

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,  
The humble Address of the Nobility, Gentry,  
Clergy, Freeholders, and other Inhabitants of  
the County of Surrey.

**WE**, your Majesty's most dutiful Subjects, the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, Freeholders, and other Inhabitants of the County of Surrey, beg Leave to approach your Majesty with the most unfeigned Sentiments of Joy, on your Majesty's providential Escape from the atrocious Attempt made on a Life so dear and so valuable to your faithful People.

Sensible of the Blessings we derive, not only from the Monarchy but the Monarch, and justly connecting the Safety of your Majesty's Person with the Happiness of your Subjects, and the Security of our Rights and Liberties, we are impelled by every Sentiment of Duty and Interest, (though on this Occasion we feel the additional Impulse of grateful Affection) to assure your Majesty with what Abhorrence we view the daring and flagitious Outrage committed against your Majesty's sacred Person, and how sincerely we congratulate not only your Majesty but ourselves, that an Attempt so atrocious and dark has been attended with no other Effect than to call forth additional Proofs of the Attachment and Loyalty of your People.

May the same Almighty Power which has hitherto protected your Majesty from the Furor of the Maniac and the Malignity of the Assassin, continue to frustrate those Designs which, whilst Atrocity meditates, no human Foresight or Precaution can guard against; and we beg your Majesty to believe, that conscious as we are but one Sentiment of indignant Abhorrence pervades all Ranks of your Majesty's Subjects on this Occasion, none feel more warmly this Sentiment, none are more sincerely attached to your Majesty's Person and Family, and from none will your Majesty continue to receive more convincing Proofs of affectionate Attachment than from the loyal Inhabitants of the County of Surrey.

Signed at the Request and in the Name of the County.

*Thomas Turton, High Sheriff.*

[Presented by *Thomas Turton, Esq; High Sheriff of the said County.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*May it please your Majesty,*

**WE**, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the High Sheriff, Gentlemen, Clergy, Freeholders and Inhabitants of the County of Berks, beg Leave to approach your Majesty with the Expression of our just Concern and Indignation at the daring and flagitious Outrages offered to your Majesty, on your Passage to and from your Parliament at the Opening of the present Session.

We have seen this Offence with Abhorrence, both from it's being directed against the Person of a Sovereign who justly reigns in the Hearts of all Ranks of his Subjects, and whose Virtues are more particularly known to us, who so long have been honoured by his Residence among us, and also from it's Tendency to interrupt the highest Functions, and to violate the most important Principles of that Constitution which Englishmen will always reverence as the Source and Safeguard of their Liberties; and we beg Leave to assure your Majesty that we see, with the utmost Disapprobation and Alarm, the Industry which is still employed in the Dissemination of those

Principles, which have a natural Tendency to produce these atrocious Crimes against your Majesty's Person, and against the established Government and Constitution of our Country.

Signed, at the unanimous Request of the Meeting,

*William Thoyns, Sheriff.*

[Presented by *William Thoyns, Esq; Sheriff, and Charles Dundas and George Vansittart, Esqrs. Representatives in Parliament for the said County.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble and dutiful Address of the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, Freeholders, and other Inhabitants of the County of Hartford.

*May it please your Majesty,*

**WE**, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the County of Hartford, impressed with the deepest Sense of the Blessings we enjoy under our excellent Constitution, of which the Hereditary Monarchy, settled by Law in your Majesty's illustrious House, forms an essential Part, approach your Majesty with our unfeigned Congratulations on your late providential Escape from an Attack on your Majesty's Person of the most daring and flagitious Nature.

If a Crime of such extensive Mischief, and of such peculiar Malignity, could possibly admit of any Aggravation, we might presume to observe, that, at a Moment so solemn as that when your Majesty was proceeding to open your High Court of Parliament, it argued more than common Depravity in those infatuated Miscreants, who, ceasing to consider themselves as Subjects, had cast off the Feelings of Men, and scrupled not to attempt the Life of their Sovereign, engaged in the highest Functions of his Regal Office.

We spare ourselves the Pain of reciting, and your Majesty of recollecting the wicked Arts by which this Influence has been produced on weak Minds by designing and ambitious Men. The scandalous Misrepresentations which have been practised to seduce the Unwary, the criminal Hopes instilled into the Idle and Profligate, all aiming at one and the same Object, the Degradation and Extinction of Monarchy, and the Subversion of our established Constitution in Church and State.

Animated with these Sentiments, and partaking in that Joy which the late important Successes of our Allies have diffused through all Ranks of your Majesty's faithful Subjects, we address our fervent Prayers to the Disposer of all human Events for a long Continuance of your Majesty's Reign in Health, Prosperity and Glory, and with an ardent Hope for the Restoration of the Blessings of Peace, whenever the same can be secured to us on Terms consistent with the Stability of your Majesty's Throne, and the lasting Interests of your People.

Signed, by Order of the Meeting of the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, Freeholders, and other Inhabitants of the County of Hartford, held the 14th of November, 1795.

*Thomas Harding, Sheriff.*

[Presented by *Thomas Harding, Esq; Sheriff, accompanied by Lord Viscount Grimston, William Plumer, Esq; William Baker, Esq; Sir Abraham Hume, Bart. and Augustus Pechell, Esq;*]