

I feel for my family & trust that I shall
be conducted back to them again in safety.

I would not leave them, if I had the least
fear that the Natives would treat them ill.

I feel for my colleagues: Some of them may
perhaps be jealous of me or displeas'd at my
conduct towards them, but however this may be,
I pray that the Almighty God may be their
guide & guardian.

There are those who, as it would seem
speak hard things of me behind my back.
In so doing they cannot be right, I would
ask them, if I could, whether they ever tell
a tale to the prejudice of themselves.

I feel also for the situation of the Natives.
I have made the Language my study night
and day. If I ever am enabled, by the
help of God to contribute any thing towards their
eternal Interests, He shall have the glory. I can
do no good without Books & these ought to
be imported and printed in England. A school
can never be carried on without books.

I can say no more at present but
remain
Thos & I am Sir

Your very faithful Servant
Thos. Kendall