

In darkness let me dwell

5 John Dowland

The musical score is divided into four systems of four measures each. The lyrics are as follows:

System 1:

- me dwell.
- the ground, the ground shall sor- row, sor- row - be,

System 2 (Measure 10):

- The roof des- pair to bar all,
- all cheer- ful - light from me,
- The walls of - mar- bles

System 3 (Measure 15):

- black that mois- tened, that
- mois- tened still shall weep - - still, shall weep,

System 4:

- My mu- sic, my mu- sic
- hell- ish, hell- ish

[20]

jar-ring sounds, jar-ring, jar-ring sounds, to - - ba-nish, ban-ish friend- ly sleep.

Thus

a e r a d
r e a
e b r a a

d r f f f d r
a r r r r
d e g B g e g
r f e g e e r a

[25]

wed-ded to my woes, And bed-ded to my tomb,

a d f a e d e
r e d a r b
e e r a a a
r a a a a r r
a d r d f
g r a r a r a d r a
a r e

[30]

O, let me, li-v ing die, O, let me, li-v ing, let me li- - ving, li-v ing die

d a r a r
b r e
r
a a
e e b
e a r
a

r r
b
r b r
e e
r b d e
e

Till death, till death do come, till death, till death do come, till death, till - - death do come,

r r r r
b d e
r
r r r r
e e b d e
e
4f
1r a
r a r a r d
4B g 2g 4B
1e r a

[35]

rit In dark- ness let - me dwell.

R M R M R M R
3 2 1 r 3 e 2 3 e 1 r a e d
1 r
R M R M R R R
3 2 1 r 3 e 2 3 e 1 r a e d
1 r
R a d f 2 1 r
a r
1 r