

Mr. Leigh Hunt
letter -

Hampton - April 24. 1816.

Dear Sir,

to Benj. West

You will excuse, I am sure, my sending a messenger for the favor of your answer to my letter of Monday, - first, because I am rather dubious about the matter, - & secondly, as I could not be sure that it might be convenient to send you to send me yourself. - I beg to repeat all that I said in that letter both as to what it might seem to expect, & to what it might not; and am,
dear Sir,

Your affectionate humble servant,
Leigh Hunt.

P.S. If you would vouchsafe me of ourselves upon the subject, my brother John, I know, will be happy to wait on you in passing your neighborhood; or I would come over myself. - The messenger will call for an answer to this letter early tomorrow morning.