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The following Addresses have been presented to His Majesty, who received them very Graciously.

To the Kings most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Bishop, Dean and Chapter, and the Clergy of the Diocess of Exeter,

May it please your Sacred Majesty,

As we (your Majesties most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects) do with all our Hearts Condole the Death of our late Gracious Sovereign, your Majesties most entirely beloved Brother, by whose wonderful Restauration we were delivered from our late horrible Confusions, and Established upon our Antient Foundations of Peace and Truth; So with all our Souls we Adore the Divine Majesty who in no less wonderful manner hath preserved your Sacred Person from the raging of the Sea and the madness of the People, and hath blessed us with the much desired peaceable Succession of your Majesty to the Throne of your Ancestors.

And with all imaginable Gratitude we do acquiesce in your Majesties Gracious and Solemn Declaration, so preserve unto us our Established Religion, which indispensably obligeth us to a strict Loyalty to your Majesty as well as to the fear of God, and for which by the Precepts of our Saviour, and the Example of the Glorious Martyr Your Royal Father, we have learned not to accept our Lives dear unto us.

And lastly, we shall (as in Duty bound) wish our ut most Zeal and Faithfulness, not only defend your Majesties Sacred Person, Crown and Dignity, and the Rights of your lawful Succession, but industriously promote them upon all occasions in our several Stations, Praying heartily for your Majesties long and prosperous Reign over us.

To the Kings most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Bishop and Clergy of the Diocess of Sarum, assembled at the Elections of the Knights of the Shire for the County of Wilts.

Most humbly Sheweth,

THat though we have been duly humbled under the Calamity which befel us by the loss of our late Sovereign of Blessed Memory, yet we look upon that Judgment as abundantly repaired by the inestimable mercy of Your Majesty's peaceable Succession to His Crown in the Legal and Lineal course of Descent; That as we daily pour out our Hearts before the Throne of Grace for this inexpressible Blessing, so being generally met together to serve your Majesty upon this Occasion, we could not restrain them from Congratulating it at Your Royal Feet; That we are most deeply and gratefully sensible, not only of your Majesty's great Tenderness to your People, approved to us already by the frequent Hazard of your Sacred Life, but of your Fixed, as well as Declar'd Resolutions to preserve the present Establishment of the Government, and Church of England, the Principles whereof your Majesty most Graciously declares to be for Monarchy; That being Devoted Professors of those Principles in the Church, we shall ever be ready most cheerfully to put them in Practice with the hazard of our Lives and Fortunes in your Majesties service; And that in defect of Opportunity to serve your Majesty with our Lives, we shall never fail with a constant and intense Devotion to serve You with our Prayers; Beseeching the King of Kings, by whom King Reign, to Bless your Royal Person with a long and Prosperous Reign over us, and to continue Your Posterity in a perpetual Line of Succession to Inherit Your Temporal Crown here, when your Majesty shall be Crown'd hereafter with an Eternal Weight of Glory.

Given under the Episcopal Seal of the Diocess at the humble Petition, and by the Unanimous Concurrence of all the Clergy present on the 24th day of March, in the First Year of your Majesties most happy Reign over us.

The humble Address of the two Grand Juries for the County of Suffolk, at the Assizes holden at Ipswich the Eighteenth day of March, Anno Dom. 1684.

May it please your most Excellent Majesty,

WE being Summoned from the several parts of our Country, to serve upon the Grand Jury, and bringing with us the Sentiments of our Neighbors from every corner of it, have it in Charge to assure your Majesty, that the influence of Your Greatness and Goodness, did at once force its way into the Hearts of Your People.

You were let into the tenderest of our Affections, (whilst we were paying our Sorrows for the Death of our late Gracious Sovereign) by that which You, SIR, express, and You formed those affections into Joy by early preparations for our Happiness and Protection in Your great Declaration. As we had to wish, is There, and we found our selves the Object of Your Care, before You took any for Your self.

In dutiful return to this, we shall make your Majesties Grandure and Honour our first aim, and are every day making steps towards it, by our care for sending forth Representatives to a Parliament that we hope will no more endure Exclusion, than a late one did Abhorrence.

We have every day such Intimations of that great Favour Her Majesty is pleas'd upon all Occasions to express to Your People, and of that great Wisdom with which She manages it, as we beg leave we may hear mention the humbleness of our Acknowledgments.

And we must own, That Loyalty as well as Justice hath been spread in the face of our Country by these Great Men Your Majesty sent to disperse it at our Affairs; So that having had all things to make us an oblig'd, 'tis impossible but we must live a Grateful and a Dutiful Country.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty, JAMES the Second, of England, Scotland, France and Ireland King, Defender of the Faith, &c

The humble Address of the Earl of Craven, Lord Lieutenant of your Majesties County of Middlesex; City and Liberties of Westminster, &c. and of the Deputy Lieutenants, Colonels, Lieutenant-Colonels, Majors, and other Commissioned Officers of the Militia of the said County, City and Liberties.

May it please your Majesty,

WE your Majesties Loyal Subjects, do with great Grief Condole the loss of our late Sovereign Lord King Charles the Second; and yet wish our bounden Duty, and unspeakable Joy, congratulate your Majesties peaceable Succession to the Crown and Throne of your Ancestors: And as we have been ever Dutiful and Faithful to your Royal Deceased Brother, so we shall assuredly persevere in our constant Loyalty to your most Sacred Majesty, and firmly adhere to your interest, and wish our Lives and Fortunes serve your Majesty, for the preservation of your Royal Person and Government, and shall daily pray for your Majesties long and prosperous Reign.

There have been likewise presented to His Majesty very Loyal Addresses, From the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Deputy Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, and the rest of the Gentlemen of the County of Flint. From the Lieutenant Governor, the Judge, Jurats, and all the Inhabitants of the Isle of Auregy part of His Majesties Antient Duchy of Normandy, in French. And from the Borough of Aishburton in the County of Devon: Which His Majesty received very Graciously.

The Address from Aishburton was presented to His Majesty by the Right Honorable the Earl of Bath.

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