

VAM 1142/27

Pray supply Mr Mann. without re-  
serve with what money she may  
want upon this occasion.

My dear Sir,

In my extreme distress on the afflicting information I have  
 just now received it is impossible to communicate to you the  
 instructions that are requisite upon the occasion, my mind  
 is so totally distracted that I can enter upon one subject only  
 which cannot be deferred & that is respecting my dear daughter's  
 funeral I approve of Mr Elliott's being employ'd with caution  
 not to run into unnecessary expence. I wish it to be in the Pa-  
 rish of Paddington where I have already employ'd him three  
 times, in all which he acquitted himself with great propriety  
 & I am sure he will be anxious to preserve a continuance of  
 my regard. With respect to my conduct towards Mr Holtman  
 as there can be no further intercourse between us I by no  
 means desire to act with rancour. I can add no more at  
 present being call'd upon to write a line of grateful ack-  
 nowledgements to the worthy Mr Mann all other objects  
 tho' deferr'd, shall not be neglected. Ever yours most faithfully  
 Bath. June 12<sup>th</sup> 1810. Frederick Hamilton

Copy of Let<sup>r</sup> to M<sup>r</sup> H - 15 June 1810

My dear Sir I have this <sup>day</sup> paid the last tribute of Esteem & Respect to the  
memory of my amiable Daughter by attending her Interment at Paddington  
Church as Chief Mourner, where the Body was placed in the Vault - Mr  
Holman did not attend the Burial - having mentioned his Name, I  
met in private way that his behaviour to Mr Holman during her last  
illness was extremely atrocious & improper & it seemed to afford his great  
consolation to have him with her - I will not dwell more on the sad  
subject but to assure you the truly sincere condolence of my family  
on the loss you have sustained & to assure you that we participate  
in your feelings on this melancholy event -

I remain my dear Sir

Your Obedt <sup>Servant</sup>

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12 Jan. 1810  
MS. 9000  
in the death of his  
daughter Mr. Robinson

