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## TO DAUNTON ME.

ALAS! when charming Sylvia's gone, I figh and think myfelf undone; But when the lovely nymph is here, I'm pleas'd, yet grieve; and hope, yet fear; Thoughtlefs of all but her I rove, Ah! tell me, is not this call'd love ?

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Ah, me! what pow'r can move me fo? I die with grief when fhe muft go; But I revive at her return; I fmile, I freeze, I pant, I burn: Tranfports fo ftrong, fo fweet, fo new, Say, can they be to friendfhip due ?

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Ah ! no, 'tis love ! 'tis now too plain, I feel, I feel the pleafing pain ! For who e'er faw bright Sylvia's eyes, But wifh'd, and long'd, and was her prize ? Gods ! if the trueft muft be blefs'd. O! let her be by me poffefs'd,

