

# Three Odes to the Queen



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*By Queen Victoria*



A hail to the Empress of India,  
Great Britain's Queen!









My beloved successor, as you have reached such honorable age, I have to say I'm not only proud of you because you have outlived me or threaten to outreign me, but I also have a deep respect for your role as a wife, mother, grandmother and a powerful ruler to our country.


As I now look down from my cozy cloud I am happy to see that the United Kingdom is as almighty as ever.






*As my great great granddaughter and first female successor you must know how much I appreciate and honour the amazing work you have done for our British nation.*


*A lot has changed since I lived and ruled this country. A woman is no longer considered inferior to a man, all people are equal by law and today's technology helps you to reach out to more people.*





Therefore your influence and responsibility is far greater than  
mine once was.


I am thrilled to see that you have achieved an excellent  
reputation as a good and wise ruler and are truly loved and  
respected by your people.






# *By The Queen Mother*






*Oh, my dear daughter, beloved by all the people around the  
world!*

*As I am now eternally taken by dust I look down on you and I  
can be proud.*









When you were young, you were always earnest, brave and blunt-spoken, sweet and honest.

And now, having celebrated your diamond jubilee – you are a loving wife, grandmother, mother and a great companion, you have lots of experience, knowledge and skills as you reign those 16 countries, where people look up to you.






*All these roles have made you resilient. Despite having so much weight on your shoulders you still look so wickedly royal.*

*So continue what you're doing, and inherit your secret recipe to your successors so they could continue with all that you have accomplished.*


*With love, your mother.*



*By Kate Middleton*









*My beloved Queen. At this golden age you have come to reach, I look up to you with great respect. I truly honour your diligence, your bravery and your wicked British sense of humour.*

*During your 60 years of reign, you have had to go through many ups and downs. But even during your hardest times you have always managed to shine even brighter than your sun-yellow dress you wore at my wedding.*





I admire you for that and hope to be at least half as cheerful as you when one day I come to reach this grand age.

So let the music play loud and dance last long to celebrate our Queen's Diamond Jubilee.





Thank you all and long live the Queen!

