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Guide to the

**Isabella Howard, Countess of Carlisle manuscript material**

1785

Pforz MS

## Summary

**Creator:** Carlisle, Isabella Howard, Countess of, 1721-1795

**Title:** Isabella Howard, Countess of Carlisle manuscript material

**Date:** 1785

**Size:** 1 item

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## **Key Terms**

### **Subjects**

Authors, English -- 18th century -- Correspondence

### **Titles**

Carlisle, Isabella Howard, Countess of : manuscript material

### **Names**

Byron, George Gordon Byron, Baron, 1788-1824

Byron, John, 1756-1791

Carlisle, Isabella Howard, Countess of, 1721-1795