

these Kingdoms, and to preserve and strengthen both the Constitution in Church and State, claims our most sincere and dutiful Acknowledgments; and may justly be depended upon from a Prince, descended on both Sides from a Race of Heroes, who so early and so undauntedly stood forth, and distinguished themselves in the Cause of Liberty and Religion.

It is with inexpressible Joy we see the perfect and happy Union now subsisting in your Majesty's Councils, and the entire Affection of all your Subjects to your Majesty's Person and Government, which cannot fail of obtaining (the only suitable Conclusion of the present glorious and successful War) a safe, honourable and lasting Peace: Permit us, most gracious Sovereign, to assure your Majesty of our inviolable Attachment and unalterable Zeal for your Majesty's sacred Person and illustrious Family; and may your Majesty long continue to reign on the Throne of your Ancestors, and in the Hearts of a People truly happy, and fully convinced of their being so.

Given under the Common Seal of the Town of Lancaster this Seventh Day of November, in the Year of Lord, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty.

The following Address of the Mayor, Bailiffs, and Burgeses of the Town of Southampton, has been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Bailiffs, and Burgeses of the Town of Southampton.

May it please your Majesty,

WE Your Majesty's most faithful and obedient Subjects, the Mayor, Bailiffs and Burgeses of the Town of Southampton, in Common Council assembled, beg Leave to approach your Sacred Person with Hearts deeply affected with the great Loss these Kingdoms have suffered by the sudden and lamented Death of our late most gracious Sovereign, your Majesty's Royal Grandfather, the Parent of His People; a Loss, which could not be enough deplored, did it not lessen to our View, when we behold your Majesty succeeding to the Crown, whose Greatness of Mind, sound Judgment, and avowed Love of this your native Country, and its Constitution in Church and State, will now shine forth to the neighbouring Nations, and convince them, that though we have lost a King, grown old in Honour and Renown, we have gained another, who, in the Prime of Life, possesses Qualifications which must render him formidable to His Enemies, respected by his Allies, beloved and honoured by his Subjects.

Permit us, Royal Sir, to glory in the peculiar Honour we enjoy of seeing your Majesty's Name, together with so many others of the Royal Family, enrolled among the Burgeses of this Town, and in the distinguishing Marks of Favour shewn us by your late illustrious Father: Considerations, which will for ever incite us to appear foremost among those, who zealous for the Prosperity of their King and Country, offer up to Almighty God their Prayers, and to your Majesty their Lives and Fortunes, to procure to you, most gracious Sovereign, a long and glorious Reign over an happy and united People.

Given under our Common Seal the sixth Day of November, in the First Year of your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address of the Mayor and Burgeses of the Town of Kingston upon Hull, has been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor and Burgeses of the Town of Kingston upon Hull.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor and Burgeses of the Town of Kingston upon Hull, beg Leave to approach

your Majesty with our sincerest Addresses of Condolence on the Loss which your Majesty and the whole Nation have sustained by the Demise of our late most Gracious Sovereign your Royal Grandfather. As never Prince deserved more highly of his Subjects, it would be the greatest Ingratitude in them not to express a suitable Degree of Sorrow on this Occasion: But at the same Time, we must not be insensible of the Joy and Happiness that are set before us, in seeing His Crown placed on the Head of a young accomplished Prince, lineally descended from him, and distinguished with the same Great and Eminent Virtues, which shone so conspicuous in him. Permit us therefore, Great Sir, to express our Joy and most hearty Congratulations on your happy Accession to the Throne of these Kingdoms, with the universal Acclamations of your Subjects; and to assure your Majesty of our constant Duty and Loyalty, and our utmost Endeavours to promote the Glory and Happiness of your Reign: And we beseech your Majesty to accept our warmest Wishes, that it may please the Almighty, who prospered the Arms of your immediate Royal Predecessor with so many and signal Successes, to continue his Blessings to your Majesty, and give you the Glory of putting an End to the War, in which the Nation has been long justly engaged, by an Honourable and Lasting Peace; and that your Majesty may long live to enjoy the Fruits of it, in Health and Prosperity, blessed with the Love of a happy and grateful People.

Given under our Common Seal this first Day of November, in the first Year of your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address of the Mayor and Burgeses of the Borough of Christchurch, has been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor and Burgeses of the Borough of Christchurch, in the County of Southampton.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor and Burgeses of this your ancient Borough, beg Leave to condole with your Majesty on the Death of our late most gracious King, your Royal Grandfather; under whose Reign your Majesty's faithful Subjects were truly happy; and whose glorious Memory will always be dear to them, and to their latest Posterity.

So great a Loss could not but affect your People with the most sincere Grief. The Goodness of Providence does however set before them the most pleasing Prospect of continued and increasing Happiness; since we see in your Majesty, a Prince endued with every Virtue requisite to adorn a Throne, and bless a Nation.

The Publick Sorrow is hereby turned into universal Joy, and Congratulation to your Majesty, on your happy Accession. We most heartily concur with our Fellow-Subjects therein, and in offering to your Majesty an early Tribute of Duty and Affection, earnestly intreating the great Disposer of all Events, to make your Majesty's Reign long and happy, over a brave, loyal, and free People.

Given under our Common Seal, at a full Assembly in our Town-hall, this Tenth Day of November, 1760.

The following Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Sheriffs, and Principal Inhabitants of the County Borough of Carmarthen, has been presented to His Majesty by Gryffydd Price, Esq; the Recorder, being introduced by the Lord of the Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

AMIDST the general Grief of the Nation for the Death of your Royal Grandfather, be pleased to accept the sincere Condolence of your
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