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Dear Lady Dawson

It was with unfeigned regret that I heard a day or two ago of the severe affliction that had befallen you in the death of Sir William

To me he has always been a model of a life well spent, and devoted to the highest ideals; and I shall always remember with pleasure that I have been honored with his friendship.

To yourself and the bereaved members of his family Mrs. Matthew and I would extend our warmest sympathy

Respectfully & cordially  
G. F. Matthew

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