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Sir. I have this instant been made very happy with your very affectionate & kind Letter, for which I would want to Express both my joy & happiness, but I can say with great Truth that tho my Pen cannot express my feeling my Heart ~~most~~ does most deeply feel Y^r kind expressions about me & it shall ever be my most earnest endeavour as well as my inclination to merit the continuation of your good opinion.

We have been lamenting ever since your departure the obstinacy of the Wind, & tho laugh'd at, it was my opinion that you could see nothing ever to say the Disappointment to poor Admiral Duncan will be of course insupportable & I pity him much upon the occasion, but I will own that my thoughts were about you least this very Cold Wind might prove hurtfull to you, but as your Majesty does not mention your Health

I hope You will not suffer in the End.

I saw the Princess of Orange who told me that she ^{receives} a letter from Berlin in which she is given to understand that D^r Brown told the Prince Royal of Prussia in Secret that He did not fear so much for the Kings Life as for a State of Jubecility in which He really is now. She is low & ^{very} uneasy about Her Nephews Situation.

We went this Morning to Froguel & were well received, but for the Place I cannot say much, excepting that the road to it is beautiful. Last Night we spent entirely alone & were to do the same this Evening & I shall not see any body untill Your return which I flatter myself will be as You are so good to say to Morrow the sooner the better as I can say with great Truth that it can never be too soon for Her

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Queens House

Via St. Peter

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The Five

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who Subscribes Herself with all Respect & Affection

Your Majesty's

Queens House

most Obedient & Affectionate

the 31st October

Wife,

1797.

Charlotte

The Five Amiable Graces desires their most affectionate Duty to You.

I hope You will excuse all faults, I write in haste for fear of keeping the Messenger too long whom Mr Pepon very civilly sent to inform me of His going

The Queen

October 31. 1797
