

Unsealed

The Letters of Bess of Hardwick



An exhibition at Hardwick Hall 2011

Dukes and spies; queens and servants; friends and lovers – all of the Elizabethan world populates the letters of Bess of Hardwick.

Bess herself wrote hundreds of letters throughout her life: they were her lifeline to her travelling children and husbands, to the court at London, and to news from the world at large.

Unsealed lets Bess and her correspondents tell their stories in their own words. Discover the world of Bess of Hardwick's letters in the exhibition at Hardwick Hall, and listen to our podcasts online:

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