

Come when I call

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Voice 1

Come when I call, or tar- ry till I come; If you be deaf, I

Lute 1

Detailed description: This system contains the first three measures of the piece. The voice part is on a treble clef staff with a key signature of one flat and a common time signature. The lyrics are: "Come when I call, or tar- ry till I come; If you be deaf, I". The lute part is on a bass clef staff with a common time signature. The tablature uses letters 'a', 'b', 'c', 'd', 'e', 'f', 'g' on a six-line staff to represent fret positions.

Voice 2

must prove dumb. Stay a- while, my heav'n- ly joy, I

Lute 2

Detailed description: This system contains measures 4 and 5. The voice part continues with the lyrics: "must prove dumb. Stay a- while, my heav'n- ly joy, I". The lute part continues with its tablature accompaniment.

come with wings of love, When en- vious eyes Time shall re- move.

Detailed description: This system contains measures 6, 7, and 8. The voice part continues with the lyrics: "come with wings of love, When en- vious eyes Time shall re- move." The lute part continues with its tablature accompaniment.

Voice 1

10

If thy de- sire ev- er knew the grief of de- lay,

Lute 1

Detailed description: This system contains measures 9 and 10. The voice part continues with the lyrics: "If thy de- sire ev- er knew the grief of de- lay,". The lute part continues with its tablature accompaniment. A box containing the number "10" is positioned above the second measure of this system.

Voice 2

No dan- ger could stand in thy way. O do not add this sor- row

Lute 2

to my grief that lan- guish here, want- ing re- lief.

15

Voice 1

What need we lan- guish? Can Love quick-

Lute 1

ly, quick- ly fly? Fear ev- er hurts more than jea- - lou- sy.

Voice 1

Then se- cure- ly En- vy scorn- ing, Let us end with joy our

Voice 2

Then se- cure- ly En- vy scorn- ing, Let us end with joy our mourn-

Lute in G

Lute in D

mourn- ing, Jea- lou- sy still de- fy, And love till we die.

ing, Jea- lou- sy still de- fy, And - love till we die.