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St. James's, November 12, 1760.

THIS Day the following Address of the University of Cambridge was presented to His Majesty by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, their Chancellor; accompanied by the Rev. Dr. Sandby, Master of Magdalen College, Vice-Chancellor; the Right Hon. the Earl of Hardwicke, High Steward; and several of the Nobility, Students in the University; the Bishops of Norwich, Litchfield and Coventry, Chester, St. David's, Chichester, Peterborough, and Bristol; with a great Number of Heads of Houses, Doctors, and Masters of Arts; all in their proper University Habits.

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars, of the University of Cambridge.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars, of your University of Cambridge, lamenting, with the sincerest Grief, the Death of our late most Gracious Sovereign; and being truly sensible of the Blessings we enjoyed under His glorious Reign, humbly beg Leave to approach your Royal Presence, to testify our deepest Concern, for the severe, and most affecting Loss, which your Majesty and these Kingdoms have sustained by that melancholy Event; and, with Hearts full of the sincerest Duty, and most affectionate Zeal, to congratulate your Majesty on your happy Accession to the Throne of your Royal Ancestors.

The remarkable Prosperity and Success, which, by the Divine Providence, have been vouchsafed to us, through the long, and illustrious Reign of your Royal Grandfather; the acknowledged Lenity, Moderation, and Wisdom, of His Government; that uniform Regard to our Laws and Constitution, which was the invariable Rule of His Conduct; that constant and inviolable integrity, with which His Engagements were fulfilled; that Firmness, and Resolution, with which His Counsels were directed; as they were productive of the most invaluable Blessings, justly demand the most affectionate Remembrance, and grateful Acknowledgments, of a dutiful and happy People.

We, of this University, in particular, who have been distinguished by the most signal Marks of His especial Favor, who have been honored by repeated Acts of His Royal Munificence; who have ever experienced the continued Support and Encouragement of His most gracious Countenance and Protection, can never be so unmindful of our Duty and Obligations, as not to retain the most lively Impressions, and, on all Occasions, testify the warmest Sense of Gratitude towards our Royal Benefactor.

The pleasing Hopes, so justly raised in us, by the Consideration of your Majesty's Princely Virtues, early implanted, and successfully cultivated; of your eminent and publick Regard to our Holy Religion, and your well-known Affection for our excellent Constitution in Church and State, have, by your Majesty's most gracious, and reasonable Declaration in Council, been improved into the strongest Confidence, that every Thing dear and valuable to us, will be preserved, in its full Extent, under your Majesty's Auspicious Government.

Engaged as we are, by every Principle of Duty, we will not fail to offer up our most devout and fervent Prayers, that your Majesty's gracious Intentions to promote the Welfare of your Subjects, and to support the Dignity of your Crown, may be ever attended with Success; that the dreadful Effects of the present destructive, though necessary, War, may be succeeded by the lasting Blessings of an honorable and happy Peace; and that your Majesty's Throne may be ever fixed on that most solid and glorious Foundation, on which it now stands, the united Affections of a free and loyal People.

Permit us, Sir, with all Humility, to add our most earnest and faithful Assurances to your Majesty, that your University of Cambridge, ever firmly united in Principles of Loyalty and Affection, to your Royal and Illustrious Family, will invariably persevere in the most dutiful Attachment to your Royal Person and Government; and that our zealous and unwearied Endeavours shall be ever employed to impress deeply on the Minds of the rising Generation, entrusted to our Care, the most sincere and awful Reverence for our Holy Religion; the most zealous Regard for that happy Government under which we live; and the truest Sentiments of Allegiance, Fidelity, and Affection, to your Sacred Majesty; that so, under the settled Influence of these good Principles, and by the Wisdom of your Majesty's Counsels, the Blessings which we now enjoy may be perpetuated under the Government of your Royal and August House.

Given under our Common Seal, this 10th Day of November, 1760.

To which Address His Majesty was pleased to give this most gracious Answer.

I Thank you for this very Dutiful and Loyal Address; the Zeal and Affection you shew to my Person, Family, and Government, and the Assurances you give me, of educating the Youth under your Care, in a due Reverence to our most Holy Religion, and in Principles of Zeal and Affection to our happy Establishment in Church and State, are most acceptable to me, and cannot fail of recommending you to my Favour and Protection.

His Majesty was pleased to receive them very graciously: And they had all the Honour to kiss His Majesty's Hand.

Leicester House, Nov. 13.

This Day the University of Cambridge waited upon her Royal Highness the Princess Dowager of Wales; and his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, their Chancellor, made their Compliments of Condoleance and Congratulation in the following Speech.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars, of the University of Cambridge, humbly beg Leave to condole with your Royal Highness, upon the Death of our late most gracious Sovereign; and to congratulate your Royal Highness upon the happy Accession of the King your Son, to the Imperial Crown of these Kingdoms.

Nothing could alleviate our deep Concern, and repair our affecting Loss, but that entire Sense we have of His Majesty's Princely Virtues, early cultivated, and brought to a happy Maturity, by the pious, and maternal Care of your Royal Highness.