



*O heart of mine*

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O heart of mine, O heart of mine,  
Say whence this rapture all divine,  
These blissful thoughts which round thee twine;  
O heart of mine, O heart of mine!  
Can it be that, through thy armour,  
Cupid's shafts have pierced away?  
Is this ecstasy the glamour  
Of his thraldom? prythee say.  
O heart of mine, O heart of mine,  
Thence comes thy rapture so divine,  
The blissful thoughts which round thee twine,  
O heart of mine, O heart of mine!

O maiden mine, O maiden mine,  
I fondly worship at thy shrine;  
My hands, my heart, my all are thine,  
O maiden mine, O maiden mine!  
Hear me plead my passion tender,  
Turn not from me in disdain,  
Take the heart which I surrender,  
Let me not entreat in vain.  
O maiden mine, O maiden mine,  
So shall I worship at thy shrine,  
So shall my hands, my heart be thine,  
O maiden mine, O maiden mine!

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*Con moto*

S *p* O heart of mine, O heart of mine, Say whence this rap - ture all di - vine, These *cresc.*

A *p* O heart of mine, O heart of mine, Say whence this rap - ture all di - vine, These *cresc.*

T *p* O heart of mine, O heart of mine, Say whence this rap - ture all di - vine, These *cresc.*

B *p* O heart of mine, O heart of mine, Say whence this rap - ture all di - vine, These *cresc.*

6 *cresc.* *dim.* *rit. e dim.* *pp*

S bliss - ful thoughts which round thee twine; O heart of mine, O heart of mine!

A *cresc.* *dim.* *rit. e dim.* *pp*

A bliss - ful thoughts which round thee twine; O heart of mine, O heart of mine!

T *cresc.* *dim.* *rit. e dim.* *pp*

T bliss - ful thoughts which round thee twine; O heart of mine, O heart of mine!

B *cresc.* *dim.* *rit. e dim.* *pp*

B bliss - ful thoughts which round thee twine; O heart of mine, O heart of mine!



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*Più mosso, molto cresc.*

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S Can it be that, through thy ar - mour, Cu - pid's shafts have pierced a - way? *dim.* *pp*

A Can it be that, through thy ar - mour, Cu - pid's shafts have pierced a - way? *dim.* *pp*

T Can it be that, through thy ar - mour, Cu - pid's shafts have pierced a - way? *dim.* *pp*

B Can it be that, through thy ar - mour, Cu - pid's shafts have pierced a - way? *dim.* *pp*

*Tempo 1*

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S *p* *cresc.* Is this ec - sta - cy the glam - our Of his thral - dom? pry - thee say. O *dim.* *pp*

A *p* *cresc.* Is this ec - sta - cy the glam - our Of his thral - dom? pry - thee say. O *dim.* *pp*

T *p* *cresc.* Is this ec - sta - cy the glam - our Of his thral - dom? pry - thee say. O *dim.* *pp*

B *p* *cresc.* Is this ec - sta - cy the glam - our Of his thral - dom? pry - thee say. O *dim.* *pp*

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S *cresc.* heart of mine, O heart of mine, *cresc.* Thence comes thy rap - ture so di - vine, The

A *cresc.* heart of mine, O heart of mine, *cresc.* Thence comes thy rap - ture so di - vine, The

T *cresc.* heart of mine, O heart of mine, *cresc.* Thence comes thy rap - ture so di - vine, The

B *cresc.* heart of mine, O heart of mine, *cresc.* Thence comes thy rap - ture so di - vine, The

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22 *cresc. molto* *ff* *dim. e molto rit.* *pp*

S bliss - ful thoughts which round thee twine, O heart of mine, O heart of mine!

A *cresc. molto* *ff* *dim. e molto rit.* *pp*

A bliss - ful thoughts which round thee twine, O heart, O heart of mine!

T *cresc. molto* *ff* *dim. e molto rit.* *pp*

T bliss - ful thoughts which round thee twine, O heart of mine, O heart of mine!

B *cresc. molto* *ff* *dim. e molto rit.* *pp*

B bliss - ful thoughts which round thee twine, O heart, O heart of mine!

*Tempo 1*

S *p* *cresc.*

S O maid - en mine, O maid - en mine, I fond - ly wor - ship at thy shrine; My

A *p* *cresc.*

A O maid - en mine, O maid - en mine, I fond - ly wor - ship at thy shrine; My

T *p* *cresc.*

T O maid - en mine, O maid - en mine, I fond - ly wor - ship at thy shrine; My

B *p* *cresc.*

B O maid - en mine, O maid - en mine, I fond - ly wor - ship at thy shrine; My

30 *cresc.* *dim.* *rit. e dim.* *pp*

S hands, my heart, my all are thine, O maid - en mine, O maid - en mine!

A *cresc.* *dim.* *rit. e dim.* *pp*

A hands, my heart, my all are thine, O maid - en mine, O maid - en mine!

T *cresc.* *dim.* *rit. e dim.* *pp*

T hands, my heart, my all are thine, O maid - en mine, O maid - en mine!

B *cresc.* *dim.* *rit. e dim.* *pp*

B hands, my heart, my all are thine, O maid - en mine, O maid - en mine!

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*Più mosso, molto cres.*

34

S Hear me plead my pas - sion ten - der, Turn not from me in dis - dain, *dim.* *pp*

A Hear me plead my pas - sion ten - der, Turn not from me in dis - dain, *dim.* *pp*

T Hear me plead my pas - sion ten - der, Turn not from me in dis - dain, *dim.* *pp*

B Hear me plead my pas - sion ten - der, Turn not from me in dis - dain, *dim.* *pp*

*Tempo 1*

38

S *p* Take the heart which I sur - ren - der, Let me not en - treat in vain. O *cresc.* *dim.* *pp*

A *p* Take the heart which I sur - ren - der, Let me not en - treat in vain. O *cresc.* *dim.* *pp*

T *p* Take the heart which I sur - ren - der, Let me not en - treat in vain. O *cresc.* *dim.* *pp*

B *p* Take the heart which I sur - ren - der, Let me not en - treat in vain. O *cresc.* *dim.* *pp*

42

S maid - en mine, O maid - en mine, So shall I wor - ship at thy shrine, So *cresc.* *cresc.*

A maid - en mine, O maid - en mine, So shall I wor - ship at thy shrine, So *cresc.* *cresc.*

T maid - en mine, O maid - en mine, So shall I wor - ship at thy shrine, So *cresc.* *cresc.*

B maid - en mine, O maid - en mine, So shall I wor - ship at thy shrine, So *cresc.* *cresc.*

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46 *cresc. molto* *ff* *dim. e molto rit.* *pp*

S shall my hands, my heart be thine, O maid - en mine, O maid - en mine!

*cresc. molto* *ff* *dim. e molto rit.* *pp*

A shall my hands, my heart be thine, O maid - en, maid - en mine!

*cresc. molto* *ff* *dim. e molto rit.* *pp*

T shall my hands, my heart be thine, O maid - en mine, O maid - en mine!

*cresc. molto* *ff* *dim. e molto rit.* *pp*

B shall my hands, my heart be thine, O maid - en, maid - en mine!

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