

**Date:** 7 May 1565

**REF:** GD112/39/4/5

**Place:** Culross (possibly the Abbey)

**From:** Archibald Campbell, 5th Earl of Argyll

**To:** Colin Campbell of Glenorchy

**Address:** To our traist cousyng Colin Campbell of Glenvrquhay

Cousing efter hartlie commendatioun. We resavit zour wreting and wnderstandis yairby ye taking of John Makgregor Oyer be ye Laird of Weyme and ye labouris tane be ye Erle of Atholl for him. As to yat ze sall wit yat we are nocht presentlie in court nor purposis to be yis guid quhill for certane necessar effeiris yat we haif ado at hame. Nochtwithstanding we sall direct ane serwand of our awin to ye court to gif in ane bill in zour name desyring to haif owyer ye man deliverit or ellis to get iustice execuictit vpoun him, and sall solist my Lord of Mvrray and vyeris our frendis in ye court to ye same effect. And quhat anser we sall get ze sall know at meitting. Merour concerning ye dissobeyois and transgressouris of our commandement the resettaris and favoraris of ye Clangregor within our boundis we will vse zour awin consall and awyse towartis yaim for Godwilling thay sall nocht eschep without pvnishment. And becaus it is nocht possible to zow to meit ws in ye Lawlandis becaus of our hesty departing to Ergyll. And seing yat our wreting will awail litill except we speik presentlie our selffis. Ze sall meit ws at ye chapell of Glenfalloche vpoun Fryday nixt to cum ye xj day of yis instant monethe to ye effect yat we may commone with zow of all thyngis at lenthe. And mak ws advertisment quhowder ze sall keip tryst or nocht with ane serwant of zour awin for he will find ws in ye Carrik vpoun Vodnisday nixt to cum at ewin. And to my Lord of Mvrray we haif spokin him quhay will do all thingis yat lyis in his powar towartis all thingis yat concerns our frendis. All vyer thingis referis to zour nixt advertisment or our meitting. And God preserve zow. Of Culross ye vij daye of Maij 1565.

[Youris

Archibald Eryll]

[PS] And gif ze keip tryst at Glenfalloche lat  
na man wit. And credens to ye berar.