

John Newton and John Campbell Correspondence, 1789-1802

Overview of the Collection

Creator	Campbell, John, 1766-1840
Title	John Newton and John Campbell Correspondence
Dates	1789-1802 (inclusive) 1789 1802
Quantity	1 linear foot
Collection Number	MS010 (collection)
Summary	The collection contains correspondence between John Newton, clergyman and hymn writer ("Amazing Grace"), and John Campbell, philanthropist, author, and traveller. Portions of the letters were published by Campbell in "Letters and conversational remarks, by the late Rev. John Newton, rector of St. Mary Woolnoth, Lombard-street, London: during the last eighteen years of his life." The collection contains 36 letters written by John Newton to John Campbell and copies of seven letters from Newton to recipients other than Campbell. All letters date between 1789 and 1802.
Repository	Seattle Pacific University 3307 Third Avenue West Suite 306 Seattle, Washington 98119-1957 Telephone: 206-281-2422 Fax: 206-281-2936 ameier@spu.edu
Access Restrictions	Collection is open for research.
Languages	English

Content Description

The collection contains 36 letters written by John Newton to John Campbell of Edinburgh, Scotland, and seven copies of letters written by Newton to recipients other than Campbell. All letters date between 1789 and 1802. Newton wrote on theological and personal topics and current events. Some of the letters are stamped for postage and have sealing wax residue on them.

Use of the Collection

Alternative Forms Available

Digitized copies of the letters in the collection are available on Digital Commons at SPU: digitalcommons.spu.edu/newton_campbell/.

Administrative Information

Location of Collection

Seattle Pacific University Archives

Names and Subjects

Personal Names :

Campbell, John, 1766-1840

(creator)

Newton, John, 1725-1807

(creator)

Adrienne Meier

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