

# If Love Be Blind

Thomas Bateson 1604

Cantus

Altus

Tenor

Bassus

5 If Love be blind, how hath he then the sight, the sight, With beau-ty's beams my

9 hath he then the sight, the sight, care - less heart to wound, to wound, my care - less

13 With beau - ty's beams my care - less heart to wound, my care-less heart to wound? Or, if a boy, or, if a

heart to wound, my care - less heart to wound? Or, if a

my care - less heart to wound? Or, if a

heart to wound, my care - less heart to wound? Or, if a

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boy, how hath he then the might, the might, how hath he then the might,  
 boy, how hath he then the might, how  
 boy, how hath he then the might, how hath he then the might, the  
 boy, how hath he then the might, how

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how hath he then the might, The might - iest  
 hath he then the might, the might, The might - iest  
 might, how hath he then the might, The might - iest  
 hath he then the might, the might, The might - iest

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con - quer - ors to bring to ground, to bring to ground, the  
 con - quer - ors to bring to ground, to bring to ground,  
 con - quer - ors to bring to ground, to bring to ground,  
 con - quer - ors to bring to ground, the might - iest con - quer -

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might - iest con - quer - ors to bring to  
 the might - iest con - quer - ors to bring to  
 the might - iest con - quer - ors to bring to  
 - ors to bring to ground, to bring to

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ground? O no, he is not  
ground? O no, he is not blind, but I that lead, O no, he is not  
ground? O no, he is not blind, but I that lead  
ground? O no, he is not blind, but I that

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blind, but I that lead My thoughts the  
blind, but I that lead My thoughts the ways that bring to  
My thoughts the ways that bring to rest - less  
lead, but I that lead My

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ways that bring to rest - less fears, that bring to rest - less  
rest - less fears, my thoughts the ways that bring to rest-less  
fears, my thoughts the ways that bring to rest - less  
thoughts the ways that bring to rest - less fears;

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fears; Nor yet a boy, but I, that live in dread, in  
fears; Nor yet a boy, but I, that live in dread, that  
fears; Nor yet a boy, nor yet a boy, but I, that live in dread, that live  
Nor yet a boy, nor yet a boy, but that I live in dread

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dread Mix-ed with hope, and seek for joy in  
live in dread Mix-ed with hope, and seek for joy in  
in dread Mix-ed with hope, and seek for joy in tears, for joy in  
Mix-ed with hope, and seek for joy in tears, for joy in

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tears, mix-ed with hope, and seek for joy in tears, for joy  
tears, mix-ed with hope, and seek for joy in tears,  
tears, mix - ed with hope, and seek for joy in  
tears, and seek for joy

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in tears.  
for joy in tears.  
tears.  
in tears.