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To the Duchess of Brunswick
November 6th 1756

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My Dearest Sister,

Although I derived much comfort from the Receipt of your kind letter of the 27th October, as it assured me that you were safe, you must be convinced how sincerely I sympathize in your Affliction, and how much I lament the severe distress which you and your Family have experienced, and which is so feelingly described in the letter to the Princess of Wales which you intend to shew. - I am too well aware, My Dearest Sister, of the usefulness of your Principles, not to feel that the same Request for the Will of Providence which has taught you not to be hindered by Prosperity, would enable you to submit with pious Resignation to the bright of unmerited Adversity & that Religion would prove a Comfort to you, which you cannot receive under such melancholy Circumstances who are insensible to it's Blessings. It has afforded me much Satisfaction to learn that the Duke's wound is not so serious as was at first reported, and I anxiously hope that your uneasiness upon this Account will be still further relieved.

Believe me to be
Signed George R.

Death of
Heret Duke
Sep. 20; Duke
Wounded at
Battle of Jena
Oct. 14.
(Died Nov. 10).

[Faint, illegible handwriting on a piece of lined paper, possibly a page from a notebook or ledger. The text is too light to transcribe accurately.]