

Unless there were consent

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The musical score consists of four staves of music in common time, treble clef, and B-flat key signature. The lyrics are integrated into the music, with each staff containing a different section of the poem.

Staff 1:

Un- less there were con- sent 'twixt
A thou- sand che- ru- bins fly
But O, lest I re- li- gion

Staff 2:

hell and heav'n That grace and
in her looks, And hearts in
should mis- use, In- spire me,

Staff 3:

wick- ed- ness should be com- bin'd,
le- gions melt up- on their view;
thou that ought'st thy- self to know,

Staff 4:

I can- not make thee and thy
But gor- geous co- vers wall up
Since skill- less read- ers read- ing

Measure numbers 5, 6, and 7 are indicated above the staves.

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beau- ties even, Thy face is hea- ven, and tor-
fil- thy books; Be it sin to say that so
do a- buse, What in- ward mean- ing out-

ture in thy mind. For more than
your eyes do you? But sure your
ward sense doth show, For by thy

world- ly bliss is in thy eye, And hell-
mind ad- heres not with your eyes,
eyes and heart chose and con- temn'd,
For what I wa-

ish tor- ture in thy mind doth lie.
they pro- mise, in that your heart de-
ver whe- ther sav- ed or nies.
con- demn'd.