

# Lady Mary Wortley Montagu



Best known as a letter writer, Lady Mary Wortley Montagu wrote verses all her life and frequently referred to herself as a "poet." From the young girl, as she later. The English aristocrat and writer Lady Mary Wortley Montagu () is today remembered particularly for her letters from Turkey, an early example of a. Writer Lady Mary Wortley Montagu () was one of the so-called Augustan age in England's most colourful adventuresses. Born in , Lady Mary Wortley Montagu was an English aristocrat and lady of letters. More important than her literary achievements, however, she was. Travels to Turkey Lady Mary Pierrepont, daughter of Evelyn, 5th Earl (later Duke) of Kingston and Marquess of Dorchester married Edward Wortley Montagu in. Lady Mary Wortley Montagu went to Istanbul to escape scandal, and returned with a guard against the plague of smallpox, and a unique record. Lady Mary Montague. Lady Mary Wortley Montagu. Lithograph by A. Deveria after C. F. Zincke. Wellcome Library reference: i. Lady Mary. The only surviving autograph letter by Lady Mary Wortley Montagu written from Turkey in Photograph: Bernard Quaritch Ltd. Declaring. Lady Mary Wortley Montagu was the daughter of the Duke of Kingston. She secretly married Edward Wortley Montagu in and accompanied him on his. Well known throughout polite society for her wit and verse, English world traveller Lady Mary Wortley Montagu () also worked to introduce the practice. Lady Mary Wortley Montagu is one of the most remarkable English women of the eighteenth century, yet she remains relatively unknown. In a letter dated April 1, years ago Lady Mary Wortley Montagu ( ), the wife of the British ambassador to Turkey. Montagu, Lady Mary Wortley [nee Lady Mary Pierrepont] (bap. , d. ), writer, was baptized at St Paul's, Covent Garden, London, on Born on May 15, to Evelyn and Mary Pierrepont, Lady Mary Wortley Montagu is remembered primarily as a letter writer. Her father was a wealthy Whig who. Based on a journey to the Ottoman Empire undertaken during the years , Lady Mary Wortley Montagu's travel letters were first published in their entirety.

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