

Majesty may long reign in the hearts of a dutiful, affectionate, and united people, is our sincere and daily prayer.

[Here follow the Signatures,]

[Delivered by the Very Reverend the Dean of Canterbury, the Churchwardens, and Vestry Clerk.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

SIRE,

*May it please your Majesty,*

WE, your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, inhabiting the Parish of Hampton, in the County of Middlesex, beg leave to approach your Majesty with the expression of our zealous attachment to the Throne, and veneration to the Constitution.

We have observed with the deepest concern and regret the base and insidious arts by which a wicked and unprincipled faction has for some time past endeavoured to delude the credulous and unwary, and, through the means of licentious and blasphemous publications, to overturn the Altar and the Throne, and to eradicate every honourable and British feeling.

While the seeds of sedition and blasphemy are thus actively disseminated, we feel ourselves imperatively called upon to step forward with a manly and open avowal of unshaken fidelity and allegiance to your Majesty's sacred Person, and of our unalterable attachment to and determination to defend, with all our energies, that glorious Constitution which your Majesty has so steadily and powerfully maintained.

We humbly pray that the Almighty Disposer of all human affairs may extend his protecting arm over this highly favoured empire, by preserving the Crown to your Majesty and in your august Family to the latest posterity.

[Delivered by the Rev. William Church.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, the High Constable, Freeholders and Inhabitants of the Parish of Chatham, in the County of Kent, actuated by that spirit of loyalty, and by that attachment to our civil and religious Constitution which heretofore were the distinguishing marks of British subjects, beg leave to avow and to declare our unshaken fidelity to your Majesty, and our veneration for the laws of our country. Grieved as we are to see the unceasing efforts that are made to weaken, in the public mind, all sense of religion and all respect for civil Authority, we are thenceforth the more animated in our zeal to guard against the dangers of impiety, and the distractions and confusion necessarily resulting from faction and sedition. However divided the opinions of the public will always be on many political points, and declining to enter into any discussion of them, we cannot but indignantly protest against the machinations of those who strive to subvert every principle of allegiance to the Sovereign, and all regard to establishments founded on wisdom, and which have advanced our national glory and prosperity.

Permit us then, most gracious Sire, to present to you our sincere and earnest wishes, both for the long continuance of your Majesty's health and for

the restoration of the peace and tranquility of your dominions, and exulting as we ought to do in the possession of many blessings peculiar to our country, we anxiously hope and confidently trust, that the natural good sense of our fellow subjects will lead them to deem those to be the best friends to the State, who, in maintaining their inherent rights and privileges, are never unmindful of the duty that they owe to their King, of the respect that is due to legal Authority, nor of the reverence that is justly to be paid to the sacred ordinances of our Holy Faith.

John Tribe, Constable.

[Delivered by John Tribe, Esq.]

To his Most Excellent Majesty George the Fourth, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, KING, Defender of the Faith.

SIRE,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Landholders, Clergy, Yeomanry and Inhabitants of the Hundred of Colyton, in the County of Devon, most humbly presume to tender to your Majesty our unfeigned assurances of cheerful submission to your Royal Authority and sincere attachment to your sacred Person.

We have witnessed with the deepest regret, combined with an honest indignation, the flagitious attempts of irreligious and disloyal men, to seduce the minds of the rising generation from the fear of their Creator, and the reverence due to our glorious Constitution; proceedings infamous in design, pregnant with danger in their progress, and dishonourable to the country that gave us birth.

Permit us to assure your most gracious Majesty, that all our thoughts and actions, at this alarming crisis, will invariably be directed to promote the encouragement and extension of morality and virtue in our own families and in our respective parishes; and our lives and fortunes shall never be spared in the defence of our Holy Religion and the dignity of your Majesty's Crown.

[Transmitted by Sir William Templer Pole, Bart.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, Inhabitants of the Town and Neighbourhood of Horncastle, in the County of Lincoln, should not on any ordinary occasion presume to obtrude ourselves on your Majesty's notice, but at the present eventful crisis we feel it a duty from which as loyal subjects we cannot shrink, humbly to offer to your Majesty our sincere assurance of unshaken allegiance and faithful attachment to your Majesty's Royal Person and Government, and of our firm resolution to contribute by every means in our power to the support of our most Holy Religion and the happy Constitution under which we live.

We view with the deepest concern and abhorrence the spirit of infidelity and disaffection now so unblushingly avowed, and through the baneful agency of a blasphemous and seditious press so widely propagated; we trust, however, (under Divine Providence,) to your Majesty's paternal care and to the wisdom of Parliament for protection from the dangers with which we are threatened,