



Discovering Mary Wordsworth Through Her Letters

As an intern primarily focused on the curatorial aspects of the Wordsworth Trust, I have the opportunity to work hands-on with many of the Trust's manuscripts. During the past two months, I have been involved in a project to locate and transcribe all of Mary Wordsworth's unpublished letters in our collection. The Jerwood Centre's collection includes over 500 of her manuscripts, so the search has been quite a treasure hunt. I feel much better acquainted with Mary, her life, and personality after having read through and carefully copied over the writing of many of these letters.

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