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**Title:** Letter from Joseph Priestley to James Taylor

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The annexed was detached from  
a letter written by Dr. Peisilley to  
J Taylor in 1803. It is a specimen of  
the Dr's writing within 6 months of  
his death.

P.S

I open the letter to inform you that the picture taken  
of me by Stewart at the request of the Philological  
Society is much better than that taken by Mr Peale, and  
Mr Vaden will readily procure you access to it.

Priestley  
1803

PRIESTLEY, JOSEPH, 1733-1804.

To James Taylor, Philadelphia. Postscript only:

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