

VI. Now, O now I needs must part

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Book 1

Cantus

Now, O now I needs must part,
While I live I needs must love,

Harp

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C.

part love - ing lives though not I ab - sent mourn,
love - ing lives though not I ab - sent mourn,
gone,

Hp.

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C.

ab - sence can no joy im - part,
now at last des - pair doth prove,

Hp.

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C.

joy love once fled can - nt re - turn.
love di - vi - ded lo - veth none.

Hp.

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C.

Sad des - pair doth drive me

Hp.

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C.

hence, this des - pair un - kind - ness

Hp.

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C.

sends. If that part - ing be of -

Hp.

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C.

fence, it is she _____ which then of - fends.

Hp.

Dear, when I from thee am gone,
Gone are all my joys at once,
I loved thee and thee alone,
In whose love I joyed once:
And although your sight I leave,
Sight wherein my joys do lie,
Till that death doth sense bereave,
Never shall affection die.

Dear, If I do not return,
Love and I shall die together,
For my absence never mourn
Whom you might have joyed ever.
Part we must though now I die,
Die I do to part with you,
Him despair doth cause to lie,
Who both lived and dieth true.

S. Now, O now I needs must part, part - ing
 While I live I needs must love, love lives

A. Now, O now I needs must part, part - ing
 While I live I needs must love, love lives

T. Now, O now I needs must part, part - ing
 While I live I needs must love, love lives

B. Now, O now I needs must part, part - ing
 While I live I needs must love, love lives

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S. though I ab - sent mourn, ab - sence can no
 not when hope is gone, now at last des -

A. though I ab - sent mourn, ab - sence can no
 not when hope is gone, now at last des -

T. though I ab - sent mourn, ab - sence can no
 not when hope is gone, now at last des -

B. though I ab - sent mourn, ab - sence can no
 not when hope is gone, now at last des -

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S. joy im - part, joy once fled can - nt re - turn.
 pair doth prove, love di - vi - ded lov - eth none.

A. joy im - part, joy once fled can - nt re - turn.
 pair doth prove, love di - vi - ded lov - eth none.

T. joy im - part, Joy once fled can - not re - turn.
 pair doth prove, love di - vi - ded lov - eth none.

B. joy im - part, joy once fled can - not re - turn.
 pair doth prove, love di - vi - ded lov - eth none.

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S. Sad des - pair doth drive me hence, this des-pair

A. Sad des - pair doth drive me hence, this des - pair

T. Sad des - pair doth drive me hence, this dis - paire dis - paire

B. Sad des - pair doth drive me hence, this dis - paire dis-paire

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S. un - kind - ness sends. If that part - ing be of -

A. un - kind - ness sends. If that part - ing be of -

T. un - kind - nes sends. If that part - ing be of - fence,

B. un - kind - nes sends. If that part - ing be of -

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S. fence, it is she _____ which then of - fends.

A. fence, it is she _____ which then of - fends.

T. _____ it is she which then of - fends.

B. fence, it is she _____ which then of - fends.