

Many more Wee Coud insert and What Wee here haue humbly offerrd are most undoubted truths Which Wee Most humbly hope Yo^r Sacred Majesty Will never p^rmitt to be Experienced But that Your Majesty Will in Your princely wisdom be pleasd to detect the contrivance and finally Stopp the designe That without Any opportunity to plead for Our owne & Your Maj^{ty} Interest wee may not be given up to any other Gouvernment then such as Your Majesty has Already Establishd ouer us which will encourage the industrious resolucons of us And our posterrity to approoue our Selvs in euery thing.

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Yo^r Maj^{ty} Most faithfull most obedient & loyall Subjects.
Signd p the honob Councill and house of Delegates.

To the Queens most Excellent Maj^{ty}

The humble Address of your Maj^{ty} most dutifull & Loyall Subjects the Gouverno^r Councill and Gen^l Assembly of Your Maj^{ty} province of Maryland.

Most Gracious Sovereigne.

Wee your Maj^{ty} Most dutifull and loyall Subjects having A deep sence of your Maj^{ty} most benigne and Gracious protection to us here as well as yo^r Constant and tender regard of and to the welfare of All your Maj^{ty} Good Subjects in Gen^l cannot thinke that our silence can be Suitable to the Warme influences Wee feele of yo^r princely vertues & piety by and Under which wee haue [un]interrupted And Compleat enjoyment of All that can be neer or dear to us Our religion most illustriously countenanced by your most Glorious Example and our propertys supported And Secured by yo^r unerring wisdom & Constant Iustice therefore since it has been observ'd in all Ages that by the true piety and vertue of princes and rulers great blessings haue been deriv'd downe to their people & Subjects who are as wee haue the Greatest reason to Acknowledge our Selves happy in such A case Wee humbly beg leaue to congratulate the Glorious Successes of her Maj^{ty} Victorious Arms under the conduct of his Grace the Duke of Marlborough Your maj^{ty} most faithfull Subject and Generallissimo by Expressing our most Earnest Ioy that Allmighty God has touchd Your Royall breast to make choice of so Valliant & Wise A leader to Succeed the loss of his late Majesty of Ever Glorious memory Not only to the lasting honour of Yo^r Maj^{ty} And the English nation but the defence and Supporte of all yo^r Allies and Confederates Against the Comon Enemy Wherefore as our duty obliges and our gratitude lead us to returne our most hearty thanks to Allmighty God for his Continuall preservation & prosperrity of Yo^r most Sacred & his Royall