

Mr J.

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I beg to send you a copy of the new editions advertised on the back of the collection I had the honor to send you from Berlin. The "Translation of German Poems" likewise mentioned on the same page, is not gone to press. I want to add some choice pieces, among the rest your Kampaspe and some other poems of yours to the collection, and it will be printed in the course of next winter. When you have leisure you would greatly oblige me by inserting a critique on the "Twelve Favourite Songs" and on any of the additional pieces in the new editions. Schiller's ode to Joy I have translated with as little obscurity as