

# If my complaints

[5] John Dowland

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judge and yet am I con-demn'd? Thou plen-ty hast, yet

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judge and yet, and yet, am I con-demn'd? Thou plen-ty hast,

b r δ a δ a b a a r δ a b

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nough to prove  
me dost scant;  
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yet me dost scant; Thou made a god,  
had - - - gov-ern'd me too  
and - - - yet thy pow'r con-

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long.  
temn'd. O love, I live and die in thee;  
That I do live, it is thy power;

long.  
temn'd. O love I live I live and die in thee,  
That I do live, it is, it is thy pow'r;

long.  
temn'd. O love, I live and die, I live and die in thee,  
That I do live, it is, it is - - thy pow'r;

long.  
temn'd. O love I live and die in thee,  
That I do live, it is thy pow'r;

[25]

Thy grief in my deep sighs still speaks; Thy wounds do  
That I desire, it is thy worth. If Love doth

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BII -----

*Note heads: Circles, squares, triangles. Rests: vertical, horizontal, diagonal.*

fresh- ly bleed in me; My heart for  
make men's lives too sour. Let me not

fresh- ly, fresh- ly bleed in me; My heart, my  
make, doth make men's lives too sour. Let me not

fresh- ly, fresh- ly bleed and die in thee, My heart for  
make, doth make men's lives too sour. Let me not

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thy love un-kind- ness breaks. Yet thou dost hope when  
nor live hence- forth. Die shall my hopes, but

heart love, for thy un-kind- ness breaks. Yet thou dost hope, dost hope  
nor live, nor live hence- forth. Die shall my hopes, my hopes

- thy, for thy un-kind- ness breaks. Yet thou dost hope, when  
- love, nor live, nor live hence- forth. Die shall my hopes but

thy for thy un-kind- ness breaks.  
love, nor live, nor live hence- forth.

*(Bassoon part with note heads labeled 'a' and 'b')*

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I des- pair, And when I hope thou mak'st  
not my faith That you, that of my fall

when I de- spair, And when I hope thou mak'st, thou  
but not my faith That you, that of my fall, my

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not my faith That you, that of my fall, my

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That you, that of my fall, my fall

*(Bassoon part with note heads labeled 'a', 'b', 'c', and 'd')*

[40]

me hope in vain. Thou say'st thou canst my harms re-pair,  
may hear-ers be, May here des-pair, which tru-ly saith:  
  
mak'st me hope in vain, Thou say'st thou canst my harms re-pair,  
fall may hear-ers be, May here des-pair, which tru-ly saith:  
  
mak'st me hope in vain, Thou say'st thou canst my harms re-pair,  
fall may hear-ers be, May here des-pair, which tru-ly saith:

**Basso Continuo**

me hope in vain,  
may hear-ers be,  
b d b a d | a a  
b e r a d | a a  
b d r b g | f b d r a | f

[45]

Yet for re-dress thou let'st me still com-plain.  
I was more true to Love than than Love to me.  
  
Yet for re-dress thou let'st, thou let'st me still com-plain.  
I was more true, to Love than Love to me.  
  
Yet for re-dress thou let'st me still com-plain.  
I was more true to Love than Love to me.  
  
Yet for re-dress thou let'st, thou let'st me still com-plain.  
I was more true, more true to Love than than Love to me.

**Basso Continuo**

2 3 4  
b d r a | b d a | b d b a d | a a  
b e r a | b d e r a | b d r a | a a