

# In darkness let me dwell

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10

The walls of - mar- ble black that mois- tened, that mois- tened still shall

15

weep - - still, shall weep, My mu- sic, my mu- sic

hell- ish, hell- ish jar- ring sounds, jar- ring ring, jar- ring

accel

rit

[20]

sounds, to - - banish, ban- ish friend- ly sleep.

Thus wed- ded

church-like

a r r g e g e r a e

e

[25]

to my woes,

And bed- ded

to my tomb,

accel. - - - - -

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

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

a

*f*

O, let me, li- ving die,

O, let me, li- ving, let me

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

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

r

a

[30] *poco rit*

li - ving, li - ving die Till death, till death do come,

1)

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

[35]

rit In dark- ness let - me dwell.

1) Bass line replaced by editor, as it does not correspond to the lute part. See Appendix for original.

# Appendix

## Original bass part in bar 30

[30] [31]

The musical score consists of two measures of bass clef music. Measure 30 starts with a dotted half note followed by a quarter note with a fermata. Measure 31 starts with a eighth note followed by a sixteenth note, then a eighth note with a sharp, followed by another eighth note with a sharp.