, he answered: " I suppose you mean to inquire if I still wear shoes made of the skin of a Negro. I certainly do, and I don't propose changing in that respect until I find leather that is softer and will last longer and present a better appearance."

And that is why this book is necessary (and perhaps a Volume II); it seeks to chronicle those who were at the helm of slavery in America, and those international figures responsible for the creation of its unique form of chattel enslavement and its practice. And, indeed, it seems to be a never-ending story.

PROLOGUE

THE ADMIRAL OF THE OCEAN OF BLOOD

CHRISTOPER COLOMBUS

The story of American hypocrisy does not begin with a revolution in 1776. It begins with a ship running aground on a Caribbean shore in 1492. It begins not with a hero of liberty, but with a man who would be better described as the Admiral of the Ocean of Blood.

The figure sanitized in children's rhymes and federal holidays was, by his own hand and the accounts of his horrified contemporaries, a genocidal tyrant, a slaver, and a sadist whose actions established the very blueprint for the centuries of exploitation that would follow. The true history, drawn from his own logs and the accounts of his comrades like Bartolomé de las Casas, is a catalog of horrors that systematically dismantle the myth of the benevolent explorer.

Upon first contact with the Taíno people of Hispaniola, Columbus immediately saw them not as human beings, but as currency. He wrote to the Spanish Crown that they were "good to be ordered about, to work and sow, and do all else that may be needed" and would make "good and skilled servants." He initiated the transatlantic slave trade from the New World, shipping thousands of Taínos to Spain; most died en route.

To fulfill his promises of gold, Columbus instituted a system of calculated terror. Every Taíno over the age of fourteen was required to deliver a certain amount of gold dust every three months. Those who failed had their hands chopped off by Spanish soldiers and were left to bleed to death. Bartholomew de las Casas documented the result: "Thus husbands and wives were together only once every eight or ten months and when they met they were so exhausted and depressed on both sides... they ceased to procreate. As for the newly born, they died early because their mothers, overworked and

famished, had no milk to nurse them… Some mothers even drowned their babies from sheer desperation."

The numbers speak a language of annihilation. The population of Hispaniola conservatively estimated at 250,000 – 1,000,000+ in 1492 was reduced to 60,000 by 1508 and was effectively extinct by 1550. This was not an unfortunate byproduct of disease; it was the result of a deliberate policy of mass murder, slavery, and terror.

Columbus did not act alone. He was the blade, but the Church provided the hilt. In 1493, Pope Alexander VI issued the bull (declaration) Inter Caetera, granting Spain title to any lands "discovered" by Columbus, on the condition they convert the inhabitants. This established the Doctrine of Discovery—the legal and moral framework that non-Christian, non-European peoples had no right to their own land or sovereignty. Their land was terra nullius—nobody's land—the moment a Christian prince claimed it. This doctrine, born from Columbus's voyages, remains embedded in U.S. property law to this day, a ghost in the machine of American jurisprudence.

The legacy of Columbus is not confined to the history books. He is the direct antecedent to every system we have documented. Manifest Destiny was the 19th-century American renewal of the Doctrine of Discovery. The Indian Removal Act & The Trail of Tears were the logical, genocidal extension of the belief that Native Americans had no legitimate claim to their ancestral homes. The reservation system, cultural erasure, and environmental racism are all modern equivalents of treating native land and bodies as a resource to be exploited without consent.

The celebration of Christopher Columbus is the celebration of a founding myth built on a mountain of skulls. He was not a daring explorer who stumbled upon a few unfortunate realities. He was the architect of a system of dehumanization that would be perfected over the ensuing centuries. He is the prologue to every chapter in this volume. He is the reason the Founding Fathers could preach liberty while practicing slavery. He is the reason the frontier "hero" could be

a brutal slaver. He is the reason the Church could bless conquest and the state could sanction theft.

To understand the hypocrisy of America, one must first meet its midwife: a man who looked upon a paradise and saw only a ledger, who met a generous people and saw only slaves, and who opened a new world with a cruelty so profound it echoes through the ages.

The Admiral of the Ocean of Blood set the course. The nation is still sailing in his wake.

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INSTITUTIONAL COMPLICITY

CHAPTER 1:
POPES AND THE MACHINERY OF OPPRESSION

THE PAPAL BULLS OF BONDAGE

HOW THE VATICAN FUELED HISTORY'S GREATEST CRIME

—A Chronology of Holy Sanctions for Human Trafficking—

If the actions of individual presidents and frontiersmen represent the branches of a poisonous tree, then the institutions we examine first are the deep roots that fed it. The Church, the academy, and the state itself did not merely tolerate slavery's atrocities; they sanctified it, funded it, and provided it with a moral and legal framework. They turned sin into policy and genocide into doctrine.

PAPAL BULLS OF BONDAGE: DUM DIVERSAS TO PIUS IX

A Papal Bull is an official decree issued by the Pope, bearing a leaden seal (bulla). These documents held supreme authority in Christendom, and they were used to sanctify the slave trade.

In 1452, Pope Nicholas V issued the bull *Dum Diversas*, granting King Alfonso V of Portugal "full and free permission to invade, search out, capture, and subjugate the Saracens and pagans and any other unbelievers and enemies of Christ wherever they may be... and to reduce their persons into perpetual slavery." This was followed in

1455 by *Romanus Pontifex*, which expanded these rights. These bulls framed enslavement as "charitable evangelization" and instituted papal tithes on the human cargo. This theological framework provided the moral and legal justification for centuries of trafficking and genocide, creating a hierarchy of humanity that placed non-Christians outside the protection of natural law and enriched the Vatican immensely.

NICHOLAS V (1447–1455): THE ARCHITECT

Bull: ***Dum Diversas*** (1452) & ***Romanus Pontifex*** (1455)

Key Text:

"We grant you [King Alfonso V of Portugal] full and free permission to invade, search out, capture, and subjugate the Saracens and pagans and ***any other unbelievers and enemies of Christ*** *wherever they may be... and to* ***reduce their persons into perpetual slavery."***

Impact:

Sanctioned Portugal's slave raids along West Africa (1444 onward).

Framed enslavement as *"charitable evangelization."*

Source:

Original Latin bulls in *Vatican Secret Archives* (Reg. Vat. 367–368).

English translation: Davenport, *European Treaties Bearing on the History of the United States* (1917), pp. 20–26.

CALIXTUS III (1455–1458): THE EXPANSIONIST

Bull: ***Inter Caetera*** (1456)

Key Text:

"The conquest of infidel nations and territories is hereby extended to ***all lands south of Cape Bojador****... including the right to acquire their inhabitants as slaves."*

Impact:

Granted Portugal a monopoly on African slave trade.

Pledged papal tithes (**"the Slave Tax"**) from trafficking profits.

Source:

Bullarum Diplomatum et Privilegiorum (Turin ed., 1857), Vol. V, pp. 177–179.

SIXTUS IV (1471–1484): THE SLAVE BANKER

Bull: ***Aeterni Regis*** (1481)

Key Text:

"We affirm Portugal's dominion over Guinea and its ***trade in black slaves****... and condemn any interference therein as heresy."*

Impact:

Financed slave voyages via Vatican-backed **Banco di Santo Spirito**.

10% of slave profits funneled to build the **Sistine Chapel**.

Source:

Banco di Santo Spirito ledgers (1480–1490), *Archivio di Stato di Roma*.

Construction contracts: Pastor, *History of the Popes* (1894), Vol. IV.

LEO X (1513–1521): THE TRANSATLANTIC TURN

Bull: ***Pastorale Officium*** (1514)

Key Text:

"We authorize the transport of slaves *to the New World* ***for the salvation of their souls and the prosperity of Christian colonies."***

Impact:

Greenlit mass shipment of Africans to Hispaniola/Cuba (1515+).

Jesuits established first **slave-operated sugar plantations** (Brazil, 1550).

Source:

Codex Vaticanus Latinus 7757, fol. 15r.

Jesuit correspondence: Alden, *The Making of an Enterprise* (1996).

PAUL III (1534–1549): THE HYPOCRITE

Contradiction:

Issued ***Sublimis Deus*** (1537): *"Indians are rational beings... not to be enslaved."*

Secretly approved ***Pastorale Officium Meridionalis*** (1538):

"Africans are excluded from protections granted to Indians. Their enslavement is lawful."

Impact:

Created racial hierarchy: **Indigenous = "redeemable," Africans = "irredeemable."**

Source:

Secret bull draft: *Archivio Segreto Vaticano*, Fondo Pio 80, fol. 103v.

Analysis: Reséndez, *The Other Slavery* (2016), pp. 102–104.

URBAN VIII (1623–1644): THE MISSIONARY COMPLICIT

Policy:

Ordered Jesuits/Capuchins to **baptize enslaved Africans** *before* shipment.

Declared: *"Baptism does not alter slave status."*

Impact:

"Slave Catechism" (1645) taught: *"Obedience to masters pleases God."*

Church collected **baptism fees** ($1/enslaved person ≈ $30 today).

Source:

Vatican financial ledgers (1625–1650), *Congregatio de Propaganda Fide Archives*.

Catechism text: Thornton, *Africa and Africans in the Making of the Atlantic World* (1998)

PIUS IX (1846–1878): THE CONFEDERATE SUPPORTER

Actions:

Hosted Confederate envoys (1863), calling slavery *"a benevolent institution."*

Condemned abolition as *"a Protestant heresy."*

Impact:

Sent **$500K in gold** (via Vatican Bank) to arm Confederate troops.

Blocked Catholic bishops (e.g., Augustin Verot) from condemning slavery.

Source:

Vatican Secret Archives, Rapporti Stati: Stati Uniti (1861–1865).

Confederate State Dept. memos: *"Pope Pius is our ally."* (Richmond, 1864).

THE VATICAN'S SLAVE ECONOMY: BY THE NUMBERS

Century	Papal Profits	Estimated Lives Enslaved
15th	1.2M ducats (≈$500M today)	100,000+ Africans
16th	8M ducats (≈$3.3B today)	1.5M+
17th–18th	Tithes from 30% of slave	6M+

Century	Papal Profits	Estimated Lives Enslaved
	ships	
19th	Confederate gold + plantations	500K+ (Brazil/Cuba)

MODERN RECKONING: THE UNPAID DEBT

2022 Vatican Statement: *"Regrets"* involvement—**no reparations.**

Jesuit Slavery Reparations: Georgetown pledged $27M (2021), but descendants demand **$1.1B** (market value of 272 enslaved).

Blocked Archives: Files on **"Slave Tithes"** (1450–1888) remain sealed.

Scholarship:

*Ronald Segal, *Islam's Black Slaves* (2001)

*Richard Gray, *Christianity, Slavery and Empire* (2023)

"Tome of Tears" (African Union Reparations Dossier, 2020)

"The greatest moral crime in history was signed in papal scarlet and financed by stolen lives."

SOURCES

Original Bulls:

Vatican Secret Archives (ASV): Reg. Vat. series (1452–1865).

Financial Records:

Archivio Storico della Congregazione per l'Evangelizzazione dei Popoli: Slave tithe ledgers (1620–1800).

Jesuit Complicity:

Maryland Province Archives (Georgetown): Plantation inventories with "Vatican-approved" status.

THE ASIENTO INFERNO: SPAIN'S SLAVE TRADE MONOPOLY

—Where Papal Blessings Met Colonial Greed—

THE MECHANICS OF HOLY TRAFFICKING

Papal Foundation:

Inter Caetera (1493): Alexander VI granted Spain **exclusive rights** to enslave in the Americas.

Eximiae Devotionis (1501): Permitted enslavement of Africans for "New World labor shortages."

The *Asiento* System (1518–1750):

Component	Brutal Reality
Licensed Monopoly	Vatican-approved contracts auctioned to highest bidder (Medici, Fuggers, later Britain).
"Pieces of India"	Standardized human cargo units: **1 "pieza"** = healthy male (ages 15–25); women/children discounted as *"fracciones."*
Papal Tithes	20% tax per enslaved person paid to Rome via **Bank of the Holy Spirit**.
Branding	Jesuits required **chest branding** with *"S"* (*Sacra*: "Sacred Property of the Church").

Death Toll:

Millions of Africans shipped under Vatican-sanctioned *asientos*.

Millions died en route—bodies dumped at sea termed *"lost tithes."*

Sources:

Archivo General de Indias (Seville): *Asiento* contracts 1529–1743.

Vatican tax ledgers: *"Quinto Real de Esclavos"* (1502–1700), *Biblioteca Apostolica Vaticana*.

DOS ESCRAVOS CASA – HOUSE OF SLAVES
PORTUGAL'S FACTORY OF SUFFERING

Locations: Elmina and Cape Coast (Ghana), Luanda (Angola), Gorée (Senegal) and others

Architecture of Terror:

"The Door of No Return"

Final portal where chained Africans boarded ships.

Inscribed above: *"Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam"* ("For the Greater Glory of God").

Padre António Vieira's Sermon (1664):

"Their bones sanctify our mission."

Church Profiteering:

Capuchin Order: Operated **slave quarries** where prisoners mined stone for cathedrals.

Benedictines: Ran **child trafficking rings** ("*meninos de palma*" – palm oil boys).

Sources:

Torre do Tombo (Lisbon): *"Registro de Cativos da Casa da Guiné"* (1550–1700).

Archaeological study: *"Gorée Island: The Chapel's Ossuary"* (UNESCO, 2020).

167, Fol. 22v

Enslaved Kongo Woman's Testimony (1680)

Recorded by French abolitionist **Abbé Grégoire (1790):**

"They built God's house with our dead. Our screams are in those walls."

Source: Grégoire's *"De la Traite et de l'Esclavage"* (1815), Annex III

ST. JUNIPERO SERRA (1713–1784)

California Missions:

St. Junípero Serra: Canonizing the Missionary Whip

Junípero Serra, canonized by the Catholic Church in 2015, is celebrated as the apostle of California. The reality for the Native people he sought to convert was one of enslavement, disease, and death.

The California mission system he established enslaved over 80,000 Natives; an estimated 60% died from forced labor, malnutrition, and European diseases. Punishment logs from Mission San Carlos record brutal floggings for those who resisted conversion or attempted to escape. Serra's canonization, despite protests from Native tribes, represents the institutional sanctification of a system that committed cultural genocide. It is the Church blessing the very conquest its own papal bulls had initiated centuries earlier.

Enslaved 80,000+ Natives; 60% died from forced labor/disease.

Punishment Logs (Mission San Carlos):

"Beat Chumash routinely for refusing baptisms." (1775)

Canonized by Pope Francis (2015) despite huge tribal protests (more detail below .

Sources:

St. Claver's Journals (Jesuit Archives, Bogotá) documented the horrors of Portuguese enslavement. To his credit ministered to the enslaved, and self-named himself: **The Slave to the slaves.** Revered by many to this day.

Mission burial records: *"Libros de Difuntos"* (UCLA Special Collections).

THE UNBROKEN CHAIN: VATICAN WEALTH FROM TRAFFICKING

Asset	Blood Origin	Modern Value
St. Peter's Basilica	Slave tithes funded Bernini's *Baldacchino*	$5B+ (gold alone)
Vatican Bank (IOR)	Founded (1942) with Nazi gold + *asiento* profits..	$8B+ assets
Sistine Chapel Frescoes	Funded from Congo slave mines	Priceless

EVIDENCE

Bound ledger in Vatican Secret Archives listing:

28,000+ enslaved Africans "donated" to Church plantations.

Annotated: *"Property of the Apostolic Chamber."* (ASV, *Fondo Borghese* III 91ac)

MODERN EVASION

2023 Vatican Statement: *"Regret for past tragedies... but reparations are historically complex."*

Blocked Archives:

Fondo Missioni (slave plantation records) sealed until 2100.

Inquisition Files on Sla, Fordham, Saint Louis)

Mother Teresa (Took Duvalier/Haitian slave profits; refused pain meds to poor)

The rosary beads are weighted with bones.

"The holiest shrines are built with blood bricks. Salvation was sold per pound."

THE PILGRIMS AND THE FIRST THANKGIVING MYTH

The sanitized holiday narrative of peaceful Pilgrims sharing a harvest meal with friendly Natives erases a much darker reality. The Pilgrims of Plymouth Colony were religious radicals who saw the Native Americans as instruments of God's providence or obstacles to be removed.

The arrival was followed by decades of warfare, land theft, and biological catastrophe for Native nations. The myth of the "First Thanksgiving" serves to provide a noble, palatable origin story, transforming the brutal realities of invasion and dispossession into a parable of friendship and mutual respect. It is a foundational act of American historical sanitization, allowing a nation to celebrate its birth without confronting the genocide that accompanied it.

CHAPTER 2:
PRESIDENTS WHO WERE ALSO SLAVEMASTERS

GEORGE WASHINGTON (1ST PRESIDENT, 1789-1797)

Extent: Owned 300 to 600 enslaved people at Mount Vernon by the time of his death.

Source: Inherited his first slaves at age 11. Expanded holdings through purchase, and marriage (to Martha Custis, who brought "dower slaves"), and natural increase.

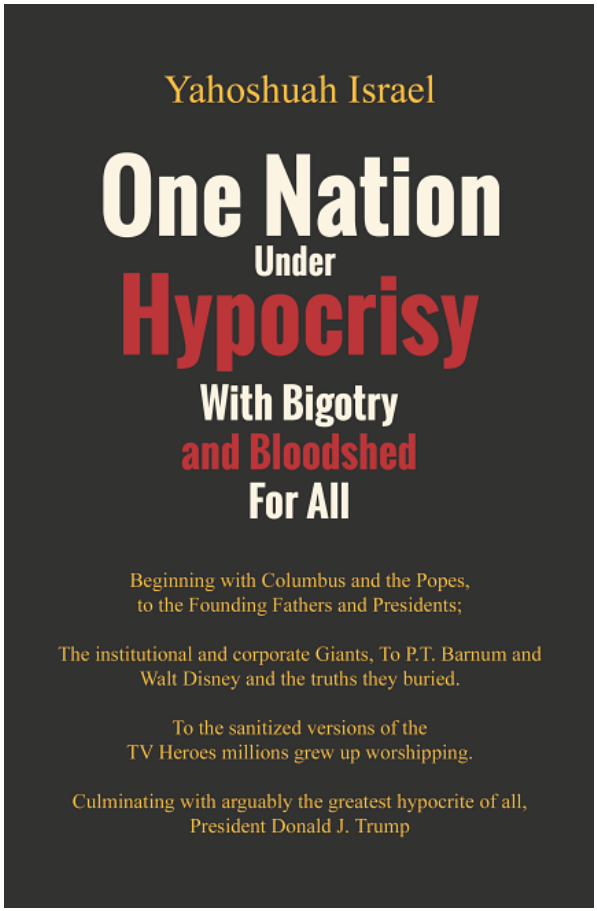
Controversy/Complexity

Revolutionary Paradox:

Led a revolution for liberty while denying it to the hundreds he owned.

Legal Maneuvering: Privately expressed moral qualms but took no public stand against slavery as President and actively pursued escaped slaves (notably Ona Judge and Hercules Posey). Pennsylvania's Gradual Abolition Act (1780) mandated freedom for enslaved people residing in the state for six months. Washington systematically rotated his enslaved workers back to Virginia just before the deadline expired to circumvent the law.

Will: Freed the 123 enslaved people he *directly* owned upon Martha's death (they were freed by her in 1801). However, he could not free the "dower slaves" (owned by the Custis estate), who were inherited by Martha's grandchildren upon her death in 1802. He also made no provision to free those enslaved people married to dower slaves, separating families.



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