

Somewhat musing

Poem by Anthony Woodville
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Robert Fayrfax (1464-1521)

Counter tenor

Tenor

Bass

Some-what mu - sing _____ in re-mem-b'ring the un-stead-fast-ness this world be - ing

Some-what mu - sing and more mour-ning in re-mem-b'ring the un-stead-fast-ness this world be-ing

and more mour-ning in re-mem-b'ring the un-stead-fast-ness this world be - ing

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A.

T.

B.

of such wheel - ing what may I guess _____

of such wheel - ing me con-tra-ry - ing what may I guess I

_____ me con-tra-ry - ing what may I guess _____ I

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A.

T.

B.

for un - kind - ness with

fear doubt - less re - me - di - less _____ is now to cease my woe - ful chance for _____ un-kind - ness

fear doubt - less re - me - di - less is now to cease my woe - ful chance

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A.

T.

B.

out-en - less and no red - dress me doth ad - vance with dis - plea - sance

with-out-en - less and no redress me doth ad - vance with dis-plea - sance _____ to

with dis - plea - sance

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A. 

T. 

B. 

to my grie - vance and no 'sur - ance of
 my great grie - vance and no 'sur - ance of
 to my great grie - vance and no 'sur - ance of

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A. 

T. 

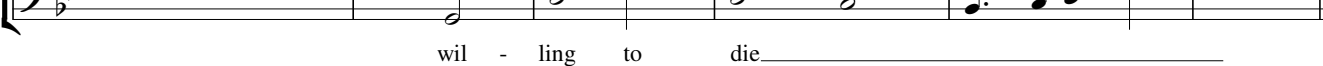
B. 

re - me - dy lo in this trance now in sub - stance such is my dance
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A. 


T. 

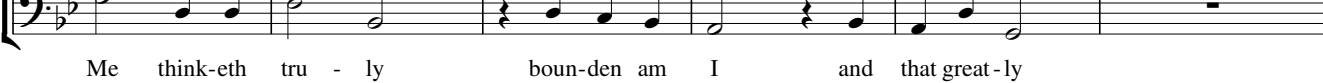
B. 

wil - ling to die
 wil - ling to die
 wil - ling to die

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A. 


T. 

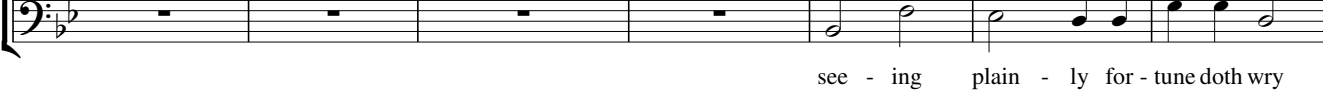
B. 

Me think - eth tru - ly to be con - tent
 Me think - eth eth tru - ly boun - den were I and that great - ly to be con - tent
 Me think - eth tru - ly boun - den am I and that great - ly

55

A. 

T. 

B. 

for - tune doth wry
 see - ing plain - ly for - tune doth wry
 see - ing plain - ly for - tune doth wry

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A. all con tra ry from mine in tent

T. all con tra ry from mine in tent my

B. all con-tra - ry from mine in tent my

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A. to an in - tent it is nigh spent, wel-come for - tune, wel-come for-

T. life was lent to an in - tent it is nigh spent, wel-come for - tune,

B. life was lent it is nigh spent, wel-come for-

75

A. tune, yet I ne'er went thus to be shent,

T. yet I ne'er went thus to be shent, but

B. tune but

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A. such is her won.

T. she it meant such is her won.

B. she it meant, such is her won.