

God Almighty for his having so miraculously discovered and prevented it, and shall not cease to pray for the preservation of your Majesties Person, your Heirs, and Lawful Successors; together with the Government in Church and State, as now established by Law. In the defence whereof we shall always be ready to sacrifice our Lives, and all that is dear unto us.

*To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.*

*The Humble Address of your Majesties Ancient and Loyal Corporation of Ludlow, in the County of Salop.*

*Most Dread Sovereign,*

With Horror and Amazement receiving the discovery of an accused Treason of desperate Villains, under the cover of Zeal, plotting the Destruction of your Royal Person, and to compleat our Ruine, conspiring the death of your Dearest Brother, James Duke of York; and so under specious pretences to involve us and our posterity in Blood, and all imaginable Misery.

First, offering our most hearty Thanks to Almighty God, for his watchful Providence over you his Anointed, we humbly tender your Gracious Majesty our Lives and Fortunes, in defence of your Sacred Person, Heirs, Lawful Successors and Government as now established. And will with all diligence and vigour endeavour to discover, defeat and destroy all Conspiracies, Treasonable Associations and Attempts whatsoever; and daily implore Heaven, That your Majesty may subdue all your Enemies (never to be won by Mercy) and gloriously Reign over us many and many years.

Dated this thirteenth day of July, in the five and thirtieth Year of your Majesty's Reign, At our Common Council, under the Corporation Seal.

*To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.*

*Most Dread Sovereign,*

We Your Majesty's most Obedient and Loyal Subjects, Your Mayor and Approved Men, of Your Town of Guldeford in Your County of Surrey, having serious and sad Apprehensions of the dreadful Calamities which hung over our heads in the most Execrable Traiterous Conspiracy, to compass the Death and Destruction of Your Royal Person, and the most illustrious Prince, James Duke of York; by the great goodness of Almighty God now discovered, (and by the mercy of which Providence we are even as firebrands snatched out of the fire of a swift and otherwise inevitable Confusion and Ruine) do in all humility present at Your Royal feet, our most hearty and dutiful Congratulations for Your Majesty's and Your Royal Brothers happy deliverance out of the Hands of those Blood-thirsty and deceitful Men.

We bless and magnify the goodness of Almighty God for his great Mercy to us, and all Your People, in this and all other His wonderful Preservations of Your Sacred Person; And we most humbly beseech the same our good God, always to protect and defend You, and discover and defeat the Designs of such as have or shall conspire against You.

And we beseech Your Royal Majesty, that You may be Graciously pleased to be assured of the sincerity and steadfastness of our bounden Duties and Allegiance to Your Majesty, and that no colourable or specious Pretences whatsoever, of any the Achirophels of Faction or Sedition, shall ever incite in us a Jealousie or Distrust of Your Royal Wisdom and Councils for the good and peace of Your People, but that relying on Your Royal Wisdom and Justice, we shall be always ready to give the most ample demonstrations of Loyalty and cheerful Subjection to Your Majesty, and particularly in using our utmost diligence and endeavours for Discovering and Apprehending all Conspirators and Traitors whatsoever, that they may be brought to Justice; and in choosing from time to time such Members to serve Your Majesty in Parliament, as shall be clear from all suspicion of being privy to, or of abetting or countenancing in any manner any such wicked and never enough to be Abominated Designs and Practices.

And we beseech the Almighty to grant Your Majesty a long and Prosperous Reign over us, that under the blessing of Your Majesties most Just and Gracious Government, we may enjoy the blessing of Peace and Justice; To the defence whereof, and of Your Sacred Person, Your Heirs and Successors, we Devote our Lives and Fortunes to be at Your princely dispose.

*To the King's most Excellent Majesty*

*The humble Address of the Gentlemen of the Exchequer at Newport in the County of Essex.*

*Read Sovereign,*

We Your Majesties most Obedient Subjects being deeply sensible, and not without the greatest horror and aversion of Mind, resenting the most dreadful Consequences of this Accursed and Traiterous Conspiracy against Your Majesties most Sacred Life, and Your most Loyal and dearest Brother, his Royal Highness James Duke of York, being first formed in the dark Cabals of Hell, and now of late carried on with the most implacable Malice of a whole Complication of its Fanatick emissaries, the Factioned Sectaries and Disfenters of these times, in order to Subvert this Glorious Monarchy, and to lay Your Majesties three Kingdoms once again in Blood and Desolation; Cannot but with our Hearts and Souls almost everwhelmed with Loyal transports of Joy and Gladness, at the happy news of the Discovery of this black and dismal Combination, venture to approach Your Sacred Presence, and for ever Bless and Adore that great Providence which hath so often heretofore, and now so Signally and miraculously wrought Your Preservation: And now Great Sir, with all the Religious Duty and Devotion that becomes Loyal Subjects in their Addresses to so Gracious a Prince, we lay our Lives and Fortunes and all that we can possibly pretend to, at Your Royal Feet, and humbly beg that Your Majesty will be pleased to be assured that we are all with one heart and mind resolved to live and dye in the preservation and defence of Your Majesties most Sacred Person, Your illustrious Royal Brother, and lawful Successors, and the Government as now by Law established, against all Treasonable Designs and Associations whatsoever, And shall ever Pray for Your Majesties long Life and prosperous Reign, and for the utter Confusion of all Your Enemies.

*To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.*

*The Humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Burgesse, and Commonalty of your Majesties ancient Burrough of Wallingford.*

*S H E W E T H,*

That out of a deep sense of our duty to your Majesty, and a most humble acknowledgement of the great benefits we enjoy under your Majesties Government; we your Majesties most Loyal and Obedient Subjects, do with all thankfulness acknowledge and rejoice in the wonderful Deliverance vouchsafed unto us by the discovery of that damnable Association, carried on against the life of your Royal Person, and your Dearest Brother, James Duke of York, tending to the absolute ruine of the Government in Church and State.

Beseeching God, that as he hath in a most miraculous manner preserved your Majesty in the time of the late Rebellion, and seated you in your Royal Fathers Throne in Peace, that he would continue these his Mercies to you, and make the rest of your days as happy as your return was to us: Hereby declaring, That we shall be always ready to assist and defend your Majesty, your Heirs and Lawful Successors, against all such Associations, and Treasonable Conspiracies whatsoever, with our Lives and Fortunes, even to the last drop of Blood. In Testimony whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our Names, as well as set our Common Seal, the fourteenth day of July, in the Five and Thirtieth Year of your Majesty's happy Reign, and in the Year of our Lord God 1683.

*To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.*

*The Humble Address of the Grand Jury, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, holden at Durham, the 11th day of July, 1683.*

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

We your most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, being astonished to hear of a most Execrable and Traiterous Conspiracy against the Life of your Royal Person, and of his Royal Highness, your Dearest Brother; in both whose Welfare and Happiness, the Peace and Safety of all your good Subjects are inseparably bound up and secured: cannot but take the very first opportunity of declaring our utter Abhorrence of such Damnable Plots and Associations, and of renewing the tender of all that is near unto us, for the Service of your Sacred Majesty, your Heirs and Successors, and of the established