

To Celia
Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes

Ben Jonson (1572–1637)

Traditional

Arr.: H. Elliot Button (1861–1925)

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1. Drink to me on - ly with thine eyes, and I will pledge, will
 2. I sent thee late a ro - sy wreath, not so much hon - 'ring,

Melody

1. with

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rall. *a tempo*

pledge with mine; or leave a kiss with-in the cup and I'll not ask, not
 hon - 'ring thee as giv-ing it a hope that there it could not, could not

mine; *p* for

2. thee *pp* with - ered

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8 *mf*

ask for wine. The thirst that from the soul doth rise doth
with - ered be; but thou there-on didst on - ly breathe, and

wine. *f*
be;

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11 *rall.* *a tempo* *pp*

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nec - tar sip, I would not change for thine.
smells, I swear, not of it - self but thee!

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