

East View of Nuneaton Nunnery in Warwick

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To the R^t. Hon^{ble}. THOMAS Lord Paget; Son and Heir Apparent to the Right Hon^{ble}. Henry Earl of Uxbridge -

This Prospect is humbly Inscribed by his Obliged humble Servants

Sam^l. & Nath^l. Buck.

THIS House was founded and endow'd by Rob^t. E. of Leicester, son of Rob^t. de Mellent, in the Reign of K. Hen: II. For Benedictine Nuns of the Order of Fontevrault, and dedicated to the Honour of the Blessed Virgin; whose gifts were confirm'd by Rob^t. his son and by K.H.II. The Prioress and Convent of Fontevrault granted to this House privilege to receive and retain to their own proper use, all such gifts as should be made to them, without any exaction, w^{ch}. was confirm'd by Pope Alexander III.

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