

a Calamity from a Pain threatening your Majesty's Subjects; and not only in Words, but with Hearts filled with Veneration and Respect for your Sacred Person, we most devoutly pray the Almighty to continue His Protection to the best of Kings.

Given under the Common Seal of our Corporation, this Twelfth Day of August, 1786.

[The Address from the Town and Neighbourhood of Witney.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

**WE**, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Gentlemen, Clergy, and other Inhabitants of your ancient incorporated Town of Witney, and its Neighbourhood, beg Leave to approach your Royal Person, to express the sincere Joy we feel at being honoured with your Majesty's Presence in this County; and in particular to testify the real Satisfaction we have, and the Gratitude we entertain towards the great Disposer of all Events for His gracious Preservation of your Life lately endangered; a Life so justly valuable and dear to all your Majesty's Subjects.

The following Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Recorder and Aldermen of the Town of Kingston upon Hull, has been presented to the King by the Marquis of Carmarthen, High Steward of the said Town: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen of your Town of Kingston upon Hull, in Common Council assembled.

**WE**, the Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen of your Town of Kingston upon Hull, impressed with the deepest Sense of the inestimable Value of your Majesty's Life, think it our Duty to declare our Abhorrence of the late execrable Attempt on your Sacred Person, and to offer our warmest Congratulations on your providential Preservation. Such has been the Tenor of your Majesty's Conduct during the many Years you have reigned over a happy and grateful People, that none but a Person destitute of Reason could form so daring and detestable a Design; a Design which has justly excited the highest Indignation in every Breast, except that only which was the Object of the intended Mischiefs.

Anxious for your Majesty's Safety, on which the Welfare of your Subjects so essentially depends, we beg Leave to assure your Majesty of our best Endeavours to support and defend your Person and Government, and of our ardent Wishes that your Majesty may long continue to enjoy the Blessings of the Divine Favour and Protection.

Given under the Common Seal of this Corporation, this Fifteenth Day of August, in the Year our Lord, One thousand seven hundred and eighty-six.

*Henry Eberington, Mayor.*

The following Address of the Right Reverend the Dean, the Sub-Dean, Priests, Organists and Composers, the Gentlemen, Serjeant, and Yeoman of the Royal Chapels, has been presented to the King by the Reverend Anselm Bayly, Doctor of Laws, Sub-Dean, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*May it please your Majesty,*

**WE**, your dutiful Subjects and Servants, the Right Reverend the Dean, the Sub-Dean, Priests, Organists and Composers, the Gentlemen, Serjeant, and Yeoman, of your Royal Chapels,

affected with a deep Sense of the Danger to which your Sacred Person was lately exposed, by a most horrid Attempt upon your Life, and which at once threatened an inconsolable Loss to your Illustrious Family, and Destruction to the Peace and Welfare of your People at large, humbly beg Leave, in our respective Situations, with Sentiments full of Joy and Gratitude to Heaven, to congratulate your Majesty upon your happy Deliverance from a Misfortune which must have been productive of every Evil.

That your Majesty may live long to reign in the Hearts of all your Subjects, and continue to shine forth a bright Example of Paternal Goodness to this Nation, both in Church and State, is the unfeigned Prayer of your Majesty's dutiful Subjects and Servants.

Chapel Royal, St. James's,  
Aug. 18, 1786.

The following Address of the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Cambridge, has been presented to the King by the Reverend Joseph Turner, Doctor in Divinity, Vice-Chancellor, and Master of Pembroke Hall, attended by the Earl of Eniton and the Right Honourable William Pitt, Representatives in Parliament for the said University, the Honourable Edward James Eliot, and the Reverend George Prettyman, Doctor in Divinity, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

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 the University of Cambridge, in Senate assembled, fully sensible of your Majesty's warm Attention to the Interests of sound Learning and Religion, of the high Importance of your Majesty's personal Example in promoting Probity of Manners through all Classes of the People, and of the great Equity and Mildness of your Majesty's Government, humbly beg Leave to lay at the Foot of your Throne our most sincere Congratulations on the late providential Preservation of your Majesty's Life. We pray to God, that it may long be continued with uninterrupted Felicity to your Majesty, being persuaded that it will always continue to be a Blessing to your People.

Given under our Common Seal, this 11th Day of August, 1786.

The following Address of the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Middlesex, has been presented to the King by John Wilkes and William Mainwaring, Esqrs. Representatives in Parliament for the said County, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Middlesex.

*May it please your Majesty,*

**WE**, your Majesty's loyal Subjects, the Freeholders of Middlesex, sensible of the great Blessings which we enjoy under your Majesty's most benign Government, humbly presume to approach the Throne to express our dutiful Congratulations on the Failure of the daring and violent Attack which was lately made on your Majesty's Royal Person.

We acknowledge it as a singular Blessing, and as a striking Instance of the Goodness of the Supreme Being, that your Majesty's Life, which we consider of the greatest Importance to the Welfare and Prosperity of