

Duchess of Brunswick

19th May 1803

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My dearest brother

You are too good to me in sending me these religious Books, I shall read them with double pleasure so they come from you. I hope that you will live long, & happily, to be a Blessing to all around you, the comfort you now are to your Old faithful & attach'd Sister. I should be a sad creature did I not feel the truest Gratitude, & the most sincere affection for all the continued Kindness & friendship that time nor absence has not eradicated. I have had the pleasure of seeing our Nephew William he is very sensible of your goodness to him & his Sister, the Duke of Cambridge was so condescending as to come & meet him here, & made him quite comfortable at Hannover. Hannover he liked vastly, & well one may for its quite English at the same time that the Dignity of a German court is kept up. I love him from his affection to his father he is a good Principled young man, he has promis'd to call again before he leaves the continent, where ever he has been his manner has pleased I do not know how he has succeed at Potsdam.

I have a Letter from my Husband of the 15th May. I will
Copy exactly what he, sais, d'ici je ne peu vous mande
rien qui vous interesse; nous exerçons tous les jours
et nous cultivons des jardins, que ne servirions
ou aise-m flatterment qu'après que nous n'y serons
plus. I have an other of the 17. on pretend que toute
esperance du maintien de la Paix n'est point
perdue Dieu le donne, je ne serai d'ailleurs point
sans la quietude pour l'Electoral d'Hannovre.
pray do not let any Body know that I have wrote
this. you will easily believe my motive to be good
I am truly interested in every thing that concerns
you and my Country I ever am my dearest brother
with the most sincere gratitude

your most dutiful
& affectional Sister & Subject

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