

Date: [24] July 1570¹

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Place:

From: Archibald Campbell, 5th Earl of Argyll

To: Katherine Ruthven, Lady Glenorchy

Address: To our ant the Ladye of Glenurquhay

Ant eftir hertlie commendatiouns. We ressavit zour lettir and thankis
zow hertlie of zour novellis. And as to the Clangregor we
haif writtin to the Larde zour housband² ovr... ..d to than [of]
and sall do our utir dilegens thairin for h[is ... like]
as ze may persave be ye samen. We pray ... letlie to
adverteis us how sone ze gett ony intelligens fra ... [Lord of]
Levingstoun³ and to awayit upoun his cumming ... of ...
thank zow of zour gud will thairin fra ...
and als thankis zow hertly of tre... [umit]
to our serwand gif we miser m... .. zow
and God villing ze salbe rel...
we may do. Thus refarring to ... [And so committis]
zow to ye protectioun of God. [Off ... yis ... day]
of July 1570.

[Archibald Er]gy[ll]

¹ Day supplied from note on letter in GD50/116/63.

² The 5th earl as Justice-General signed a commission for Grey Colin and Colin Campbell of Barbreck against the MacGregors, 20 July 1570, GD112/2/117/3/43.

³ On Lord Livingston's movements among the Queen's Party, see Maitland's letter to Huntly CSPSc, III, 278-80.