

# **DOUGLAS, WILLIAM, 1769?-1819.**

## **William Douglas sermons, 1807**

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### **Descriptive Summary**

**Creator:** Douglas, William, 1769?-1819.  
**Title:** William Douglas sermons, 1807  
**Call Number:** Manuscript Collection No. 058  
**Extent:** 0.1 cubic ft. (3 volumes)  
**Abstract:** Contains nineteen sermons delivered by Reverend William Douglas, Prebendary of Westminster and Canon Residentiary of Sarum and Salisbury.  
**Language:** Materials entirely in English.

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### **Administrative Information**

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#### **Citation**

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#### **Processing**

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### **Collection Description**

#### **Scope and Content Note**

A collection of nineteen sermons delivered by Reverend William Douglas, Prebendary of Westminster and Canon Residentiary of Sarum and Salisbury. The sermons are copied in three leather-bound volumes. The volumes are dated 1807, although one of the sermons was delivered in 1805.

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## Container List

### Volume 1

Box	Folder	Content
		Sermon 1: On the reasonableness, in some cases, of wanting to die.
		Sermon 2: On the just appreciation of the dignity of human nature, and the effect, which it ought to produce on our conduct.
		Sermon 3: On the reasonableness of the duties required of man.
		Sermon 4: On the duty of acquainting ourselves with the scriptures.
		Sermon 5: On Brotherly love.
		Sermon 6: On the advantages of public education.
		Sermon 7: On the inefficacy of a deathbed repentance.
		Sermon 8: On trust in God.

### Volume 2

		Sermon 9: On the objects, which Christianity was designed to effect, in the state of man, and on the degree in which they have been accomplished.
		Sermon 10: Preached at second Visitations on the charges brought against the Regular clergy by the dissenters.
		Sermon 11: Preached on the martyrdom of King Charles 1st.
		Sermon 12: On religious principle.
		Sermon 13: Preached at Sarum Cathedral on the 5th of Dec[ember] 1805 being the day appointed for a general Thanksgiving for the victory over the combined French and Spanish fleets.
		Sermon 14: Doing good proved to be the absence of Christian virtue.

### Volume 3

		Sermon 15: "And everyone, that hath this hope in him, purifieth himself, even as He is pure."
		Sermon 16: Adversity the best school for practical wisdom and moral improvement.
		Sermon 17: On the nature of the relation in which stand to God and on the effects which it ought to produce on our religious opinions.
		Sermon 18: Preached at Nearington, Births [?], as a charity sermon, for the benefits of the parochial schools.
		Sermon 19: We preach Christ crucified, to the Jews a stumbling block and to the Greeks foolishness.

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