

# Come away, thou lady gay

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Come a-way, come a-way thou la-dy gay! Hoist  
 how she stum-bles! Hark, how she mum-bles! Dame Gill-ian! Dame  
 Gill-ian! By old Claret I en-large thee, By Ca-na-ry thus I  
 charge thee, By Bret-tain-y Me-theg-lin and Pe-ter,  
 Ap-pear and an-swer me in met-er! Why when? Why  
 when? What Gill! Why when? Once a -gain I con-jure thee:

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By the pose in thy nose, And the gout in thy toes By thine old dried

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ruff, And thy hood that's made of stuff; By the bot- tle at thy