

CANTUS.
OF
THOMAS MORLEY
THE FIRST BOOKE OF
CANZONETS
TO
TWO VOYCES.



IN CAMBRIDGE
BY LAURA CONRAD
FOREWARD BY JOHN TYSON

C. 1590.

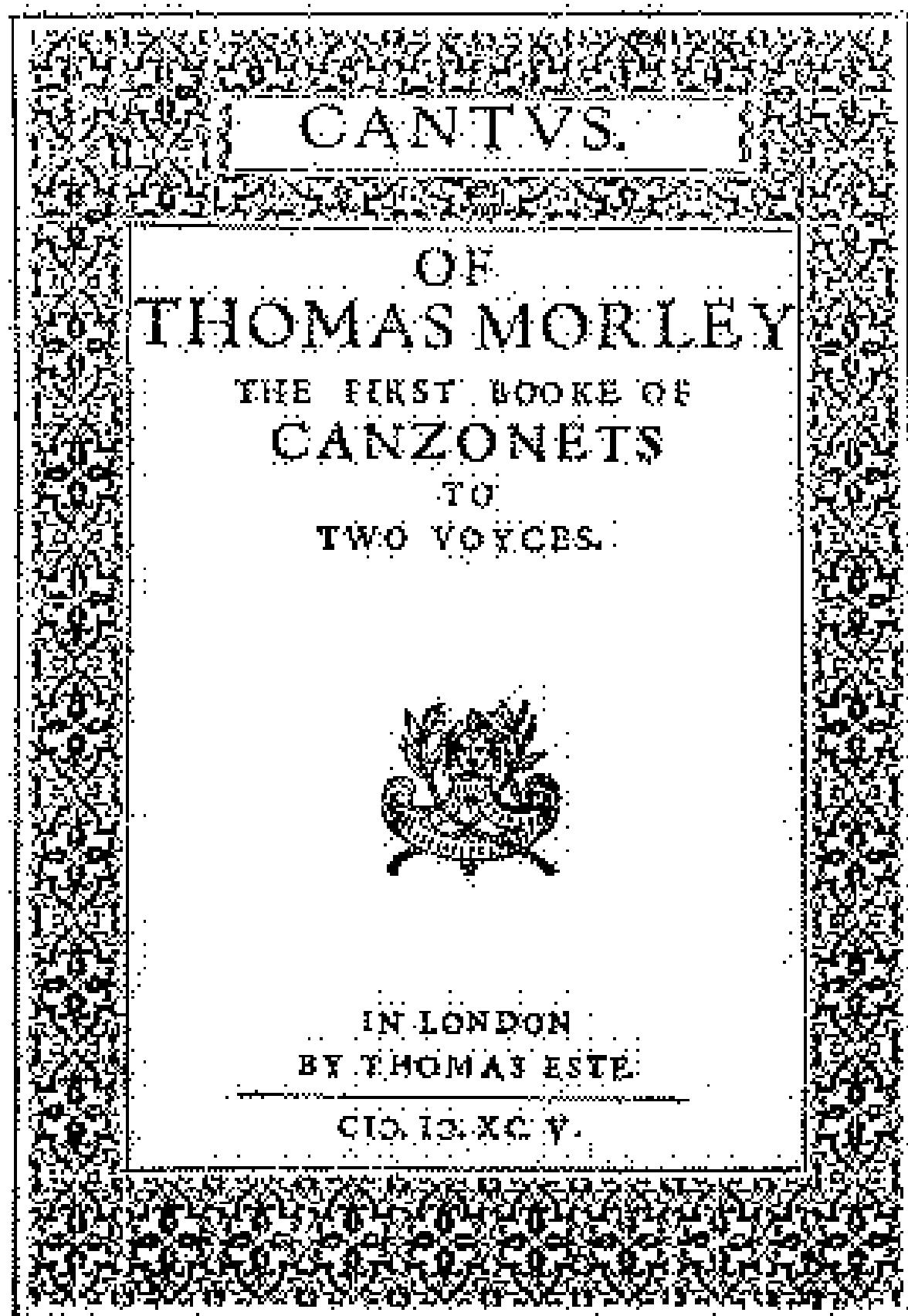
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A SHORT STORY

by A. U. Thor

Once upon a time, in a distant galaxy called Ööç, there lived a computer named R. J. Drofnats. Mr. Drofnats—or “R. J.” as he preferred to be called—was happiest when he was at work typesetting beautiful documents.



I. Goe yee my canzonets.



I. Goe yee my canzonets \\ Cantus

Thomas Morley

A musical score for a single voice in common time, featuring a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The music consists of six staves of music with corresponding lyrics. The lyrics are as follows:

 Goe yee my can-zo- nets to my deer dar- ling, goe yee my

 can-zo-nets to my deer dar- ling, Goe ye my can-zo-

 nets to my deer dar- ling, to my deere dar - ling, and with your gen- tle

 dain-tie sweet ac-cent-ings, de-sire hir to vouch-safe these my la - ment -

 ings, de-sire hir to vouch-safe these my la - men - tings And with a

 crown-net, of hir rayes su- per- nall, t'a- dorne your locks

 and make your name e- ter - nall, t'a-dorne your locks and

36

make your name e- ter - nal And

41

with a crow-net of hir rayes su- per- nall, t'a- dorne your locks

47

and make your name e- ter - nall. T'a-dorne your locks and

51

make your name e- ter- nall.

II. When loe by break of morning.



II. When loe, by break of morning \ Cantus

Thomas Morley

When loe, by break of mor- ning, when loe by break of

5 morn- ing, My love hir self a-dor - ning, My love hir self a-

10 dorn- ning, When loe, by break of mor - ning, When loe by

15 break of morn-ing, When loe, by break of morn-ing, My love hir selfe a- \fbox{\large\bf A}

20 dor - ning, My love hir selfe a-dor - ning, Doth walk the woods so

26 \fbox{\large\bf B} dain-tie, Gath-ring sweet vi-o-lets and Cow-slips plen-ty, Gath-ring

31 sweet Vi-o-lets and Cow-slips plen-ty, sweet Vi- o-lets and Cow-

35

slips plen - ty, The birds en-a-mour'd, The birds en-a-mour'd sing and

40

praise my Flo- ra, Loe heere a new Au- ro- ra. Loe heere a new Au- ro-

45

ra. Loe heere a new Au- ro - ra. The birds en-a-mor'd,

50

The birdse-na-mor'd sing and praise my Flo- ra, Loe heere a new Au-ro-

55

ra, Loe heere a new Au-ro- ra. Loe heere a new Au-ro - ra.

III. Sweet nymph:



III. Sweet Nimphe:\Cantus

Thomas Morley

Sweet Nimphe come to thy lo-ver, to thy lo-ver, sweet Nimphe come
 6 to thy lo-ver, Lo here a-lone Lo heere a-lone. our loves wee may dis-co-

12 ver, Sweet Nimphe come to thy lov-er, to thy lov-er, Sweet Nimphe come
 17 to thy lov-er, lo heere a-lone, lo heere a-lone, our loves wee may dis-co-

23 ver, Wher the sweet Night-in-gale with wan-ton with wan-ton
 27 glo-ses, hark hir love to dis-clo-ses to dis-clo-ses, hark

Cantus

The First Booke of Canzonets to Two Voyces

III. Fantasie: Il Doloroso.



III. Fantasie: Il doloroso?\\Cantus

Thomas Morley

13

20 *\fbox{\large\bf A}*

29

37 *\fbox{\large\bf lar}*

45

56

65 *\fbox{\large\bf C}*

75

83



V. I goe before my darling.

V. I goe before my darling.\Cantus

Thomas Morley

35

ey-ther, And lyke two wan - tons,
Dal- ly dal- ly
dal- ly dal- ly dal- ly dal- ly dal- ly dal- ly dal- ly dal- ly

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VI. La Girandola.



VI. La Girandola?\\Cantus

Thomas Morley

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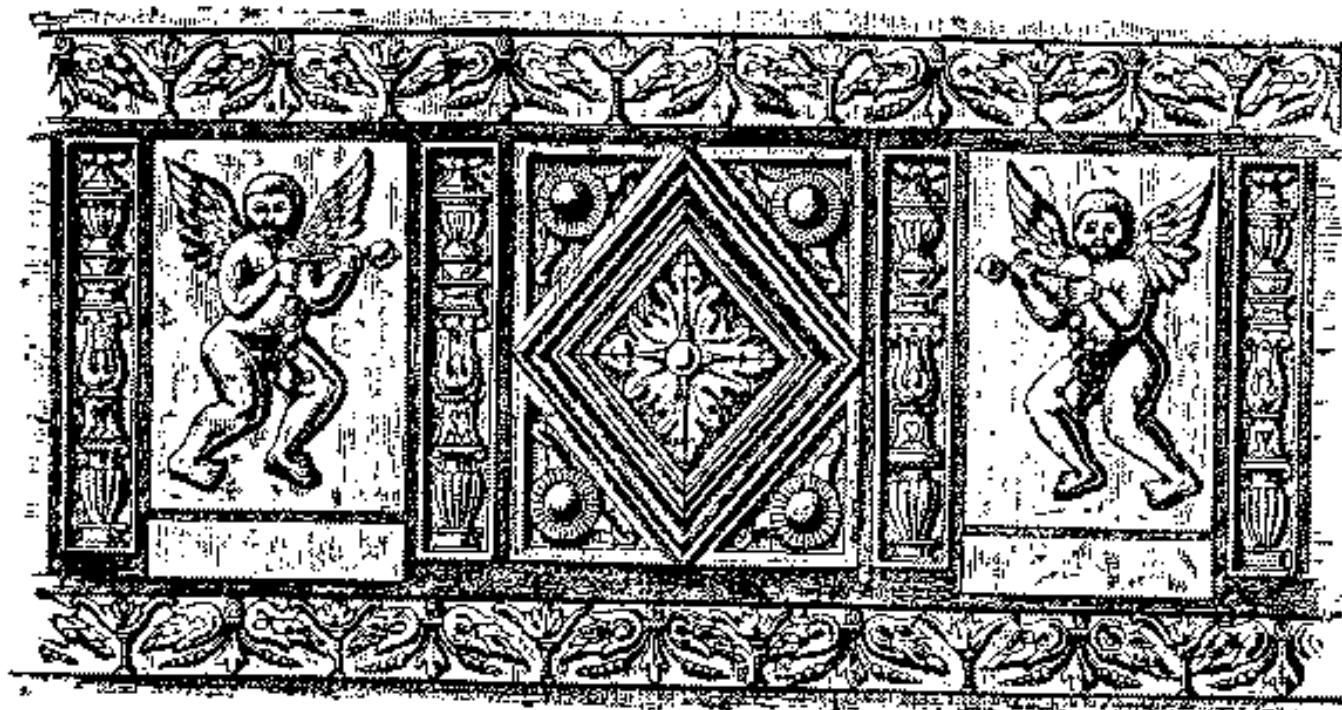
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\fbox{\large\bf A}

\fbox{\large\bf B}

\fbox{\large\bf C}

Music score for 'VI. La Girandola?\\Cantus' by Thomas Morley. The score consists of eight staves of music in common time, treble clef, and C major. The key signature changes at measure 17 to one sharp (F# major), at measure 29 to one flat (E major), and at measure 49 to one sharp (F# major). The music features various note values including eighth and sixteenth notes, and rests. Measure numbers 1 through 49 are indicated on the left side of each staff. Large bold labels 'A', 'B', and 'C' are placed above measures 17, 29, and 49 respectively, enclosed in large boxes.



Detail of terra-cotta ornament over the great hall gateway,
Sutton Place, Surrey

VII. Miraculous loves wounding.



VII. Miraculous loves wounding\\Cantus

Thomas Morley

1 Mi- ra- cu-lous loves wound-ing loves wound-ing, mi- ra- cu-lous
 6 loves woun- ding, mi- ra- cu-lous loves wound-
 11 ing, Mi- ra- cu-lous loves wound-ing, Mi- ra- cu-lous loves woun-
 17 ding Mi- ra- cu-lous loves woun-
 21 \fbox{\large\bf A} ding Even those darts my sweet Phil-lis, even those darts my sweet Phil-lis,
 25 So fierc-ly shot a-gainst my hart re- bound-ing, re- boun-
 31 ding, Are turnd to Ro-ses, Vi- o- lets and Lil- lies, Vi- o- lets and

A musical score for 'Cantus' from 'The First Booke of Canzonets to Two Voyces'. The score consists of six staves of music, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The lyrics are written below the staves, corresponding to the musical phrases. The music is in common time.

37
Lil- lies, with o- dour sweet a- boun-ding, sweet

41
a- boun- ding, With o- dour sweet a- boun-

47
ding, Mi- ra- cu-lous loves woun-ding mi-ra- cu-lous loves woun-

53
ding Mi- ra- cu-lous loves wound- ding, Mi- ra- cu-

58
lous, loves woun-ding, loves wound-ing, Mi- ra- cu-lous loves woun-

63
ding Mi- ra- cu-lous loves woun- ding.

VIII. Lo heere another love.



VIII. Loe heere another love.\Cantus

Thomas Morley

35

with new dar - ting, doth wound the heart,
doth wound the heart and yet doth breed doth breed no smart- ing doth
wound the hart and yet doth breed no smar- ting.

40

44



IX. Fantasie: La Rondinella.



IX. Fantasie: La Rondinella:\Cantus

Thomas Morley

8

15 \fbox{\large\bf A}

21

27 \fbox{\large\bf B}

34

40 (1)

46

53

60



¹original has quarter note.

X. Leave now mine eyes.



X. Leave now mine eyes.\ \Cantus

Thomas Morley

Leave now mine eyes la-men- ting, your teares, your teares do but aug-

ment aug-ment this my tor-men- ting, Leave now mine eies la-men -

ting, your teares doe but aug-ment this my tor- men-

\fbox{\large\bf A}

ting, this my tor-men- ting, Death death come thou, death come

thou re-lieve mee, death come thou re-lieve me Death come thou re-lieve

mee, A-las to live for-sa-ken thus doth grieve

mee, ah see now wher hee ly- eth, Ah see, see now where hee ly -

eth, hee ly - eth, Then fare-wel false un-kinde, fare-well thy Flo- ra dy -

44 \fbox{\large \bf B}

eth, Death, Death come thou, Death come thou re-lieve mee, A-las to live for-sa-ken thus doth grieve mee, Ah see now where hee ly- eth, Ah see, see now where hee ly - eth, hee ly - eth, Then fare-well falce un-kinde, fare-well thy Flo- rady - eth.

XI. Fyre and Lightning.



XI. Fyre and lightning.\Cantus

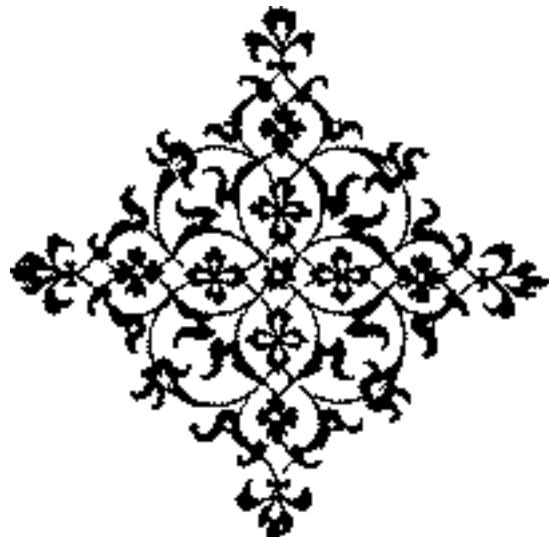
Thomas Morley

Fyre and light- ning from heaven fall, fyre and light- ning from heaven
 5 fall. And sweet- ly en - flame that hart with love a-right-
 10 full, Fyre and light- ning from heaven fall, fyre and light- ning from
 14 heaven fall, And sweet- ly en - flame that hart with love a-
 19 right-full, of Flo- ra my de - light- full, of Flo- ra my de -
 24 light- ful of Flo- ra my de-light - full, So faire but yet so spight-
 29 ful, of Flo- ra my de- light- full, of Flo- ra my de - light-

34



ful, of Flo- ra my de- light - full, so faire but yet so spight- full.



XII. Fantasie: Il Grillo?



XII Fantasie: Il Grillo?\Cantus

Thomas Morley

8 \fbox{\large\bf A}

14 \fbox{\large\bf B}

20 \fbox{\large\bf C}

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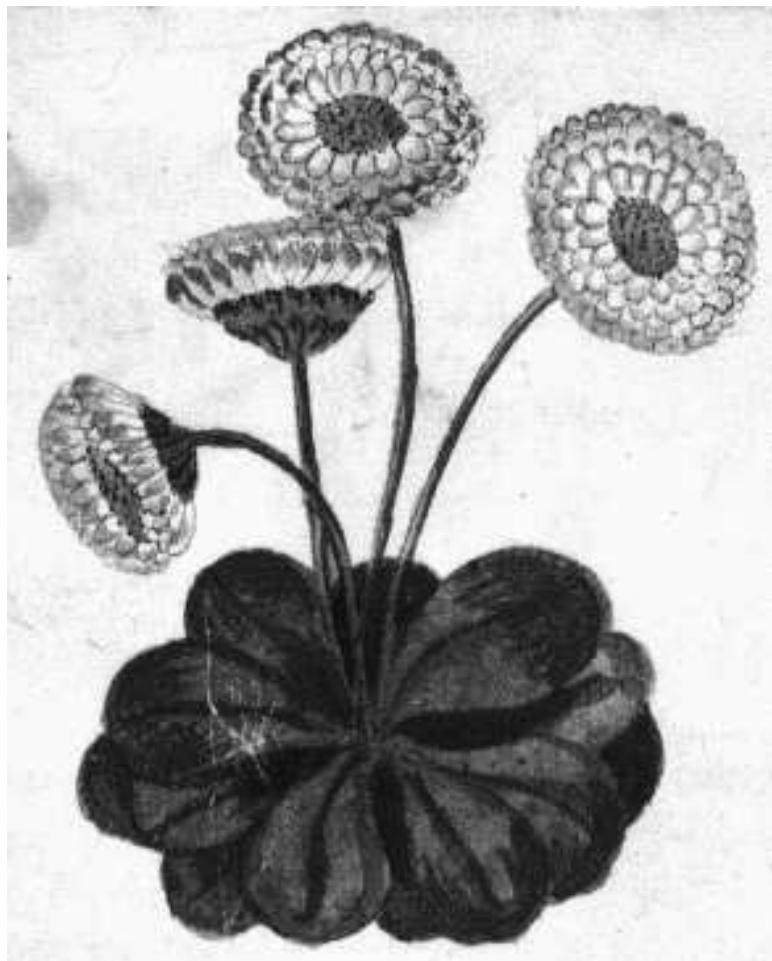
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36 \fbox{\large\bf D}

42

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XIII. Flora wilt thou torment mee.



XIII. Flora wilt thou torment mee \ Cantus

Thomas Morley

Flo- ra wilt thou tor- ment mee, And yet must I con-tent mee, Flo- ra wilt thou to-ment mee, And yet must I con-tent mee, And shall I have no plea-
 sure, And shall I have no plea- sure, Of that thy beau-ties trea- sure Lo
 then, Lo then Idye and dy- ing thus com- plaine mee, Lo then Idye and dy-
 ing thus com- plaine mee Flo- ra gen- tile and faire,
 A-las hath slaine mee, A- las hath slaine mee, a- las hath slaine mee, a-
 las hath slaine mee Flo- ra gen- tile and

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faire, a-las hath slaine mee, a-las hath slaine mee, a-

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las hath slaine mee, a-las hath slaine mee, a-las hath slaine mee.



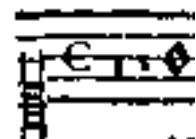
XIII. Fantasie: Il Lamento?



XIII. Fantasie: Il Lamento?\\Cantus

Thomas Morley

XV. In nets of golden wyers.



XV. In nets of goulden wyer.\Cantus

Thomas Morley

In nets of gol-den wy - ers,

in nets of gol-den wy - ers, With Pearle and Reu - bie span - gled, with

Pearle and Reu - bie span - gled, My heart en - tan - gled, My heart en -

\fbox{\large\bf A}

tan - gled, Cries and help re - qui - ers, cries and

help re - qui - ers, Cries and help re - qui - ers, Cries and help re - qui - ers Sweet

\fbox{\large\bf B}

love, from out those bry - ers, But thou vouch - safe to free

mee, Ere long a - live, Ere long a - live a - las thou shalt not see

47

mee.a- las thou shalt not see mee,A- las thou shalt not see

54 \fbox{\large\bf C}

mee.Ere long a-live, Ere long a-live a- las thou shalt not see

60

mee.A- las thou shalt not see mee a- las thou shalt not see mee.

XVI. Fantasie: La Caccia?**XVI. Fantasie: La Caccia? \ Cantus**

Thomas Morley

10

17

23

29

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58. Fontainebleau school
Diana the Huntress (circa 1550)

XVII. O thou that art so cruell.



XVII. O thou that art so cruell.\Cantus

Thomas Morley

O Thou that art so cru- ell, My dain-tie love- ly jew - ell, My
 7 dain-tie love- ly jew- ell, O thou that art so cru - ell, My dain-tie
 12 love- ly jew - ell, my dain-tie love- ly jew- ell, Why thus in
 18 my tor-men-ting, Dost thou still use re- len - ting? Dost thou still use
 23 re- len - ting? A- las right outcome slay
 30 mee: doe not thus still from time to time de- laye mee. do not thus still from
 34 time to time de- lay mee: doe not thus still from time to time de- lay mee. do not

38 \fbox{\large \bf C}

thus still from time to time de lay mee. A las right out come slaye

46 mee: doe not thus still from time to time de-lay mee. do not thus still from

50 time to time de- lay mee. doe not thus still from time to time de-

53 lay Mee. do not thus still from time to time de- lay mee.

XVIII. Fantasie: La Sampogna?**XVIII. Fantasie: La Sampogna?\\Cantus**

Thomas Morley

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\fbox{\large\bf A}

27

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71

78



XIX. I should for grieve and anguish.



XIX. I should for grieve and anguish.\ \ Cantus

Thomas Morley

6

I should for greife and an- guish dye re-cure - les, I

should for greife and an- guish dye re-cure - les, I should for greife and an-

11

guish dye re-cure - les, I should for greif and an- guish dye re-cure -

17

\fbox{\large\bf A} less. that day I mist my Flo- ra faire and sight- ly, clearer then is the

23

Sunne, that shines so bright - ly. Cleer- er than is the sunne that shines

28

so bright- ly, that shines so bright - ly. that shines so bright-

34

\fbox{\large\bf B} ly. That day I mist my Flo- ra faire and sight- ly, clearer then is the

Music score for 'XIX. I should for grieve and anguish.' by Thomas Morley. The score consists of four staves of music in common time, treble clef, and C major. The lyrics are written below the notes, corresponding to the musical phrases. The score includes measure numbers (6, 11, 17, 23, 28, 34) and a dynamic marking (\fbox{\large\bf A}) at measure 17.

Musical notation for the Cantus part, starting at measure 40. The music is in common time with a treble clef. The notes are primarily eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are:

sunne, that shines so bright - ly. Cleer- er then is the Sunne that
shines so bright- ly. that shines so bright - ly. that shines so bright- ly.

XX. Fantasie: La Sirena?



Cantus\\XX. Fantaisie: La Serena?

Thomas Morley

Music score for Cantus, featuring a single melodic line on a staff with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The score consists of eight staves of music, numbered 9, 16, 23, 29, 36, 43, 50, and 57 from top to bottom. The music is written in common time and features various note values including eighth and sixteenth notes. The score concludes with a final measure ending on a fermata over a dotted half note.

XXI. Fantasie: La Torello?



XXI. Fantaisie: La Torello?\Cantus

Thomas Morley

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9

17

17

24

31

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\fbox{\large\bf A}

\fbox{\large\bf B}

^①Original has C clef on second line, but retains key signature of one flat on 4th line.



No. 8 PETRUS PARZUA RIBENS