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Revealed: Historic and moving memo on Elizabeth II's passing

SHE SIMPLY 'SLIPPED AWAY'

THE Queen's last moments were recorded by her most senior aide in a deeply moving memo.

Her loyal private secretary Edward Young, who was at Balmoral when

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she died in September 2022, noted: 'Very peaceful. In her sleep. Slipped away. Old age. She wouldn't have been aware of anything. No pain.'

The Daily Mail can today reveal the

existence of the historic document, which is now in the Royal Archives.

Part of a remarkable insider account of the Queen's bravery, diligence and devotion to duty, it features in a fascinating new biography: Charles III: New King. New Court. The Inside Story. The book, by the Mail's esteemed

royal writer Robert Hardman, is being exclusively serialised by this newspaper over four days from today.

It reveals how, shortly after Sir Edward wrote his note, a footman brought a locked red box of paperwork found at the Queen's deathbed. When

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