



**BALMORAL CASTLE**

3rd October, 2022.

Dear Ms Bushby,

Thank you for your recent letter enclosing a poem composed by Grenville Gilbert, a local resident of Ottery St Mary.

It is with the greatest sadness that we mourn the loss of The late Queen following her recent passing. However, I thought that you might wish to know that I did have the opportunity to show this kind and thoughtful poem to Her late Majesty, who I know was most grateful to receive it.

This comes to you, and to the people of Ottery St Mary, with my warmest good wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Matt Magee

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Deputy Private Secretary to The King

Ms Jane Bushby.