

I am afraid my Dearest William that You are very angry with me for not having yet answered Your kind letter and thanked You for the earrings You were so good to send You; but indeed I have so very little time that it is almost out of my power, however I assure You You are never out of my thoughts. I am also very thankful for all the kind messages I have received from You through Mama. Mama has been so good to take me to five Oratorios, and once to see Mrs Abington the famous comic Actress and Mrs Siddons being ill we have not seen her thro' the great while. You may judge by that I have been very much entertained We have been three times to Windsor, we go on Monday mornings and come back Wednesday for Papfold level; We generally work or draw of an Evening, and Papa plays at Whaggon with Mr Digby or Major Price, and Mr Guiffardiere reads plays to us. The second time we went Lady Effingham went with us and the last time Lady Charlotte Finch tomorrow Lady Effingham goes with us again and Lady Francis Howard also. I have been twice at the Opera, last night we were there with Edward and Mary and Sophia, but I need not give You much account of it as You will have it fully in Princess Louisa's letter. Elizabeth begs that I will tell You with

her love that as you will have so many letters by this messenger she will  
not trouble you with one this time but that she will very soon

I wish that the Air balloons were brought to perfection as soon as they are I hope  
to make a visit to Frederick and you but I don't think that will be very soon

Desire my love to Frederick and remain my Dearest Williams

ever affectionate Friend and Sister

Augusta Sophia.

Queens House London

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> March

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His Royal Highness  
Prince William