

# Ye Restless Thoughts

*From Madrigals to four voices, 1599*

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SOPRANO      ALTO      TENOR      BASS

Ye rest - less thoughts, ye rest - less thoughts, that

Ye rest - less thoughts, ye rest - less

That har - - bour

That har - - bour

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har - - bour dis - con-tent, dis - - con - tent,

thoughts, that har - - bour dis - - con-tent, that har - - bour dis - - con - tent,

dis-con- tent, dis-con- tent, that har - - bour dis - - con-tent, that

dis - - con-tent, dis - - con-tent, that har - - bour dis - - con-

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that har - bour dis - con - tent,  
that har - bour dis - con - tent,  
har - bour dis-con-tent, that har - bour dis - con - tent, Cease  
tent, dis - con - tent, Cease

Cease your as - saults and let my heart la - ment, and let my heart la -  
Cease your as - saults, as - saults and let my heart la - ment, and let my heart la -  
your as - saults, cease your as-saults and let my heart la - ment, and  
your as - saults, cease your as-saults and let my heart la - ment, and

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ment, la - ment, And let my tongue have leave to  
ment, la - ment, And let my tongue and let my tongue have leave.  
let my heart la - ment, And, let my tongue have leave to  
let my heart la - ment, And let my tongue have leave to

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tell my grief, That  
to tell my grief, That she may pi - ty,  
tell my grief, That she may pi - ty, though not grant re -  
tell my grief, That she may pi - ty, though not grant re -

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she my pi - ty, though not grant re - lief, that she may pi - ty, though not  
though not grant re - lief, that she may pi - ty, though not  
- lief, re - lief, that she may pi - ty though not grant re - lief,  
lief, that she may pi - ty though not grant re - lief, re -

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grant re - lief. Pi - ty would help, a - las, what  
grant re - lief. Pi - ty would help, a - las, pi - ty would help, a - las, what  
- re - lief. Pi - ty would help, a - las what Love hath  
lief. Pi - ty would help, a - las, what

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— Love\_\_\_\_ hath al - most slain, al - most slain, hath al -  
 Love hath al - most slain, what Love hath al - most \_\_\_\_\_ slain, hath  
 al - most slain, what Love\_\_\_\_ hath al - most slain, hath  
 Love hath al - most slain, what Love hath al - most slain, what Love hath

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- most slain, And salve the wound that fest - ered this dis -  
 al - most slain, And salve the would that fest - ered this \_\_\_\_\_  
 al - most slain, And salve the wound that fest - ered this \_\_\_\_\_ dis -  
 al - most slain, And salve the wound that fest - ered this dis -

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A musical score for voice and piano. The vocal part is in soprano clef, G major, and common time. The piano part is in bass clef, G major, and common time. The lyrics are repeated in three stanzas. Measure 56 starts with "dain, this dis -". The piano accompaniment consists of eighth-note chords in the right hand and sustained notes in the left hand.

dain, this dis - dain, that fest - ered this dis - dain.  
— dis dain, — dis - dain, that fest - ered this dis - dain.  
dain, this dis - dain, that fest - ered this dis - dain.  
dain, that fest-ered this dis - dain, that fest - ered this dis - dain.