

To P<sup>ce</sup> of Hales

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Dec. 3 1797

My Dearest Brother

I have received The Kings  
 Commands to send you the enclosed Paper, which I  
 trust will give you great pleasure —

As soon as the Hunt was over Yesterday I went to  
 deliver your Message concerning the going to St Pauls  
 I said that you wished to do what the King thought  
 proper, but that you could not think it consistent  
 with your former Conduct to go there in Private, as  
 you had declined receiving the City on Charlottes birth  
 not having more than three attendants; but that if  
 the King wished you to meet him at the Cathedral  
 Door, you would certainly be there to join the Procu-  
 sion — The King said you was perfectly right  
not to go; & that you could give the same reason  
now with adding that you had not Carriages, Liveries  
 & sets of Horses to go as you ought to appear. &

and that he thought therefore the going in Private  
would render you liable to ill natured remarks  
and that you had better be out of Town on that day  
I then asked about the Princeps - and he said the man  
go in State or not at all -

Now My Dear! How can she do that without Dicks  
Dante Carriages - Horses &c &c - I shall be very happy  
if indeed if this letter brings you any Comfort  
I am writing in the greatest hurry - but can always  
find time to add how truly I am

My Dearest Brother

Windsor

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Y<sup>r</sup> most affe Friend &c

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Mr R. H. H.