



The Works Of Alexander Pope Esq.

In Nine Volumes Complete. With His Last Corrections, Additions, And
Improvements; As they were delivered to the Editor a little before his
Death

Containing The First of his Letters

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V. From Mr. Steele.

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Whither, ah whither art thou flying!

To what dark, undiscover'd shore?

Thou seem'st all trembling, shiv'ring, dying,

And Wit and Humour are no more!

L E T T E R V.

Mr. S T E E L E to Mr. P O P E.

Nov. 12, 1712.

I Have read over your Temple of Fame twice, and cannot find any thing amiss, of weight enough to call a fault, but see in it a thousand thousand beauties. Mr. Addison shall see it to-morrow: after his perusal of it, I will let you know his thoughts. I desire you would let me know whether you are at leisure or not? I have a design which I shall open a month or two hence, with the assistance of the few like yourself. If your thoughts are unengaged, I shall explain myself further. I am

Your, &c.

L E T T E R VI.

The Answer.

Nov. 16, 1712.

YOU oblige me by the indulgence you have shewn to the poem I sent you, but
will