

XII. Rest a while you cruel cares

The First Book of Songs or Ayres
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CANTUS [Soprano]

ALTUS [Alto]

TENOR [Tenor]

BASSUS [Bass]

LUTE

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 2. If I speak, my words want wait,
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S.

A.

T.

B.

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