

## 2. O sweet flower

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Canto

O sweet flow'r,  
O dear joy,

Alto

O sweet flow'r, too  
O dear joy, too

Basso

O sweet flow'r, too  
O dear joy, too

Lute

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quick- ly fad- ing, like a win- ter's sun- shine day:  
swift- ly fly- ing, from thy love's en- chant- ed eyes:

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swift- ly fly- ing, from thy love's en- chant- ed eyes:

quick- ly fad- ing, like a win- ter sun- shine day:  
swift- ly fly- ing, from thy love's en- chant- ed eyes:

[10]

Poor pil- grim tir'd, poor pil- grim tir'd in the mid-  
Proud glo- ry spread, proud glo- ry spread through the vast

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[15]

way, like the earth it- self half shad- ing. So thy  
skies, earth of more than earth, earth en- vy- ing. So

way, like the earth it- self, it- self half shad- ing. So  
skies, earth of more than earth, than earth en- vy- ing. O

ly the world      one half  
 the thy whole      of life seen.  
  
 ly the world      one thy half  
 the world whole      of life seen.  
  
 a r e a      a r a