

**Letter from Anne Broughton (née Bagot), Warwick Inn, to Richard Bagot, Blithfield 1593 May 31: autograph manuscript signed, Papers of the Bagot family of Blithfield, Staffordshire. Transcription by Early Modern Manuscripts Online (EMMO). MS L.a.226, Folger Shakespeare Library, Washington, DC.**

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Good father you shall receive by this bearer  
such things as you writ for I could not get any  
black & green kersey but a friend hath help  
me to some French green which I think will like  
you as well if it do not send it up and it shall  
be changed it is so good of breadth that my man  
William told me it might lack a quarter & be  
enough for you for a Jerkin hose and stockings  
I have sent you therewith buttons five dozen which cost  
11<sup>s</sup> and an ell dim [= half] of canvas 12<sup>s</sup> because I would  
have it well packed up. I bought an ell of coarse  
it cost 12<sup>s</sup> to make my mother a buck cloth on  
I thank you I hear you have bestowed a coat  
on my son ~~wher~~ if you would have me to buy  
anything else let me hear from you by this bearer  
the next time, for I hope after he hath been  
here once I shall be ready to come down thus  
craving my mother's daily blessing & yours to  
me my sister & my daughter I commit you to God  
who keep you in health Warwick Inn the last of  
May

Your obedient Daughter.  
Anne Broughton

my brother Anthony is well he is following the court to Wimbledon  
Sir Thomas Cecil's house because you shall see how the sickness  
goeth I have sent you the bill./

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Anne Broughton to  
her Father Richard Bagot

leaf 2 verso

To the worshipful my very  
good father Richard  
Bagot esquire at Blithfield  
give these