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my dear I am pretty well but do not go to Mrs
Montagues tonight - you know it is my Brothers
Ball - I shall be delighted to see you tomorrow
at 1/2 past ten or 11 - I shall certainly be up then
& should naturally be so much earlier notes that
the Ball had I not the prospect of a long fatiguing
Drawingroom before me - I have three capes
in the world which my Maid is now sewing
yours - I never wear anything on my neck but
a square handkerchief or yard of Gause at the inside
of my Gowns & a double Pleater of flannel round
my Shoulders when I am much exposed, none
except these - but most my Gowns have
Capes to them - adieu God bless you -
I expect you tomorrow -

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my dear Friend! - I was so distracted when I
returned home last night, that I had not recollected
sufficient to ask whether you had been here - this
morning I see your name & upon enquiring find
that my servants gave you no account of me or
of the misfortune in the Carlisle family - Their
Daughter died yesterday morning, I went to them
immediately and remained till they set out for
the Country in the evening - I go down to them
& shall return on Wednesday - I have had a very
bad night but am rather better to day - I am going
out to give good orders about moving & so forth
if I can call on you I will - Thank God your little
darling is quite recovered - God preserve her to you
& bless you - I shall see you in comfort on my return
adieu - adieu

11th April 1788

Mr. Dickenson

My dear Friend, we are very much disappointed
not to see you today at dinner, but the cause
of your excuse makes me really unhappy.
I ~~fully~~ partake all your anxiety & fears for your
dear little girl - pray let me know particularly
how she does today - what is her complaint?

I pray she may soon recover & relieve your
apprehensions & uneasiness - I hope to see you
tomorrow, I was last night at the Opera with the
Queen - to night antique music - tomorrow
Drawingroom, I shall call on you Friday -
adieu in haste - yours &c. C. M. G.

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To
Mrs Dickenson