

Dear William, I have received your letter of the 16th and am much pleased at finding your conduct since returned to your Ship has been such as to meet with the Approbation of the Admirals and that those who direct your Studies feel that your attention exercises indeed at your Age the mind ought to open and reflection ought to make you feel that the knowledge you acquire, and the Propriety of your behaviour are to fix the estimation in which you will stand with the World not on the bank in life ^{in higher} it has pleased Providence to place you.

As I flatter myself you attend to what regards the particular excellencies of the different Ships that compose the Fleet in which you serve, I shall expect to have your account of which seem now the Fleet is all copped to sail best dividing them into the modes in which they best succeed.

The Queen desires me to assure you of her Affection and at the same time add that I shall ever remain

Queens House
June 28. 1780.

Dear William
Your most affectionate Brother
George

To
My Dearest Beloved Son Prince William

