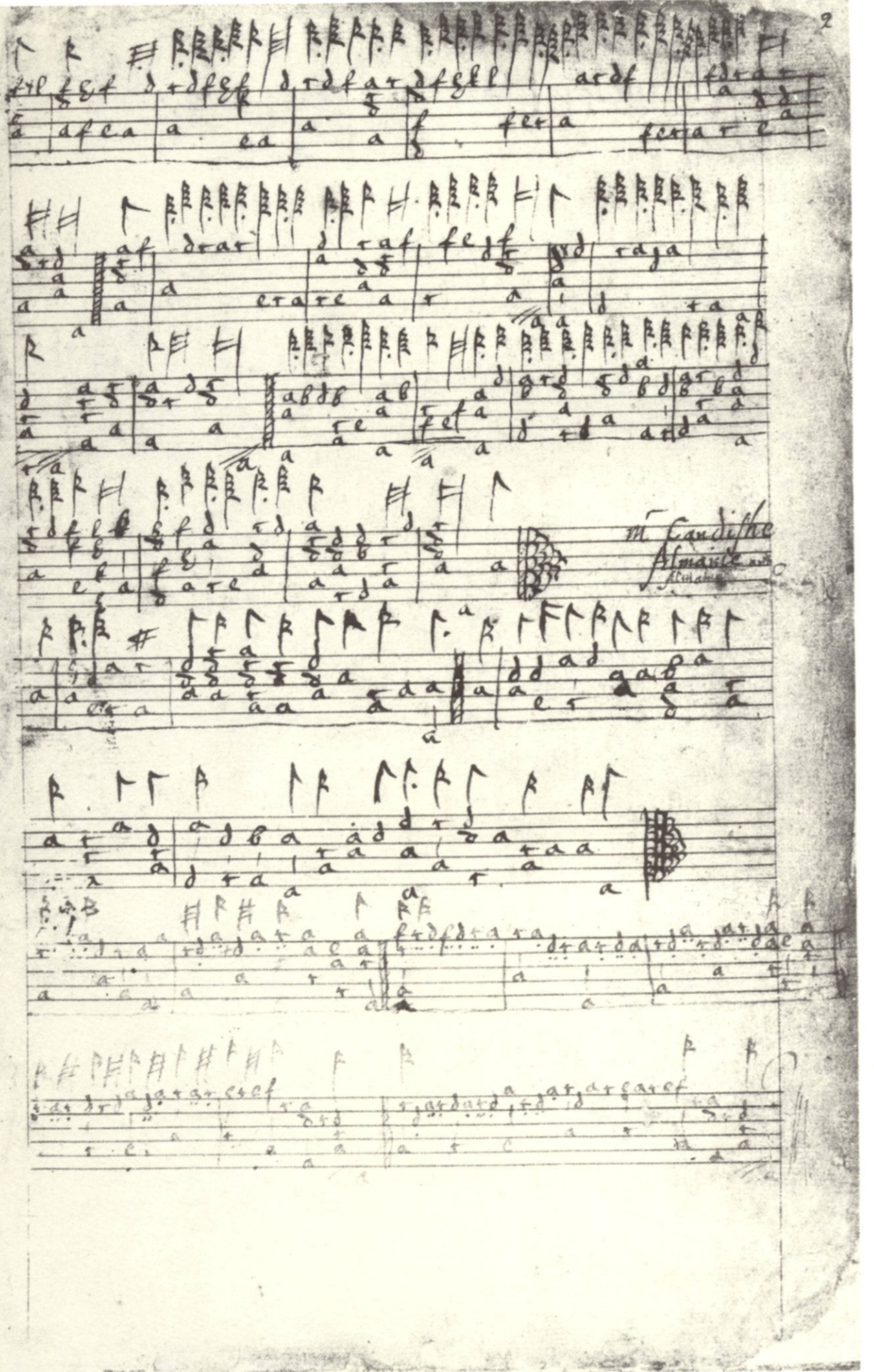
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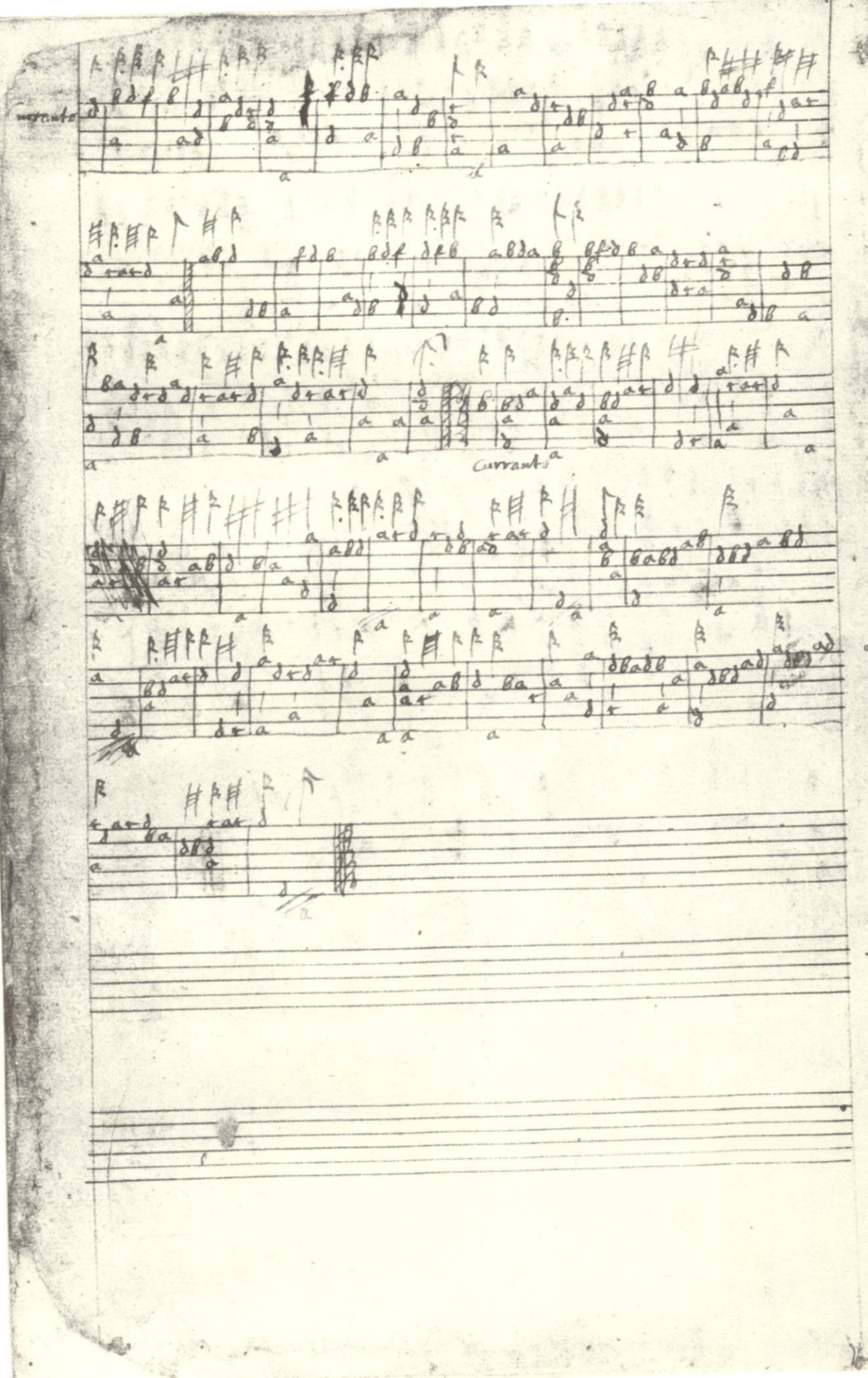
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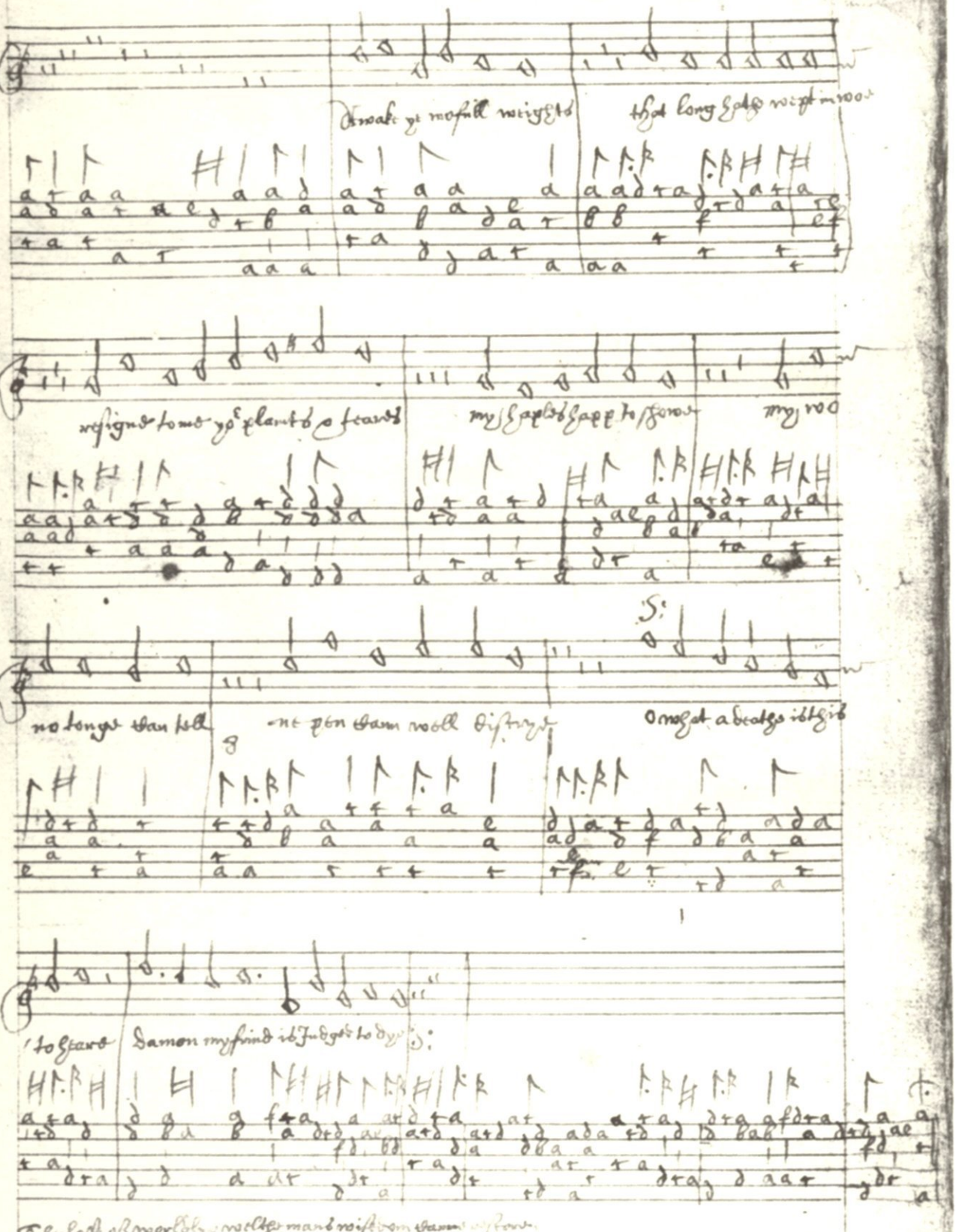

Ex hoc est mortalis, nolite mirari si non videam
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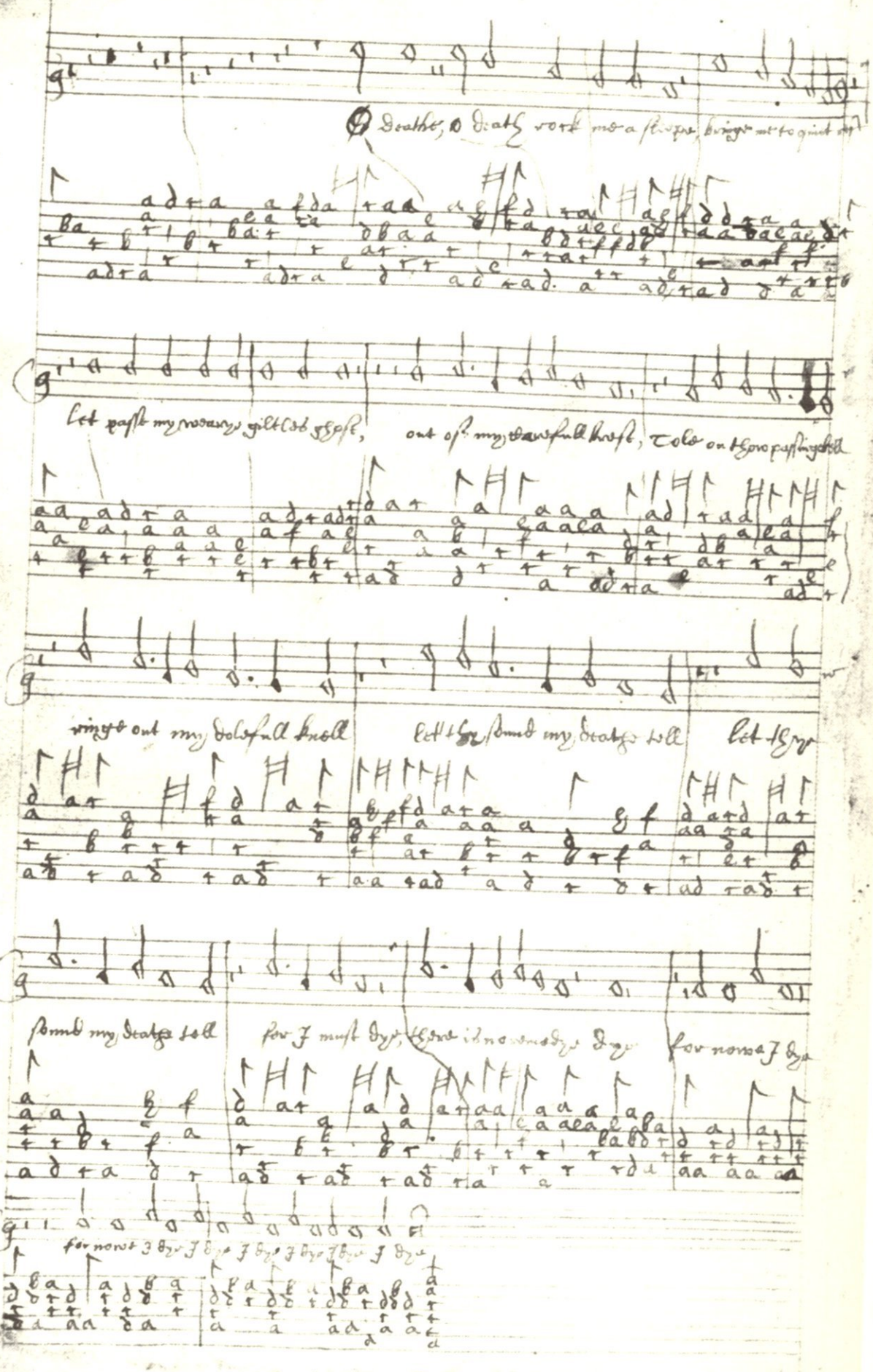
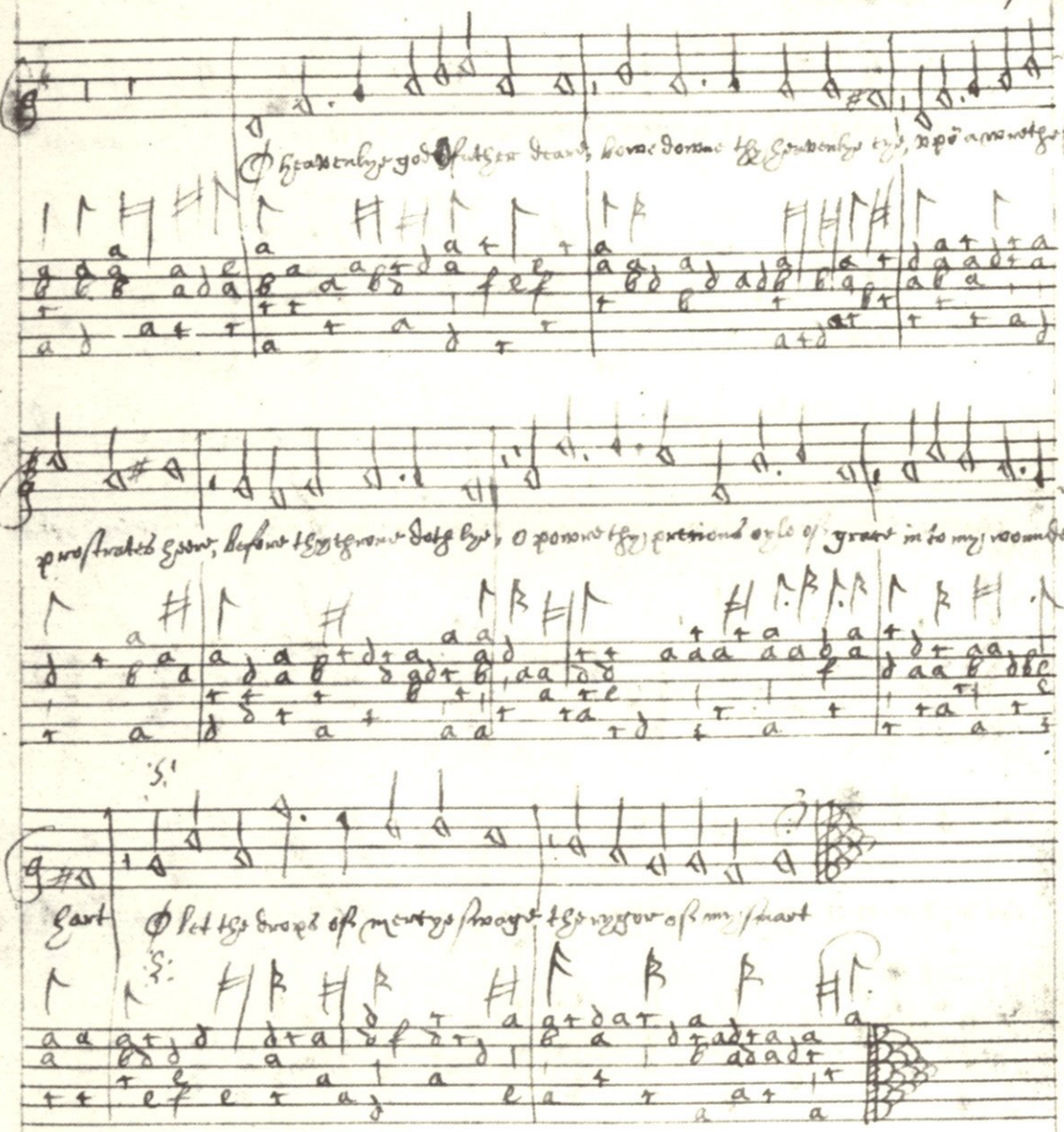




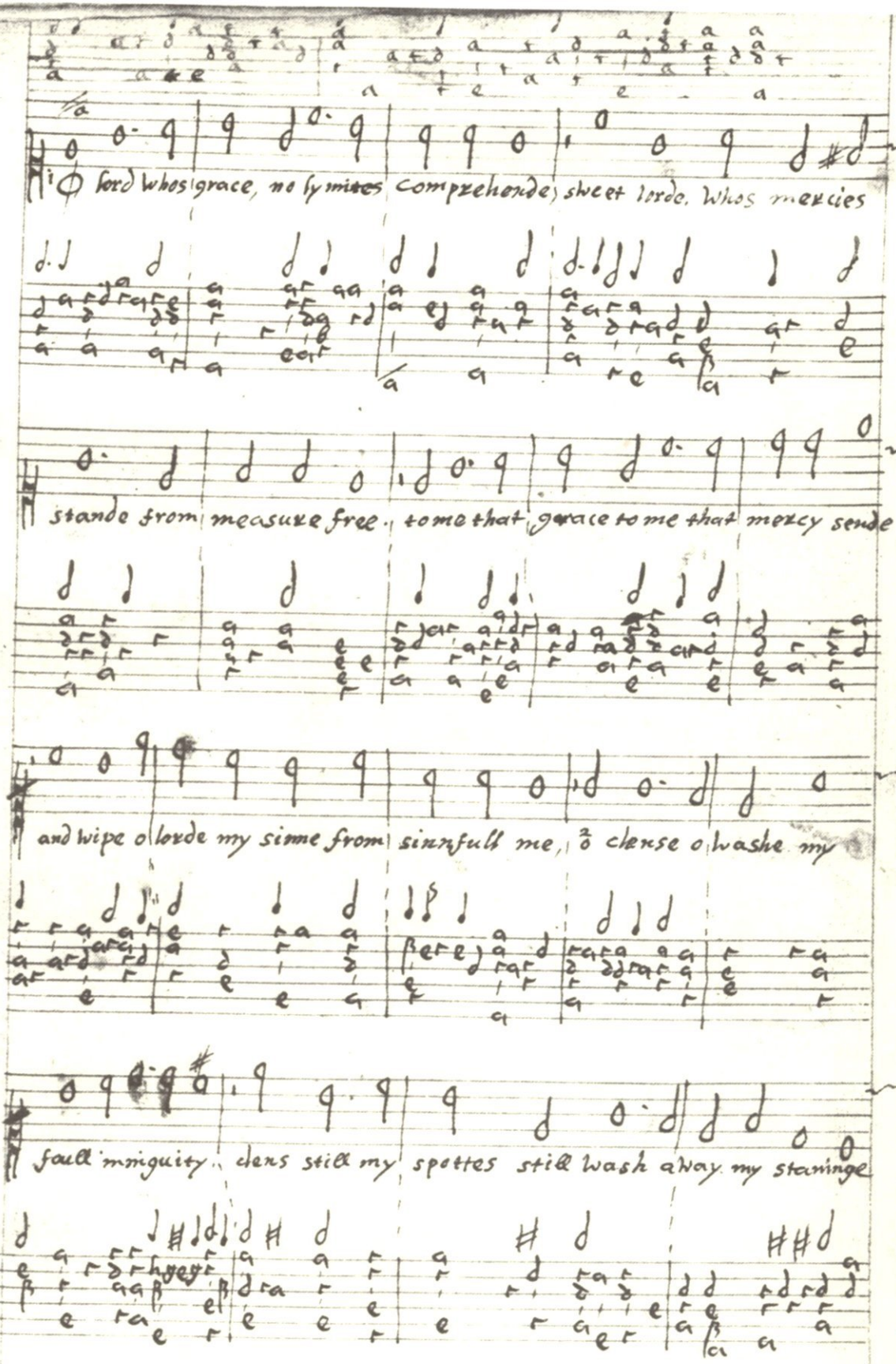
2 my sinfull soule oppressed sore with fearfull dregs of wyne,
fr hym this mise submitt it selfe to mercye lord to rayne,
graunt mercye o my gracious god to me most wofull thrall
wch mixd full dreg to the alone dothe still for mercye call.

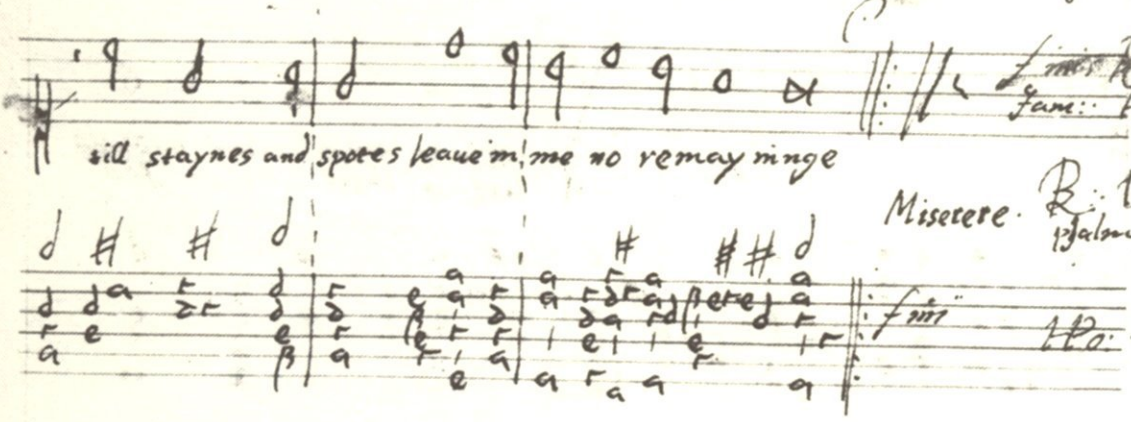
3 The blisfull will I haue discusse vpon a feckeme mynde,
and to the seruice of thy holye thinge my selfe I haue fullyed
forgett myne heauen & heauenlye powers, wch god his name to dwell
my chefe delight to treade the pathes wch leadeth to hell.

4 But o my lord & leadestarre bright I will no more do so
fetch me vpe my soome wch myght doth me fr euer
alas I digge alas I delue, alas I do repent me
that euer my hye mind will so wicked dede to vse.

5 Wher thou shalt haue sore my greuous full plaints I do lay
good lord for thy great mercies sake hell me the mercye haue
restore to life that soule & spirit wch thou didst make
so shall my voyce vnto the mine sing prayse eternally.

6 Then he yt hath the fatt of fyre & blisse hathe
and blisse he to the father holye ghost & sonne
blisse me the blisse Trynitie wch is eternall grace
that after death my soule may haue in heaven a dwelling place.


O lord whos grace, no lymites comprehende, sweet lorde. Whos mercies
stande from measure free, to me that grace to me that mercy sende
and wipe o lorde my sinne from sinnfull me, O clense o washe my
fault iniquity, clens still my spottes still wash away my staininge



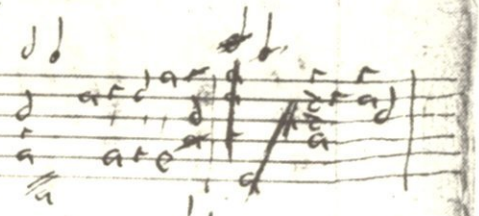
3 for i alas acknowlegeinge do knowe
my sinfull ~~filthy~~ ~~faltie~~, my ~~falty~~ filthynes
to my ~~soules~~ eye, vnsesantly doth shew.
which done to thee, to thee & thee confess.
4 Just iudge, trew wittnes, that for righteousnes
thy doome may pass against my ~~fa~~ gilt awarded.
thy euidence for truth may be regarded.

18 Lastly o lorde how so I stande or fall
leaue not thy loued sion to imbrace · wall
but with thy fauoure biulde up saleme, = place
and still in peace mayntayne thy peasfull
then shalt thou turne a well accepting fat
to sacrede fiers, with ofered giftes performed
tell euen whole Caulfes on alltors be Consumed

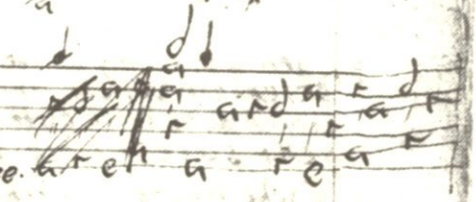
5 My mother lo: whan I begane to bee.
~~Conceuinge me with me did sinne Conceaue~~
and as with liuinge heate she cherished me.
~~Corruption did like cherishing receaue~~
6 but lo thy lande to puriste goode doth cleaue.
and inwarde truth, which hardly els diserned.
~~my truande soulle, in thy hide schole hath learned~~

fems mayde
of the Coun:
of pembr:

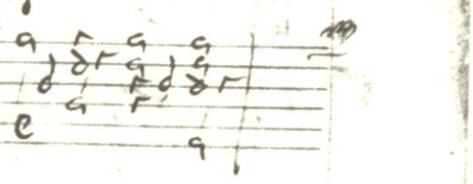
7 ~~then as thy selfe to leppers hast assignde~~
~~with Ysop, lord thy Ysop purge me soe~~.
and that shall cleane the leprye of my minde.
make ouer me thy mercies streames to flow.
8 so shall my whitnes scorne the whittest snow.
to eare and harte sende soundes and thoughtes of gladnes
that brused bones, may dance away ther sadnes.



9 ~~thy ill pleased eye from my misdeed Cauerite~~
Cancell the regester ~~my sinnes~~ Contayne.
Create in me a pure Cleane spottes harte.
10 Inspire a sprite wher loue of right may rayne
11 Ah. Cast me not from thee. take not agayne
12 thy breathing grace, agayne thy Comfort send me.
~~and lette the garde of thy free sprit attende me~~

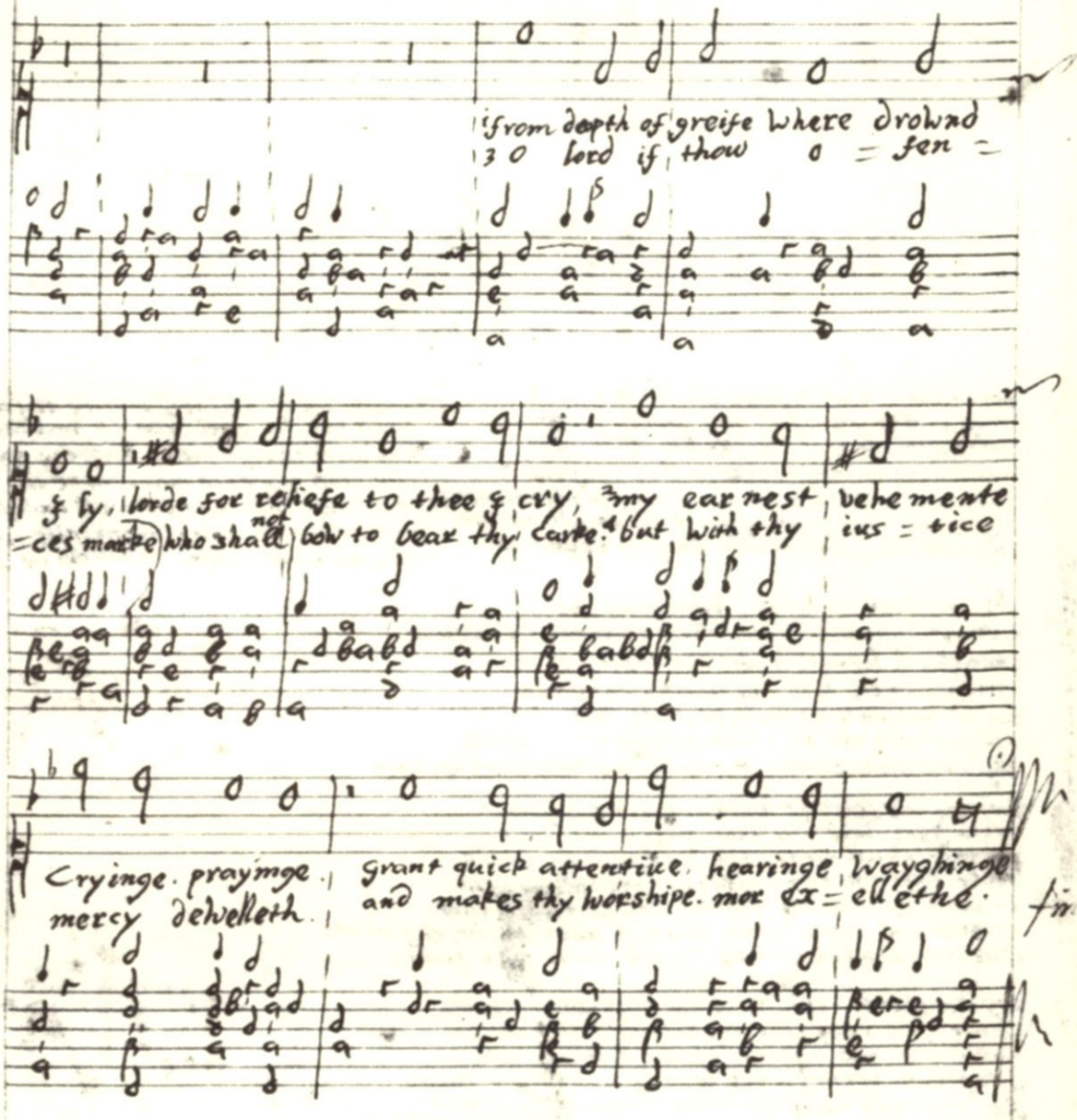


13 So I to them a guydinge hande will bee.
whos fatty feett haue wandrede from thy way
and turnde frome ~~thee~~ sinne will make returne to thee.
whom turnde from thee sinne erst had lede awaye
14 O god. god of my healthe, o doe away
my bloodye crime, so shall my tounge be raysede
to prayse thy truth, enough cannot be prayesede.



15 Vnlocke my lippes shut up with sinnfull shame.
then shall my mouth ~~o~~lorde thy honore singe
16 for bleedinge fewell for thy alteres flame.
to gayne thy grace, what bootes it me to bringe.
burnt offrynges ~~is~~ are to thee no pleasante thinge.
17 the sacryfies that gode will houlde respectede.
is, the harte-broken soulle the spritt dejectede.

De profundis psalme 130



3 yea makes my soule on thee o lorde
dependeth wholl, and on thy worde
though sore with blott of sinne defaced
yet surest hope hath seemely placed

4 6 who longest watche who someste rise.
can nothinge matche thy earth eyse.
the greedy eye (my soull) expectethe
whill gode tru promise it expectethe.

5 ¶ then Israell on god attende
attende him well who still thy ffrende
in kindnes hath thee dear esteemede
and often often earst estemede

6 8 now as befor vnchangede he
will thee restore thy stat will free
all wickednes from Jacobe driuinge.
forgettinge follies faulte forgiuinge.

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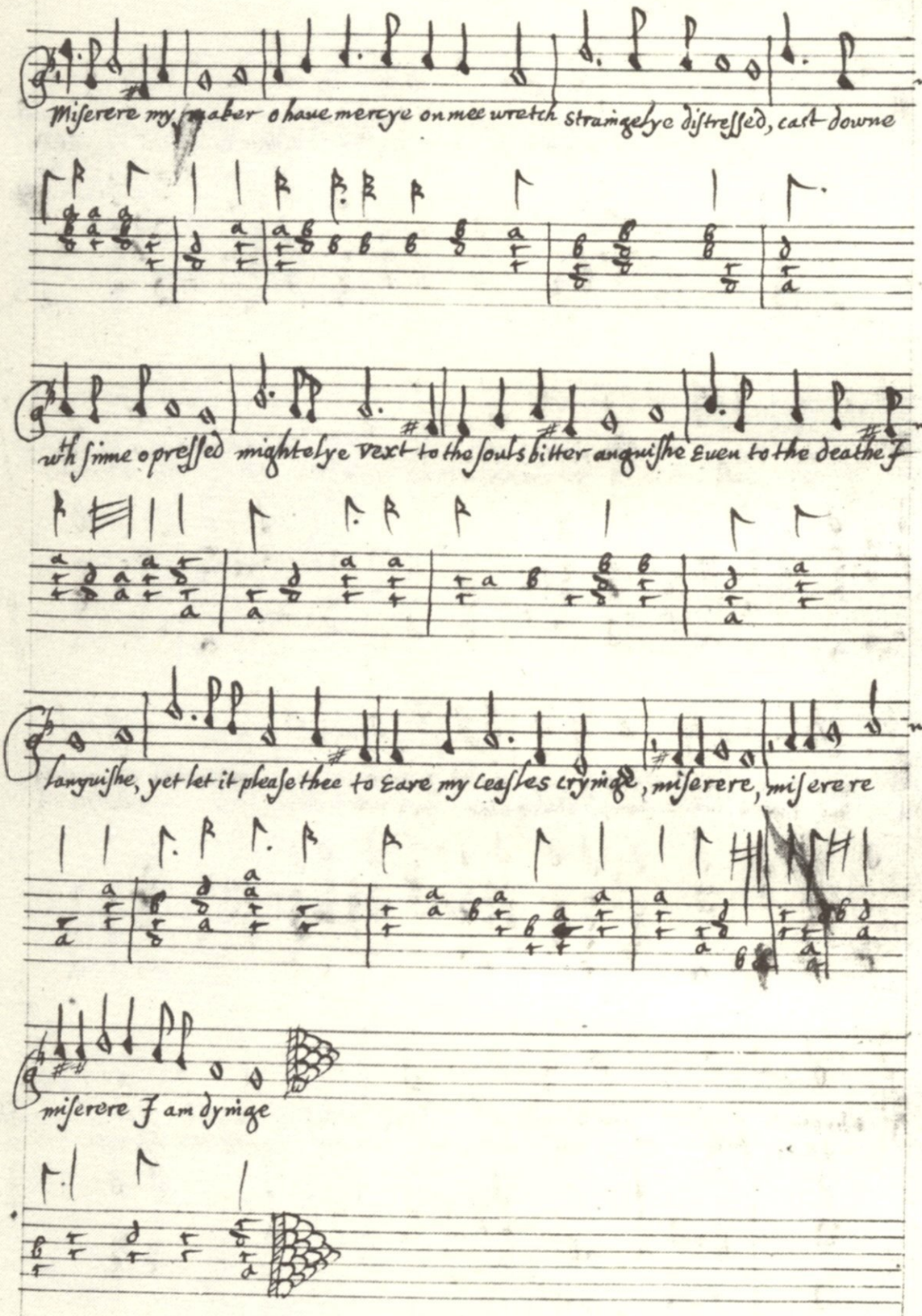
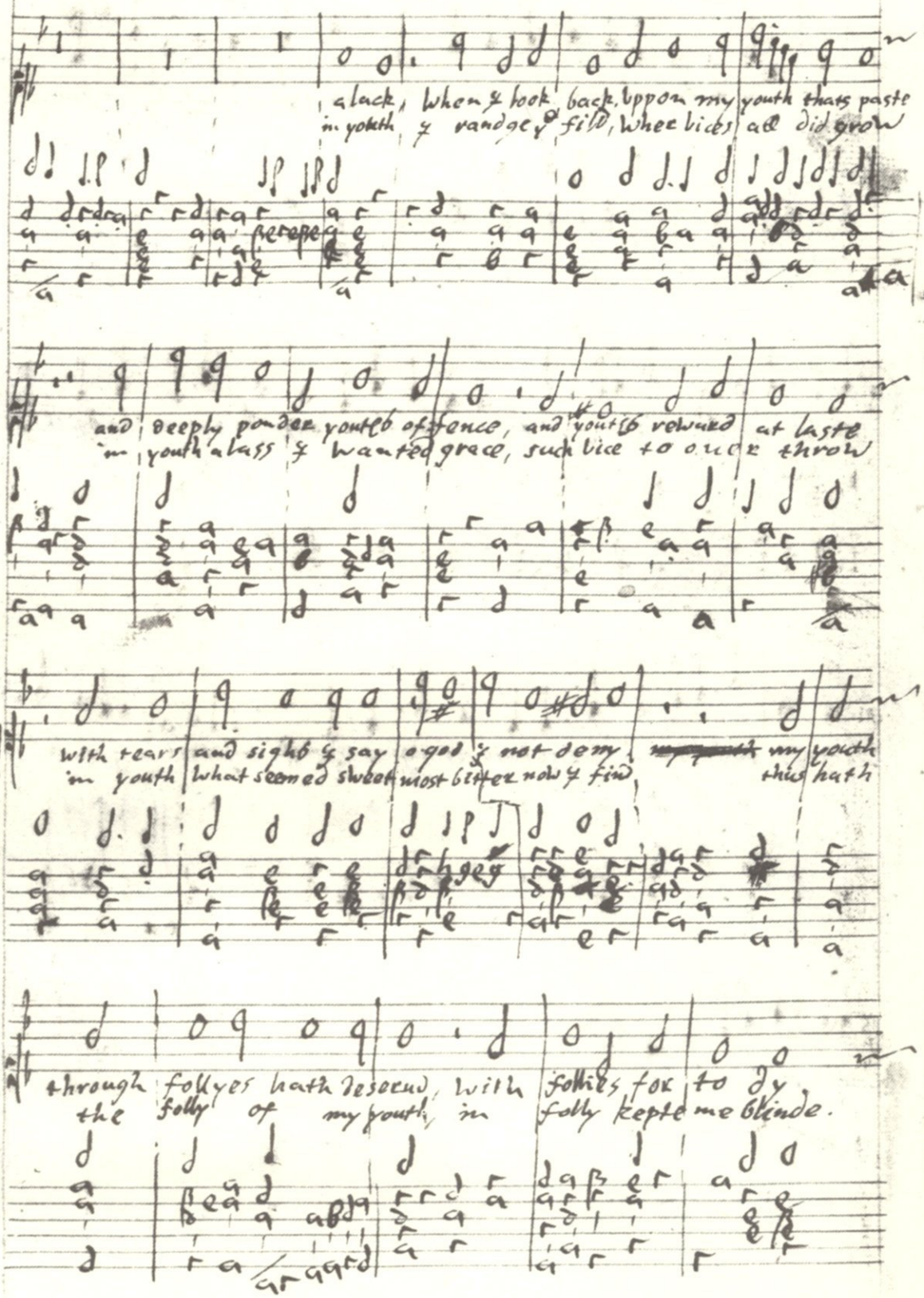
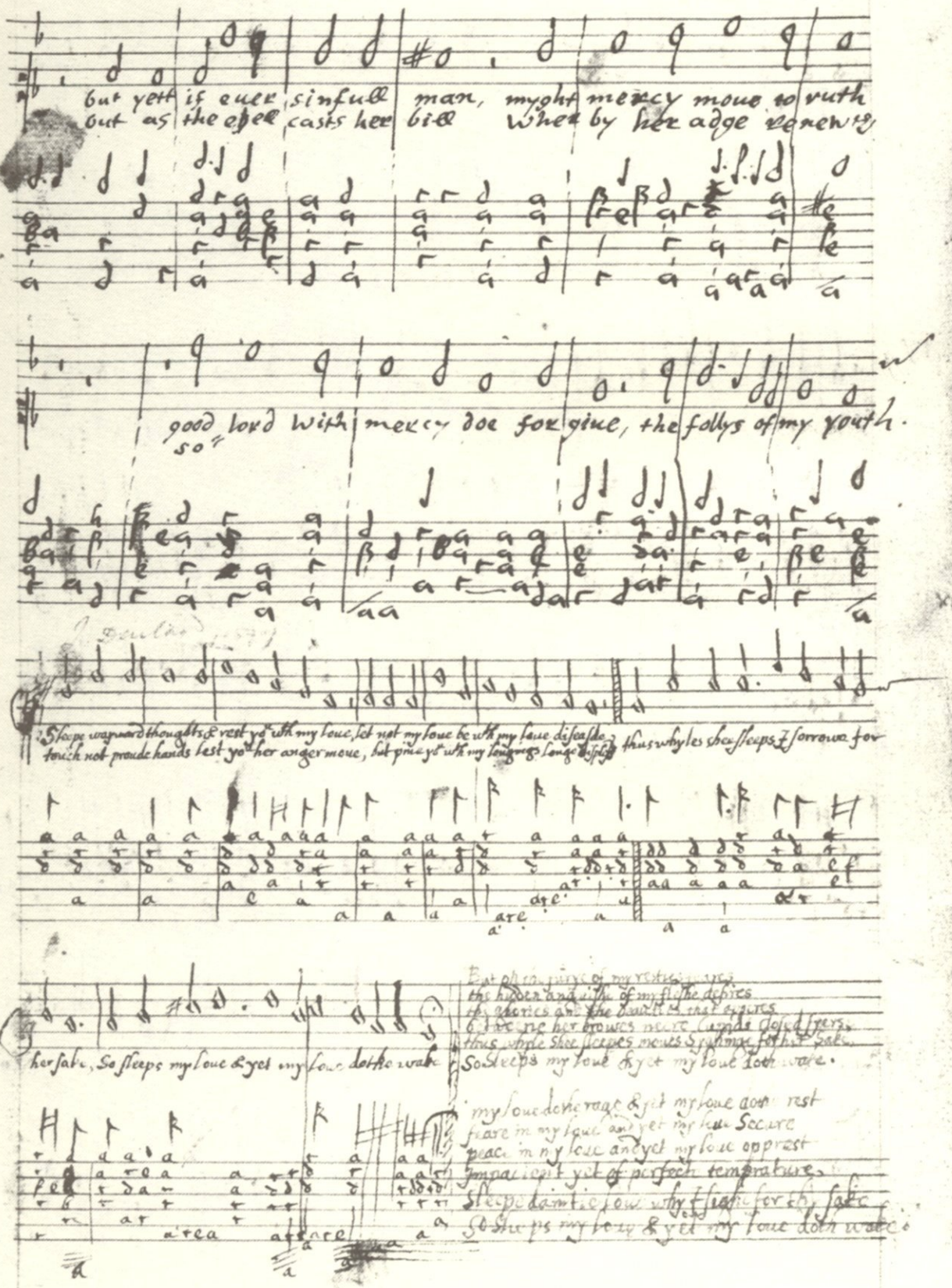
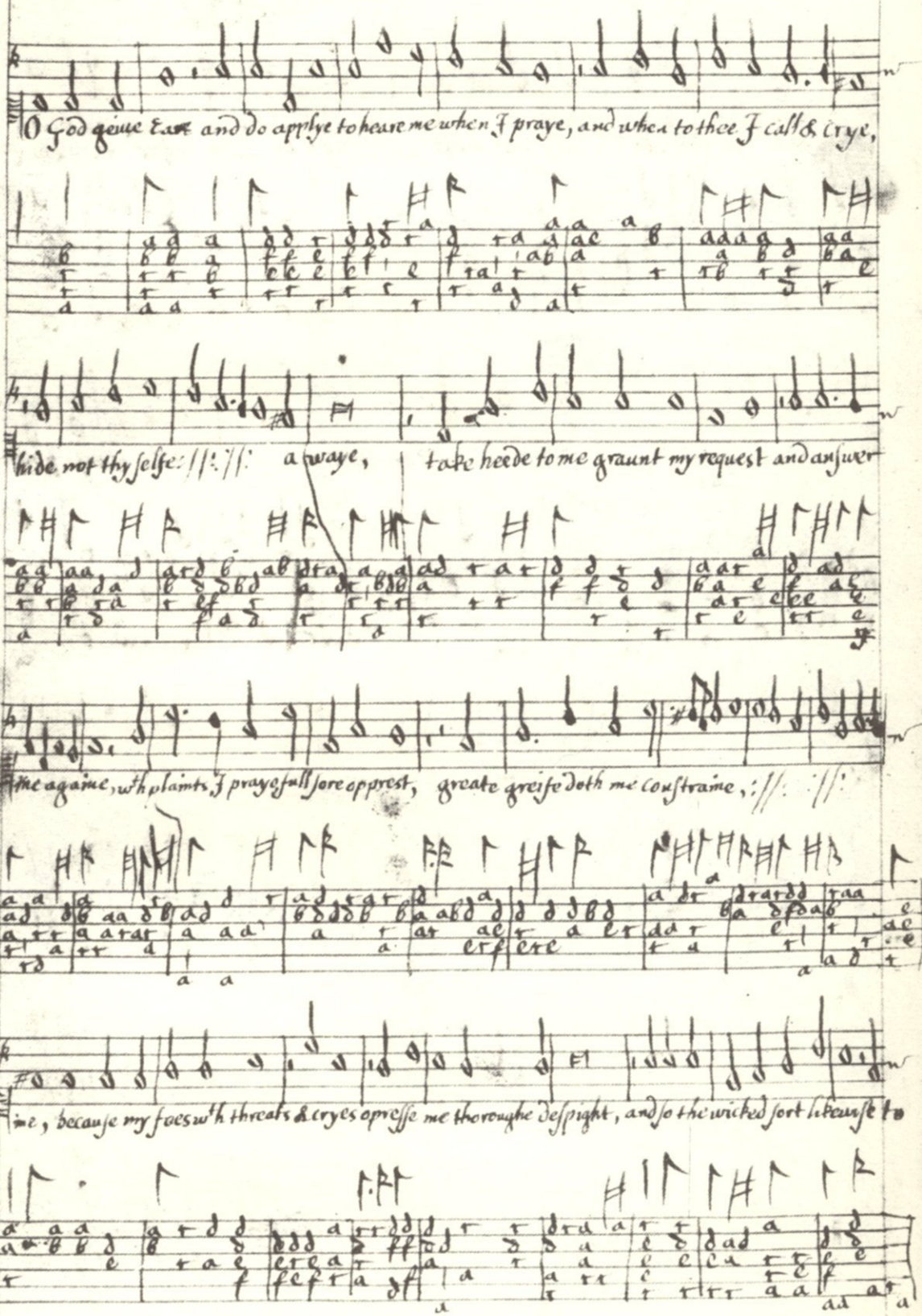

Miserere my maker o have mercye on mee wretch straingelye distressed, cast downe
wth sinne oppressed mightelye vext to the soules bitter anguishe Euen to the deathe I
languishe, yet let it pleasethee to Eare my ceasles crymge, miserere, miserere
miserere I am dymge


alack, when y look back vppon my youth thats paste
in youth y vanage fild, whee vices all did grow
and deeply ponder youthe offence, and youthe vnwise at laste
in youth alass y wanted grace, such vice to ouer throw
with teares and sighe y say o god y not deny my youth
in youth what seemed sweet most bitter now y find, this hath
through the follyes hath deseend, with folly of my youth, in
follies for to dy, folly kepte me blinde.


but yett if euer sinfull man, myght mercy moue to ruth
but as the eyen casts her bill When by her adge renewes
good lord with mercy doe forgiue, the follys of my youth.
Sleepe wayward thoughts & rest yo with my loue, let not my loue be with my sauie diseasde
touch not proude hands lest yo her anger moue, but pine yo with my longings longe desyre thus whyles she sleeps I sorrowe for
her sake, So sleeps my loue & yet my loue dothe wake
So sleeps my loue & yet my loue doth wake.
my loue doth rage & yet my loue doth rest
feare in my loue and yet my loue Secure
peace in my loue and yet my loue oppresst
Impacient yet of perfect temperature
Sleepe dainties loue why I sighe forth, sobs
So sleeps my loue & yet my loue doth wake

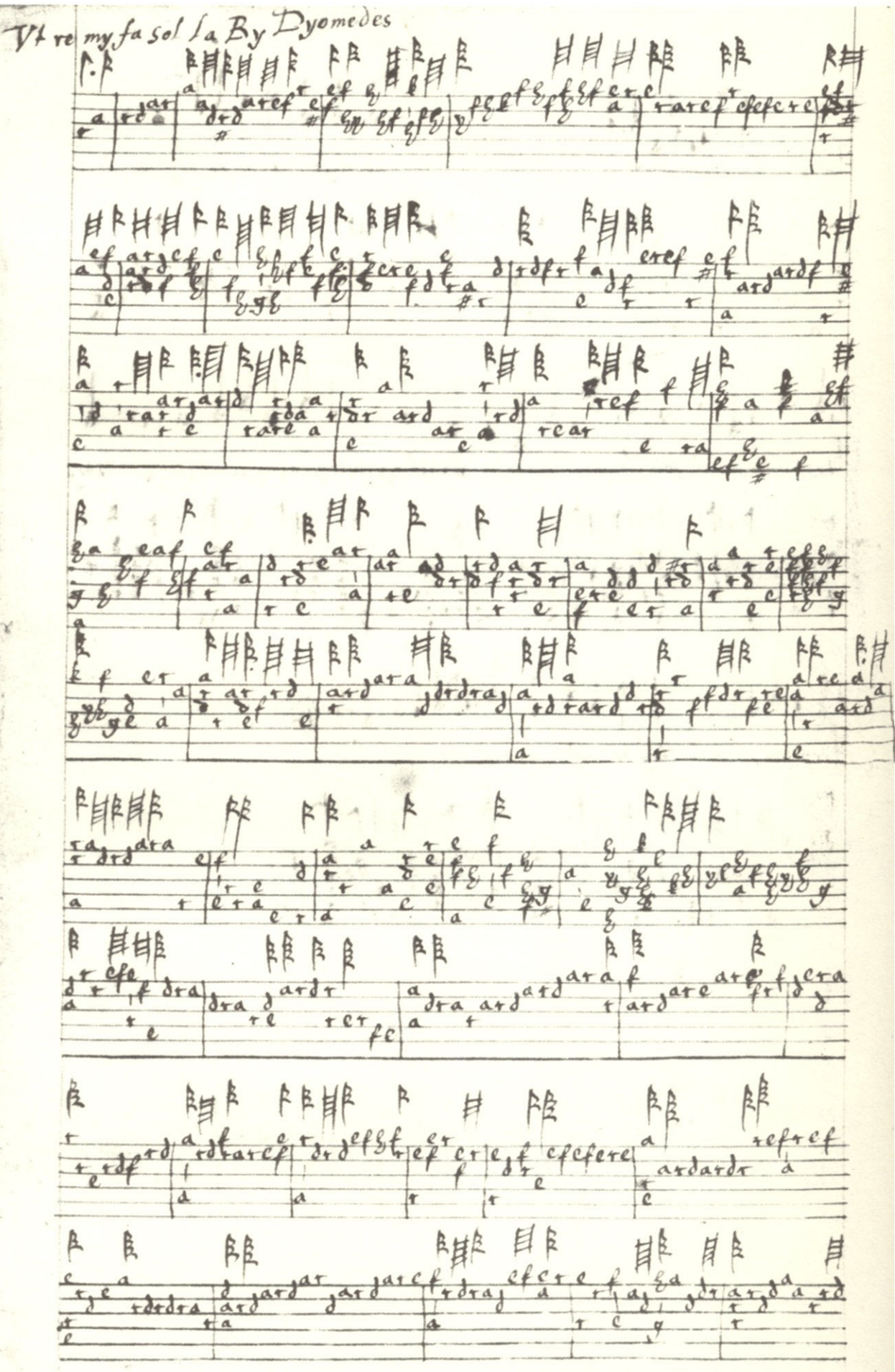

O God geiue eare and do applye to heare me when I praye, and when to thee I call & crye,
hide not thy selfe: /:/: /:/: a waye, take heede to me graunt my request and answer
me againe, wth plaints I praye full sore oppresst, greate greife doth me constraine, :/: :/:
me, because my foes wth threats & cryes oppresse me throughe despight, and so the wicked sort because to

vex me haue delight :||: for theye in counsel do conspire

to chardge me wth som ill, som their hastye wrath & yre, they do pursue me still, they

do pursue me still, they do pursue me still :||:

thoughe ye are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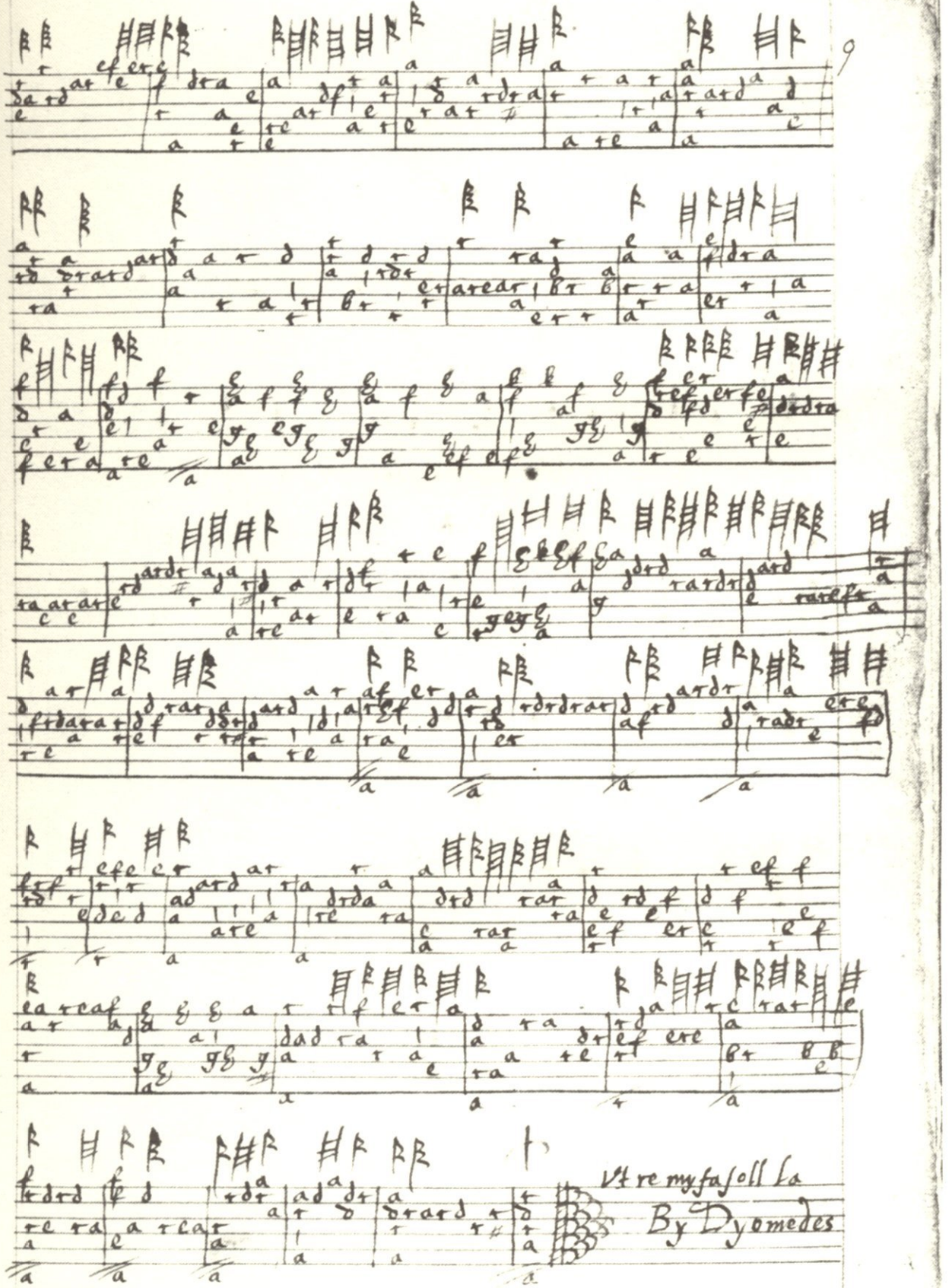
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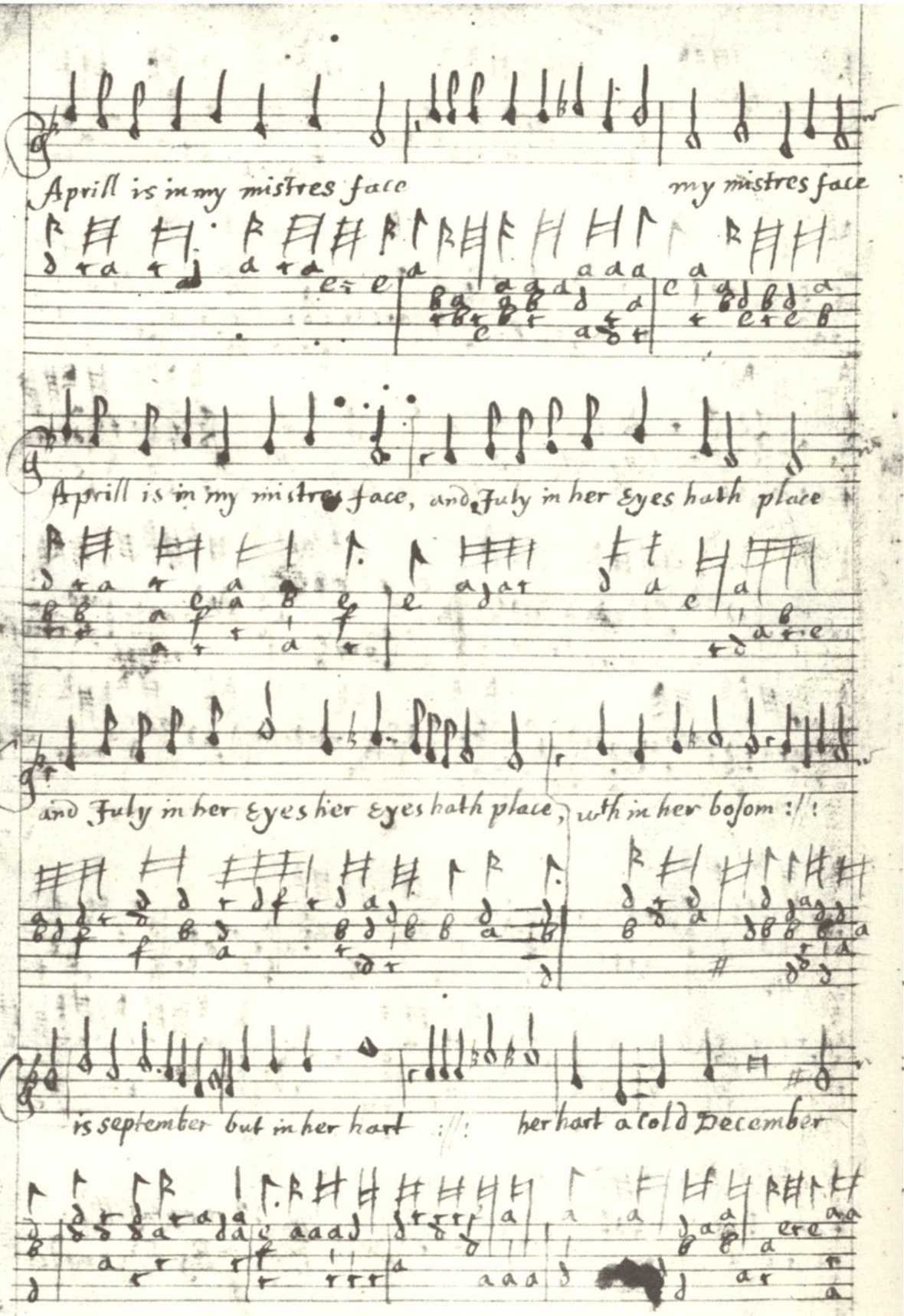
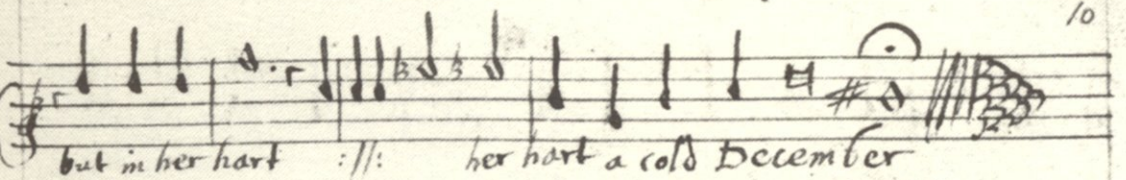
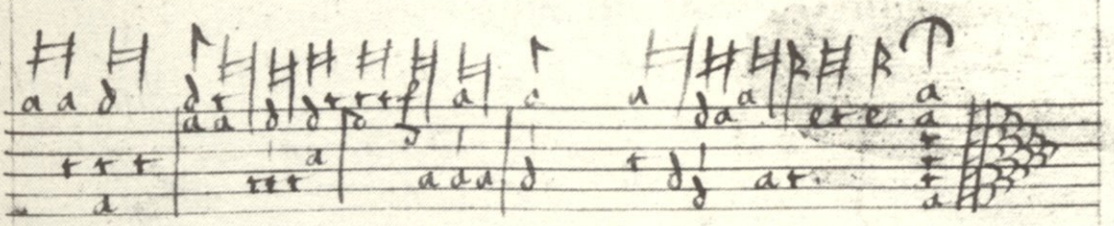
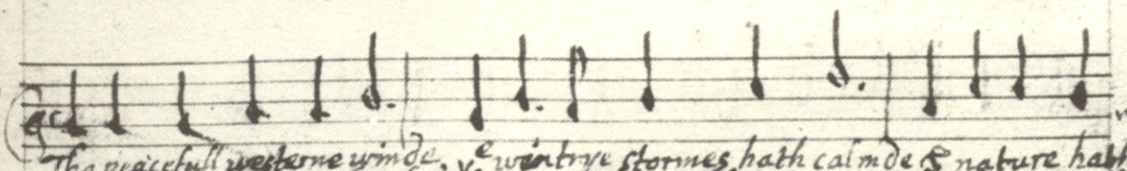
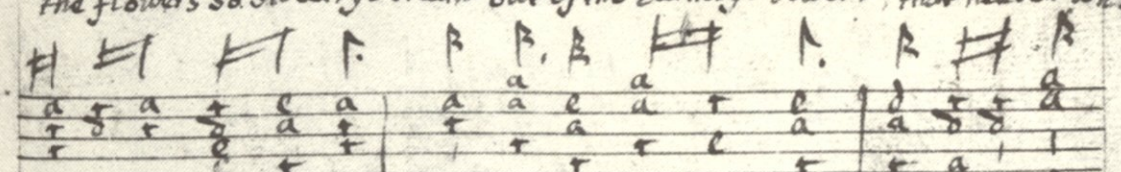
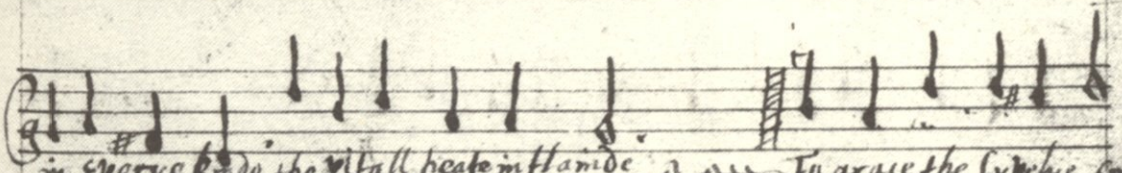

Aprill is in my mistres face my mistres face
Aprill is in my mistres face, and July in her Eyes hath place
and July in her Eyes hier Eyes hath place, with in her bosom : / / :
is september but in her hart : / / : her hart a cold December

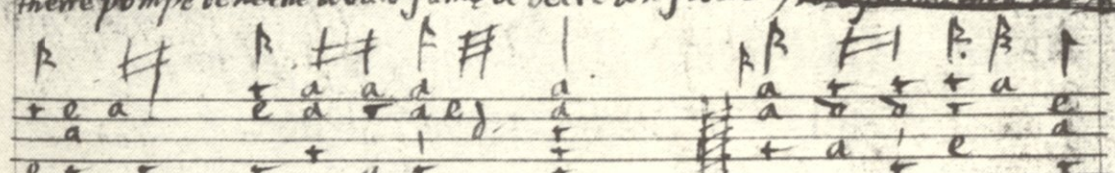


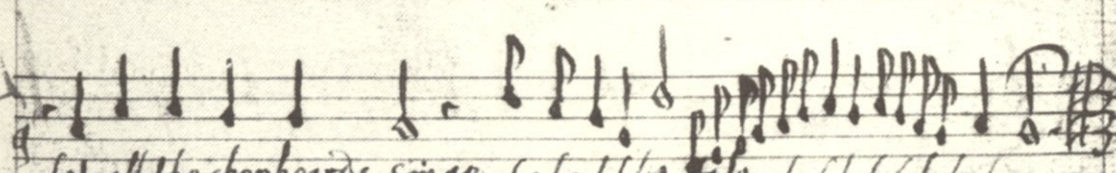


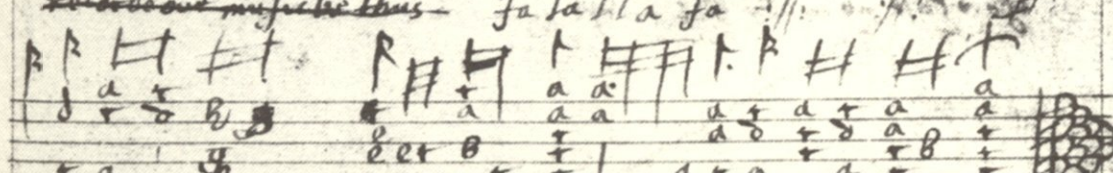












2 See how the morninge smyles, out of the easterne Cell
and softly stealinge for the beguiles them that in sleepe do dwell
the frolicke birds, do issue from cliffs & Rocks Vnknowne
to see the trees & briers blow that late were overflowene
fa la sa la sa
To Cynthia then lett vs, Recorde our musick thus
fa la sa la sa :///:

1 Nowe is the monthe of maynge, when merye lads are playinge fayre
each with his bonye lasse, vppon the greenye grasse. fa la la la
2 The Springe clad all in gladnes, doth laugh at Winters sadnes. fa la la
and to the bagpipe sounde, the nymphs tread out their ire rounde. fa la la

What Nature did destroye, reuiues reliues againe
and now the Wood nakede boye doth in the woods remaine
where he sucke Chamge doth weare in Ebonye slimge thinge
as If the woode were borne a newe to grenifie the springe
To Cynthia then lett vs, Recorde our musick thus
fa la sa la sa :///:

fye then why sit wee musinge, yeuthes sweete delight refusinge
fye daintie Nymphes & speede, shall wee playe at barly breede
fa la sa la

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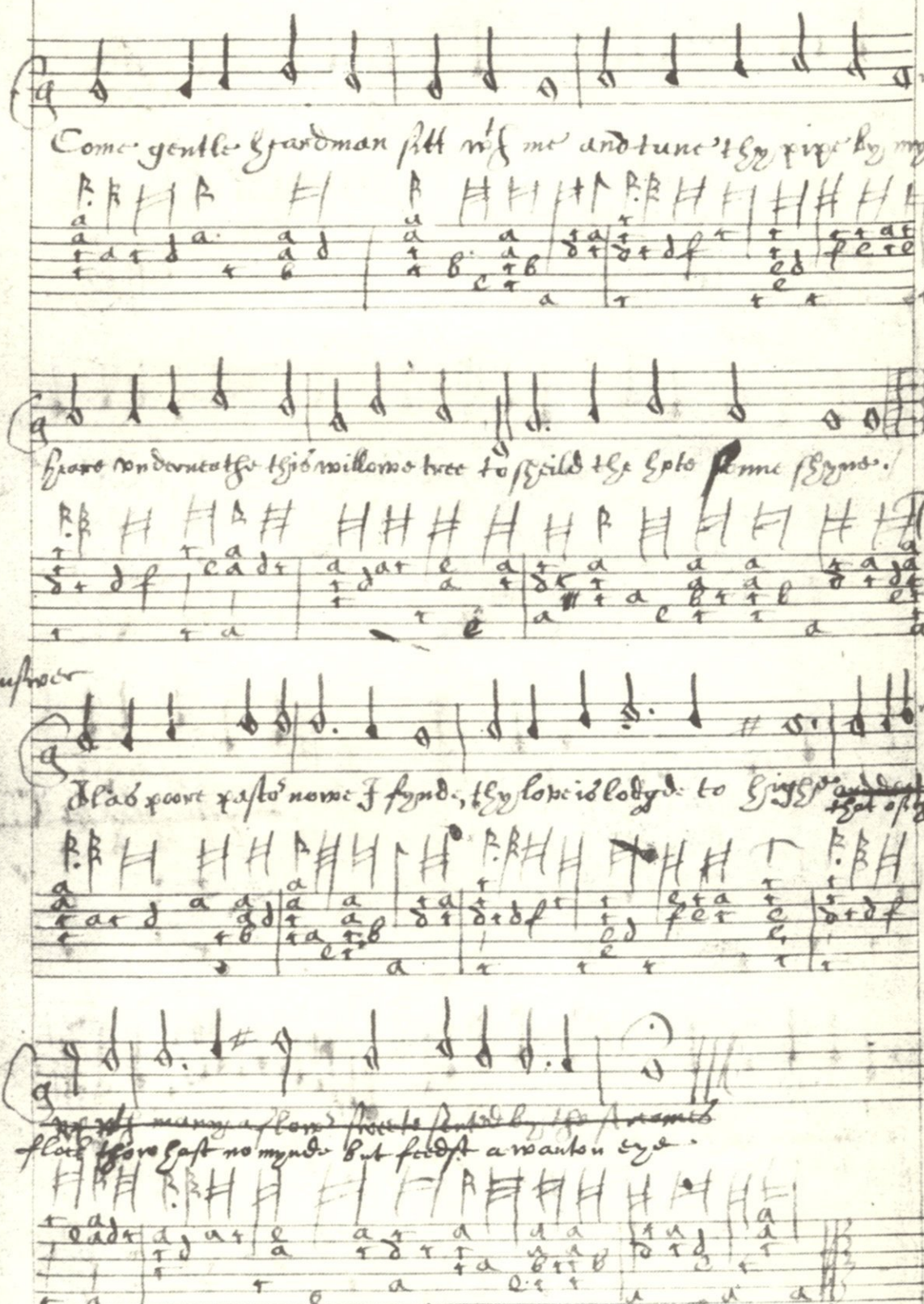
Come gentle Swardman sitt wth me and tune yr pipe by myne
heare vnderneathe this willowe tree to shield the Sonne shyne.
Trumpeter
Glad woare yor sto nowe I fynde, thy love is lodgd to
flock before Cast no mynde But feedst a wanton eye.
Where I haue framd my Summers bower, of proofe for Phebus beames
and deckt it vp to make a flower fayer seated by the streames
for Daphne ofte once a day that flowry banks doth wash
and in her bosom bears away the pride of mayes stalk
but leaues she humble hart to him ayround her garlands dight
and she sweet soule the more vnkind to see greene Loue in sight
yet though that others beare the bell as mother fabor blest
her shepherd loueth her as well as those whom fates loues best
the answer on the other side.

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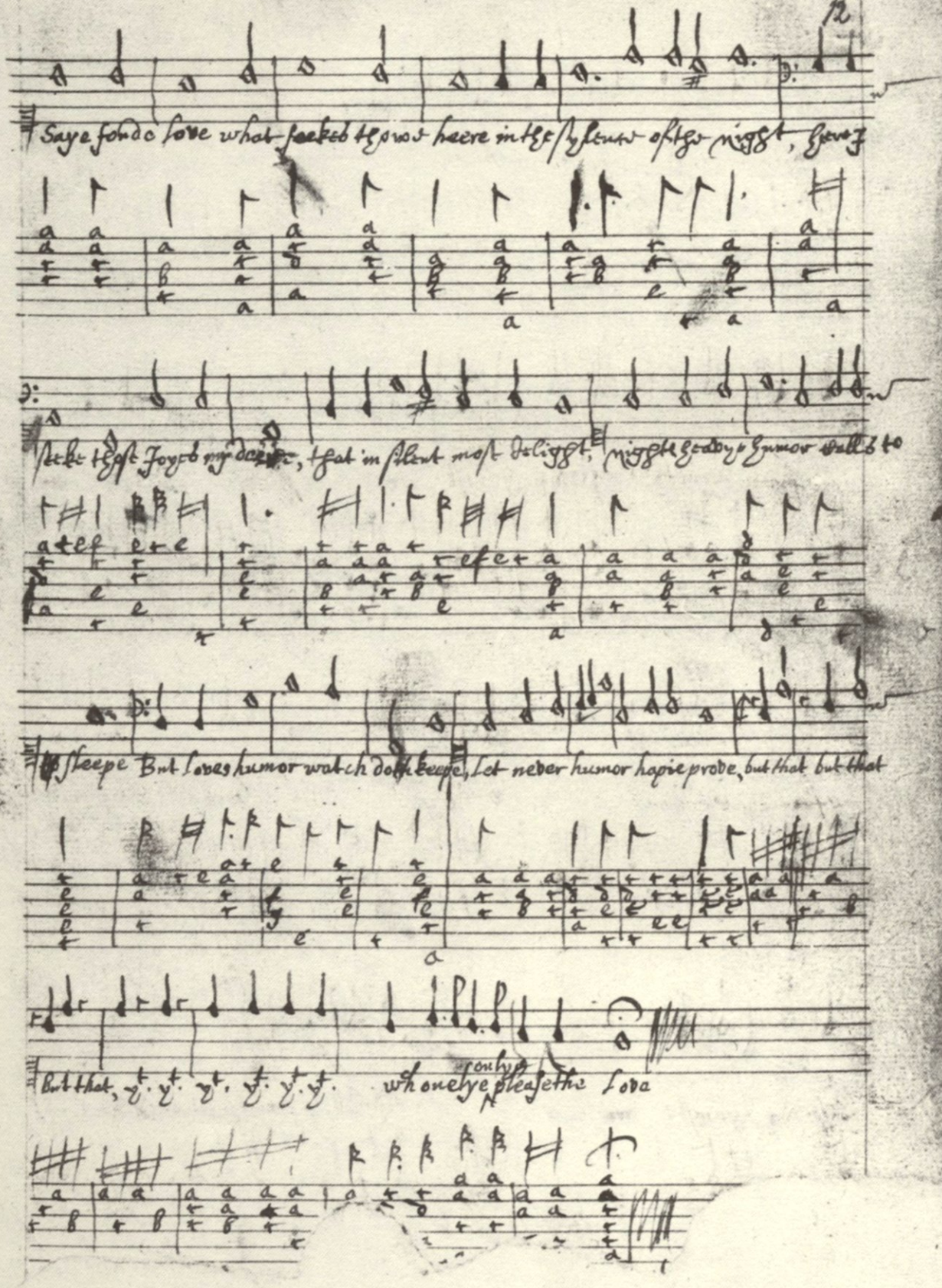
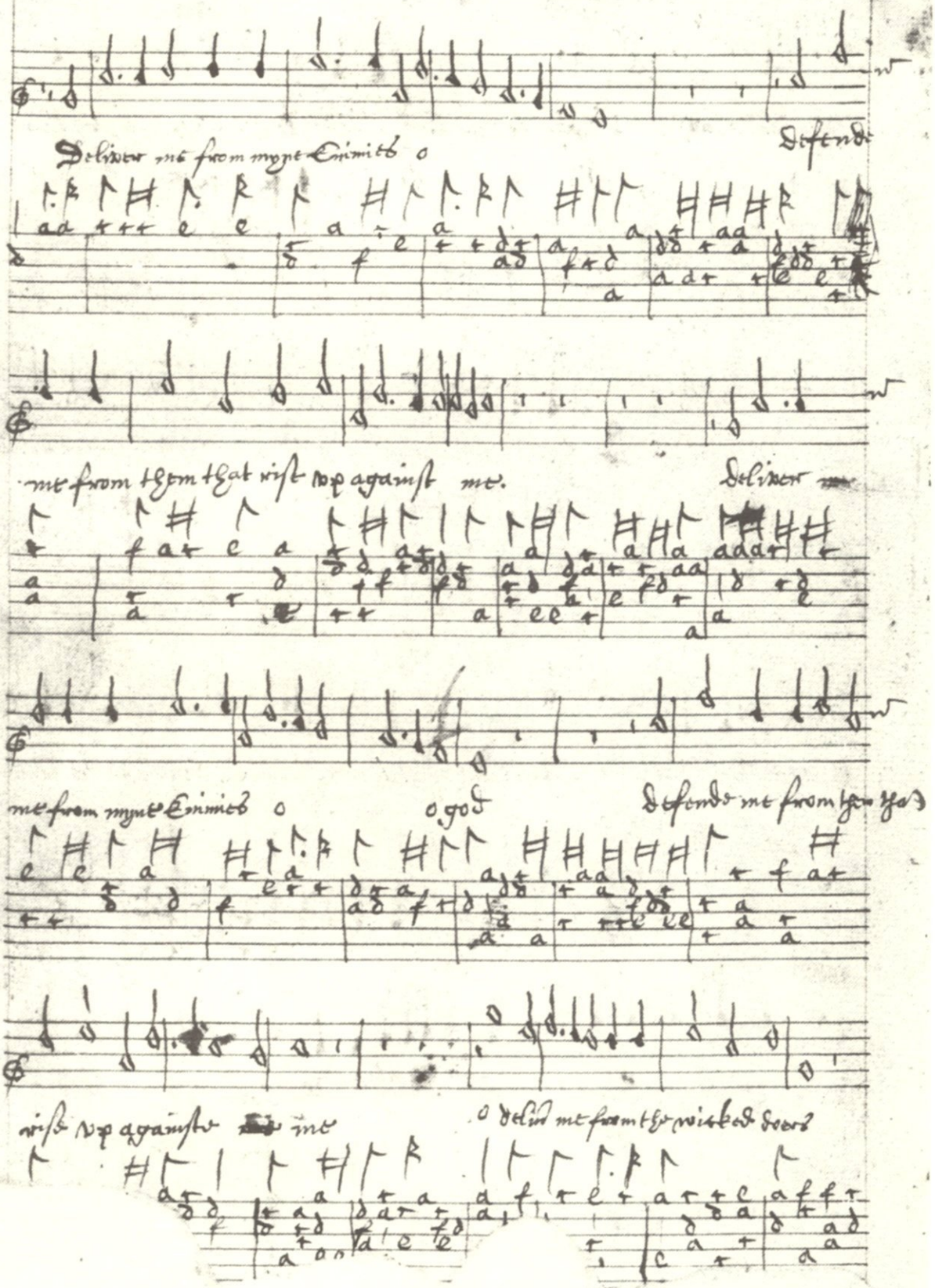
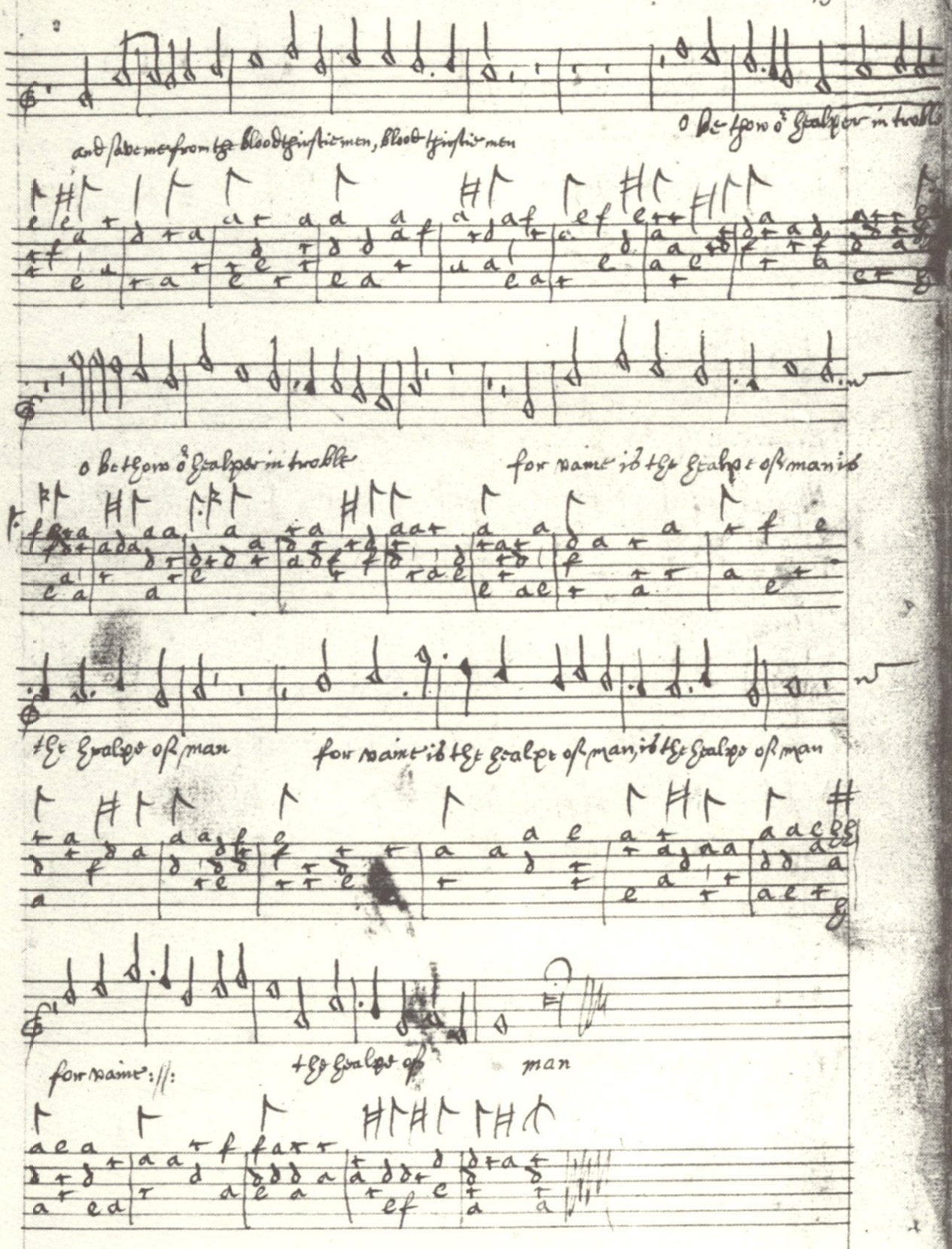

Saye fonde love what seeked thow here in the/ stewes of thy night, Swete
seeke the lest Joyes my desire, that in silent most deligt, might geue my Humor will to
sleepe But loves humor watch doth keepe, Let never humor hapie prove, but that but that
But that,
wh one lye pleasethe love


Deliuer me from myne Enimies o
Defende
me from them that rise vp against me.
Deliuer me
me from myne Enimies o
o god
Defende me from the yat
rise vp against me
o Deliu me from the wicked doers


and save me from the bloodthirstie men, bloodthirstie men
O be thow o̊ Gealper in trouble
O be thow o̊ Gealper in trouble
for name ie̊ the Gealpe e of man ie̊
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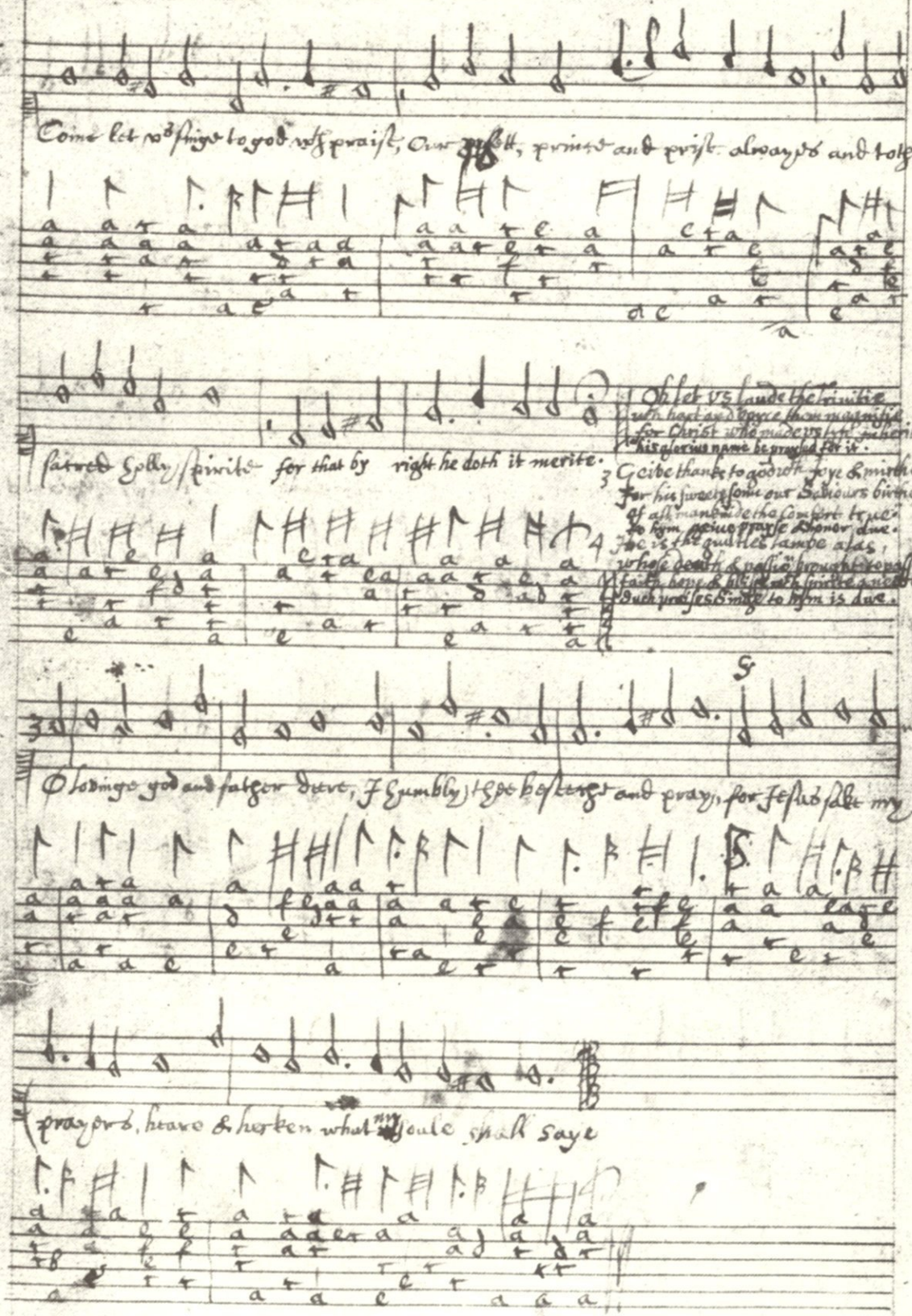
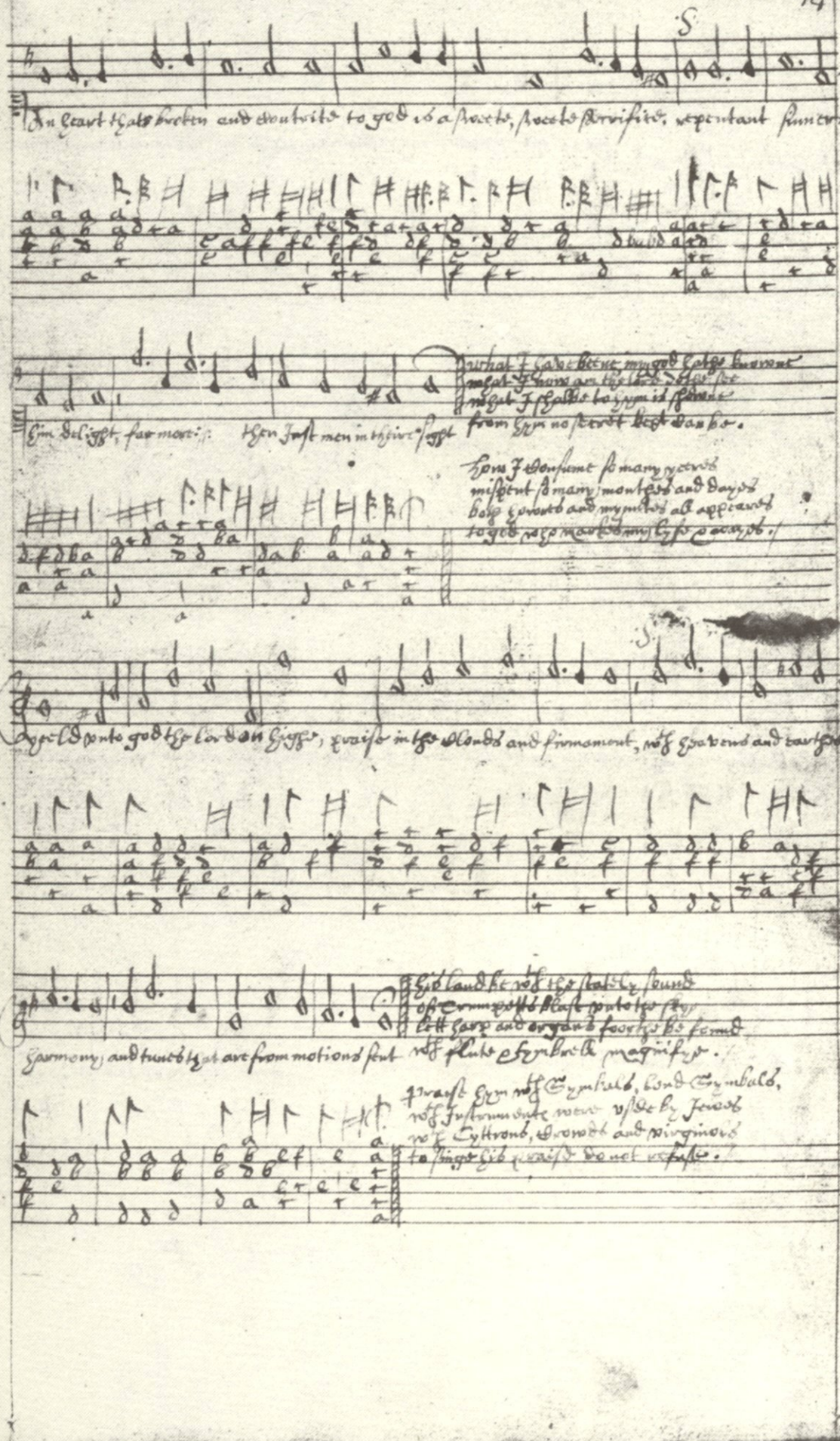
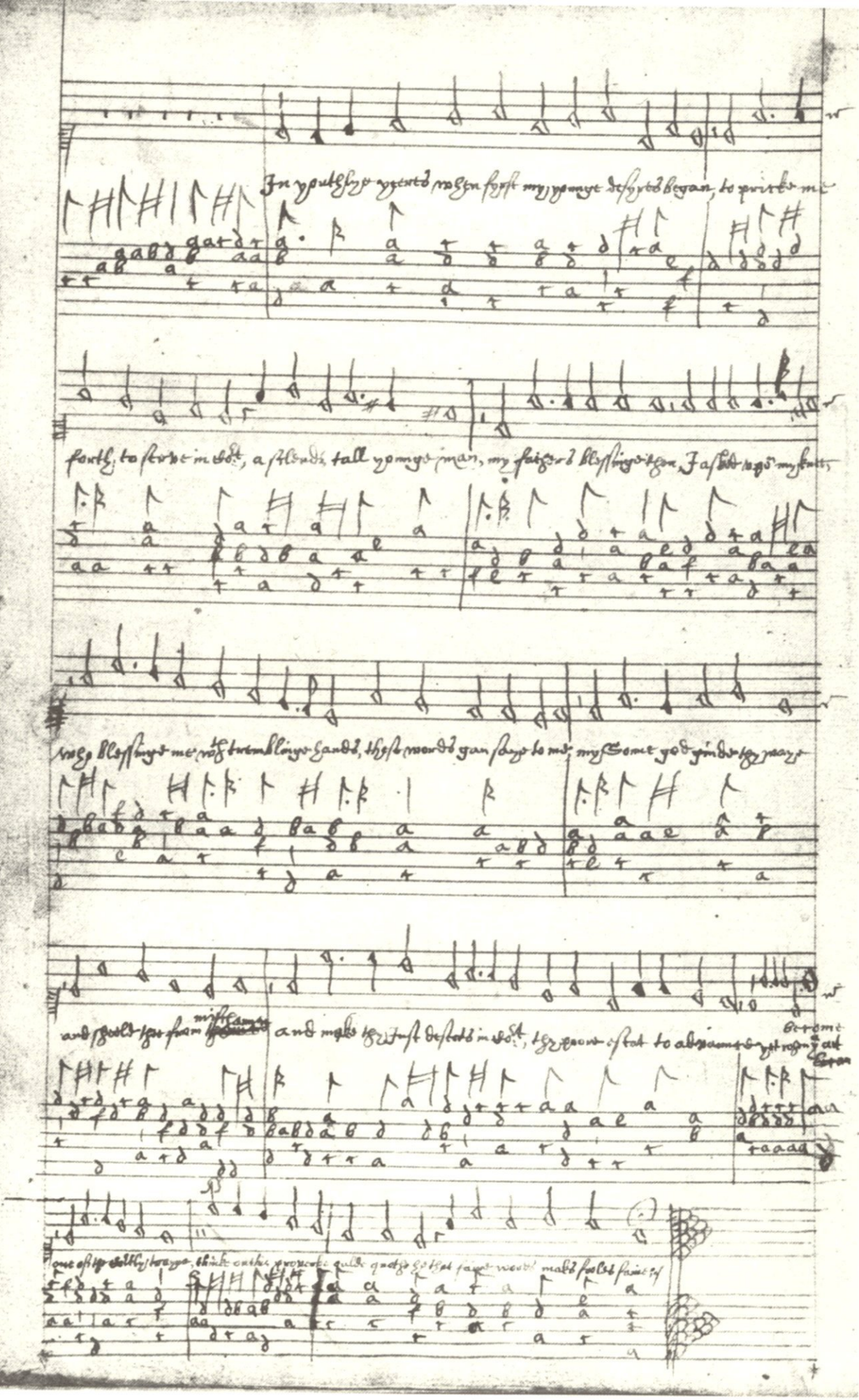
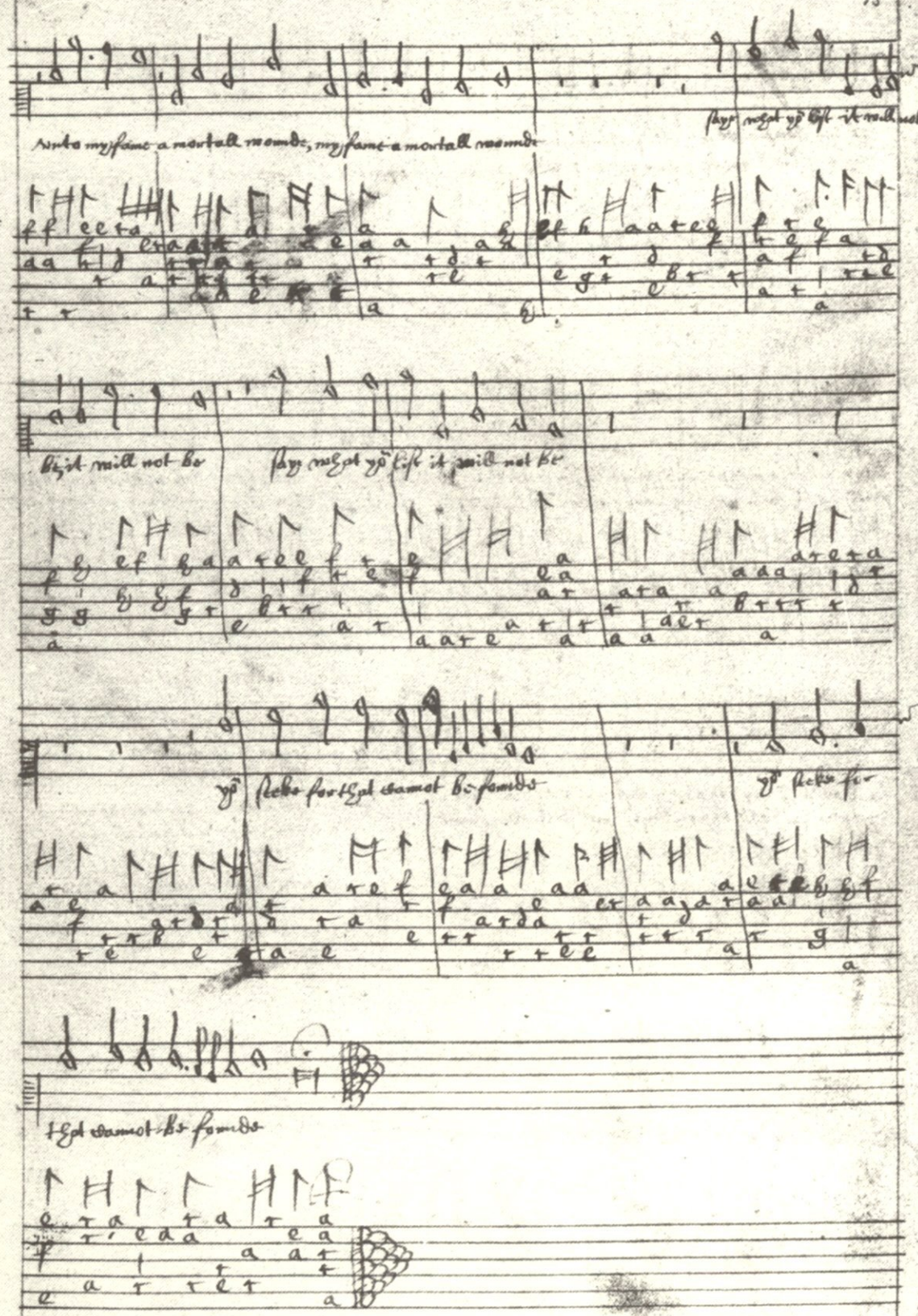

Come let vs singe to god vs̄ psalm, Our myght, prime and prist always and holye.
Oh let vs laude the trinitie
with hart and voyce thanne manyfold
for Christ who made vs his inherite.
his glorius name be prysed for it.
3 Gyue thanke to god with ioye & mirthe
for his swete sonne our Sauiours birthe.
of all manhode the comfort true.
to him geue prayse honor due.
for it is the quitles lambe alas,
whose death & passiō brought to passe.
Mans faith hope & life with suche grace.
Such guyftes belonge to him is due.
Saued holye goste and father deare, Trynitie hyghe be kynge and prayse, for Jesus sake my
prayers heare & herken what my soule shall saye


A heart that is broken and contrite to god is a sacrifice, sacrifice sacrifice. repentant sinners
what I shall render unto my god for all his benefit
might I sing or the lord of life
might I shall to him in sparing
from him no secret hid shall be.
Him delight, for more: then just men in their sight
how I should sing so many years
missing so many months and days
holy ghosts and mysteries all appeared
to god praise make in my life complete.
Yield unto god the laudation glory, praise in the clouds and firmament, of heavens and earths creator
Give laud be of the star sky sound
of trumpet flute unto the strings
lute harp and organs fourth be found
harmony and tunes that are from motions shut of flute cymbals magnify.
praise him with cymbals, loud cymbals,
of instruments were used by Jewish
of cittern, crowd and virginals
to sing give praise do not cease.


In youthlye yeares when first my youye desyres began, to pricke me
fourth, to serue in Court, a stronge tall youye man, my skilfull blessinge I gan, I aske wch my suite,
wch blessinge me, wth trembleinge hande, this worde gan saye to me, my Sonne yoe finde ye waye
and skill ye fram misse and make ye iust desire in Court, ye reason is that to abrame yet wch
one of ye subtill knaye, think on the prouerbe olde, quod he that saye would make fooles faine


Wirt my ſſame a mortall mombe, my ſſame a mortall mombe
ſayz mygt yō liſt it will not
Bizd will not be
ſayz mygt yō liſt it will not be
yō ſtelle ſor tygt ſamot be ſomde
yō ſtelle ſor
tygt ſamot be ſomde

If my complaints, could passions move, or make love see my pure truth, I suffer wrongs ? O love I
(my passions were enough to prove), that my distraints had gotten me to long'd thy promised

lyes and dyes in thee, thy grefe in my deepe sighes still speaks, yet thou dost hear nought I dispaire
fastly glade in me, my hart for thy unkindnes breaks & thou dost thou canst my shame repaire

Can love be riche and yet I want ?
Is love my Judge and yet am I condemnde ?
thou gentle hate, yet me dost scante
thou maist a god and yet thy power can bende
that I delyne it is thy nature.
that I desire it is thy scorthe.

and when I hope thou makst me hope in vaine,
yet for redresse thou letst me still complaine,

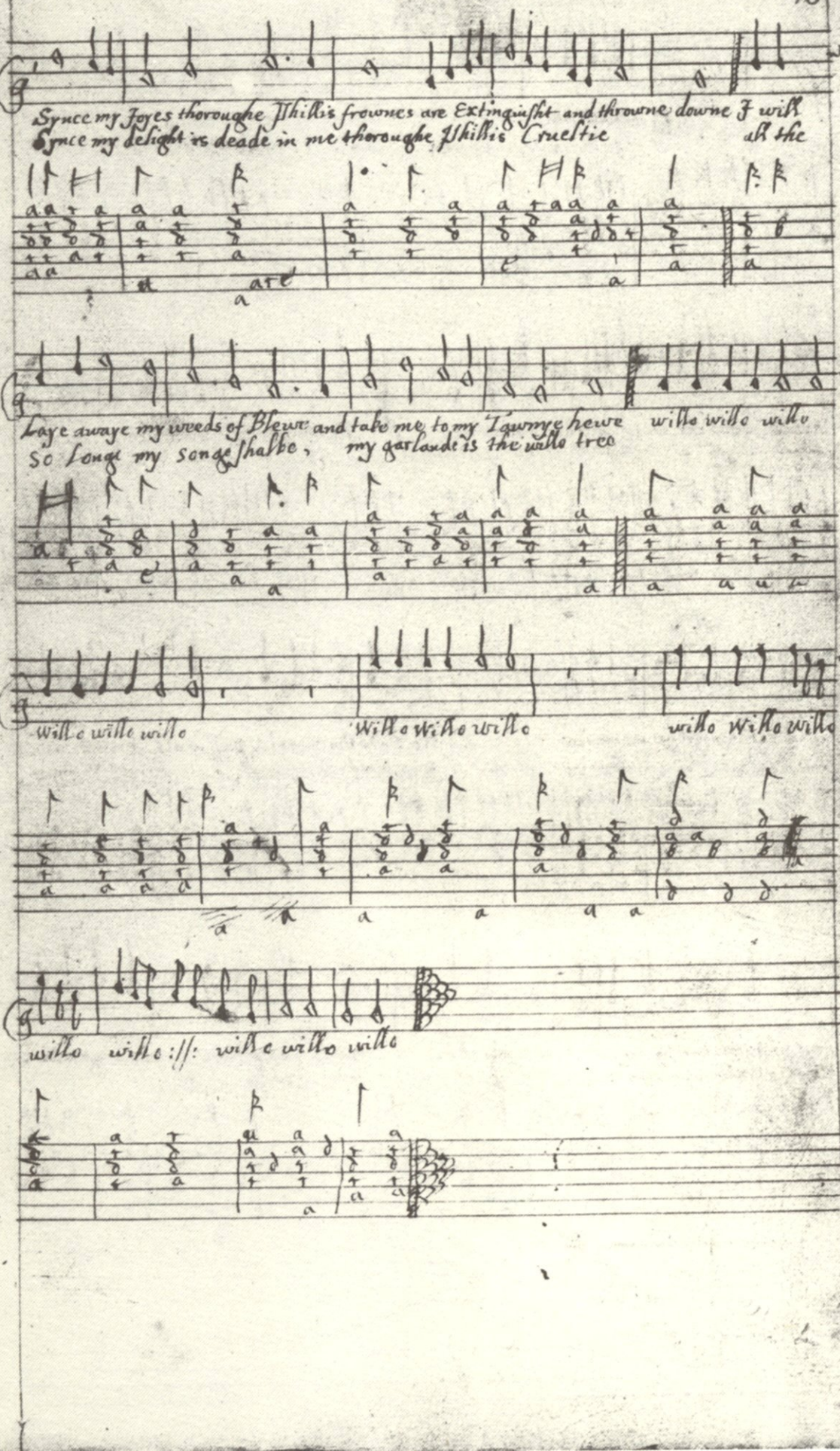
If love doth make mens hyues to swarme
let me not love nor lyue henceforthe
Die shall my hopes, but not my faithe
that yo' shall of my fall make heavers be
make heare dispaire wh truth ye faithe
I was more bouer to loue thus loue to me.

Tytadis Junos sleps nought list for me, I Joys in my virginitie and still a mayden will remaine alten=

Dyane on Dianas fraynt

Sylvanus wood a pleasant prince
I will not leade to Cupid a bride
my virgins rate I vowed to Cupid
Vntowght to bringe me to my grave.
What needs thee needs a mayde go free
Dyana of ye Gote warnes me
That many sorts depends thereon
Cupid feed Esparbs will I non.

a slave to husband to content
I am newe free I lie not daunted
a slave lest be in fraudes I dispraise
I list not so to lade my life.


Synce my Joyes thorough Phillis frownes are Extinguisht and throwne downe I will all the
Synce my delight is deade in me thorough Phillis Cruelltie
Laye awaye my weeds of Bleue and take me to my Tawnye heue willo willo willo
So longe my songe shalbe, my garlande is the willo tree
Willo willo willo
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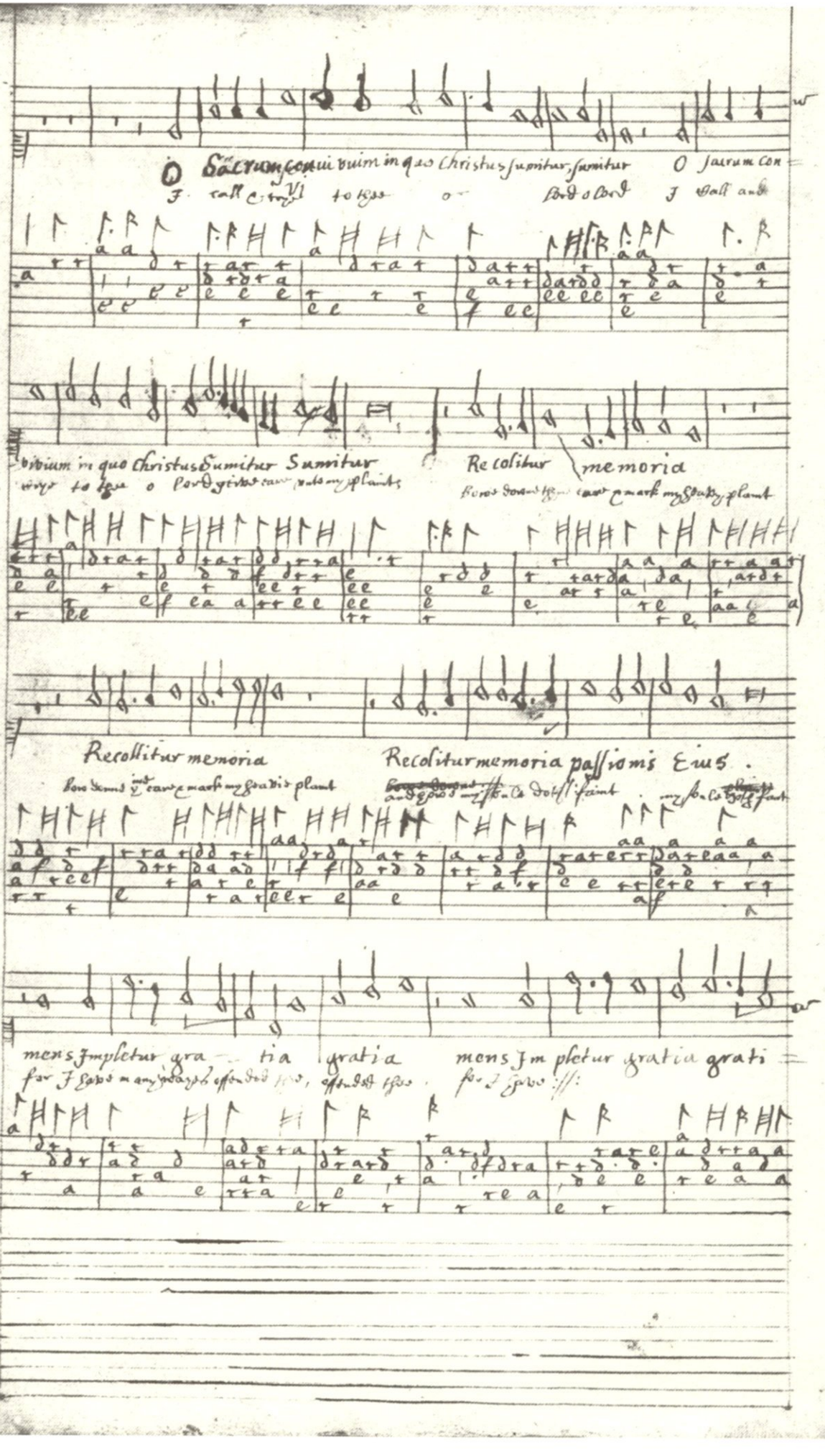
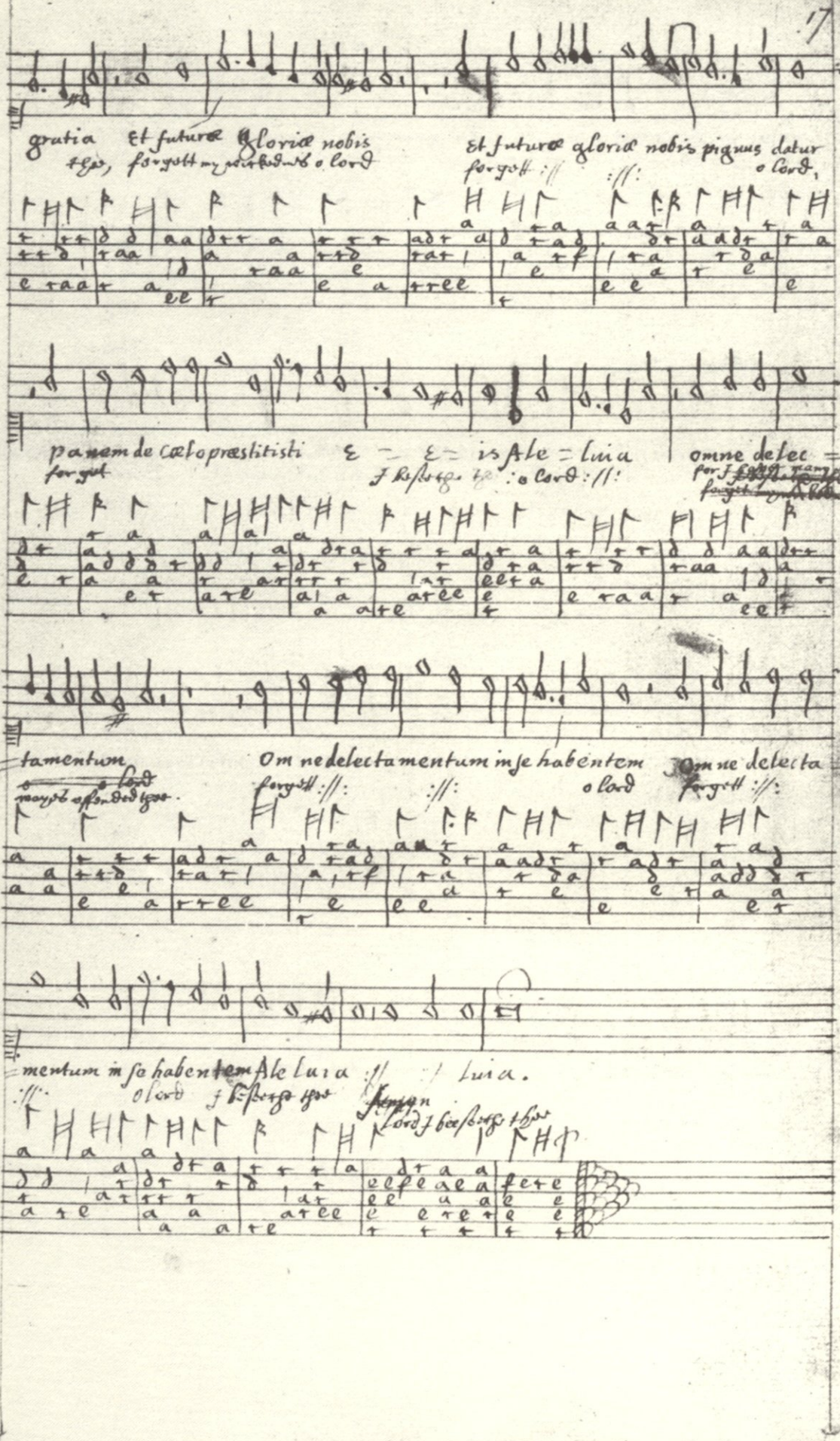

O Sacrum convivium in quo Christus sumitur, sumitur O sacrum con
I call e'en VI to thee o Lord o Lord I call and
vivium in quo Christus sumitur Sumitur
ven to thee o Lord give ear unto my plaints
Recolitur memoria
Lord Jesus thee ear e mark my Godly plaint
Recolitur memoria
Lord Jesus thee ear e mark my Godly plaint
Recolitur memoria passionis Eius.
mens Impletur gra tia gratia
for Jesus' many godly offended love, offended thee.
mens Impletur gratia grati
for Jesus :///:


gratia Et futurae gloriae nobis
Et futurae gloriae nobis pignus datur
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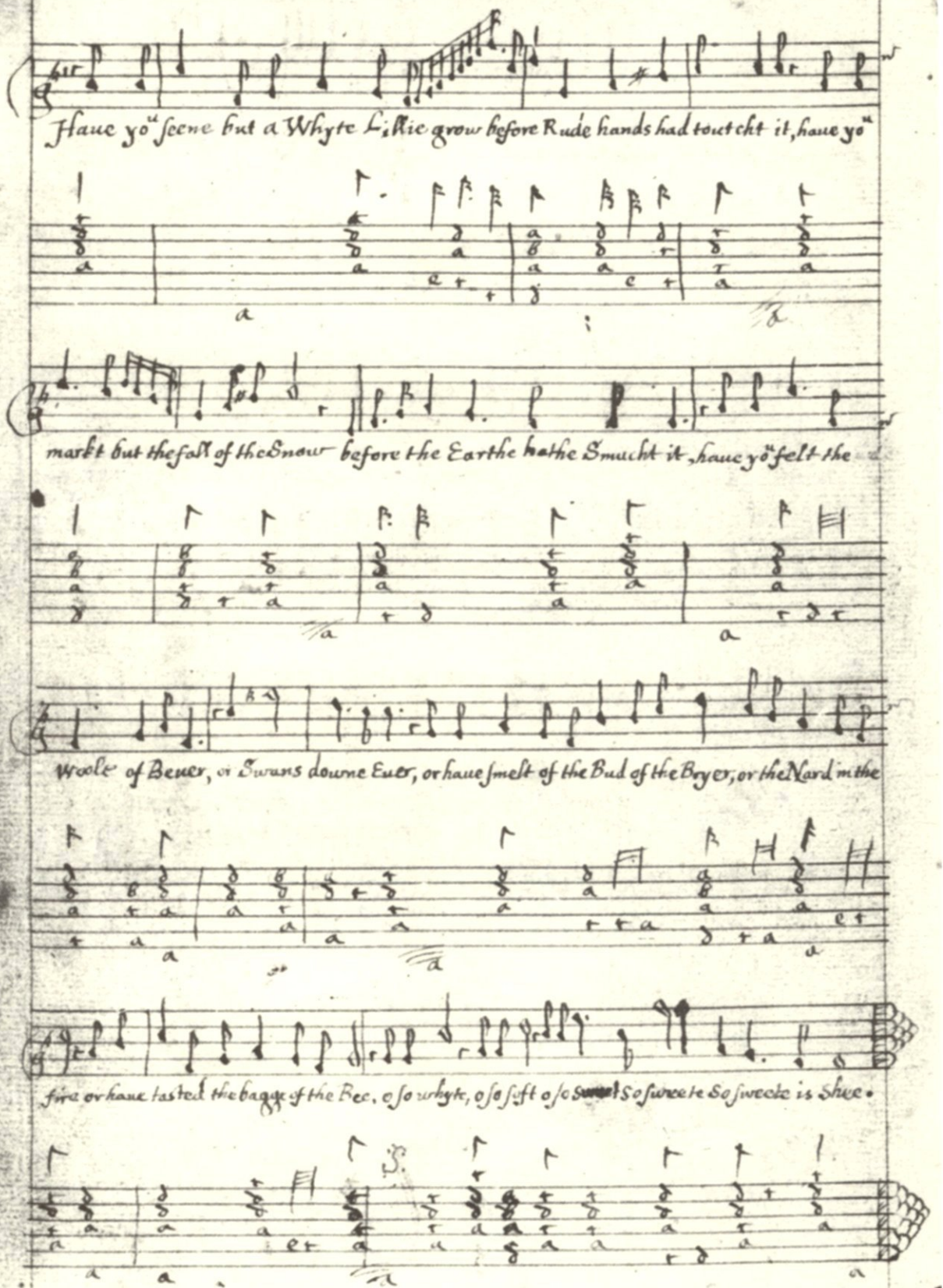
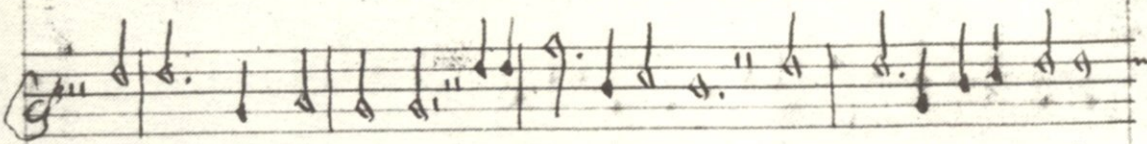
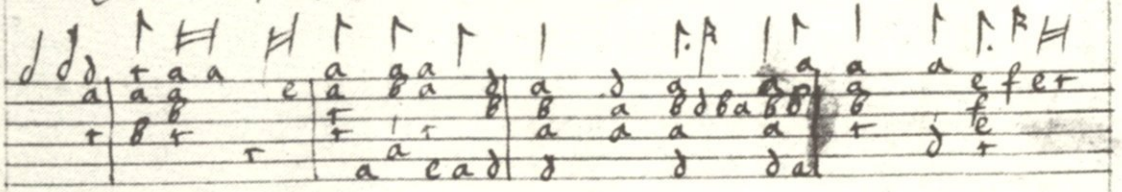
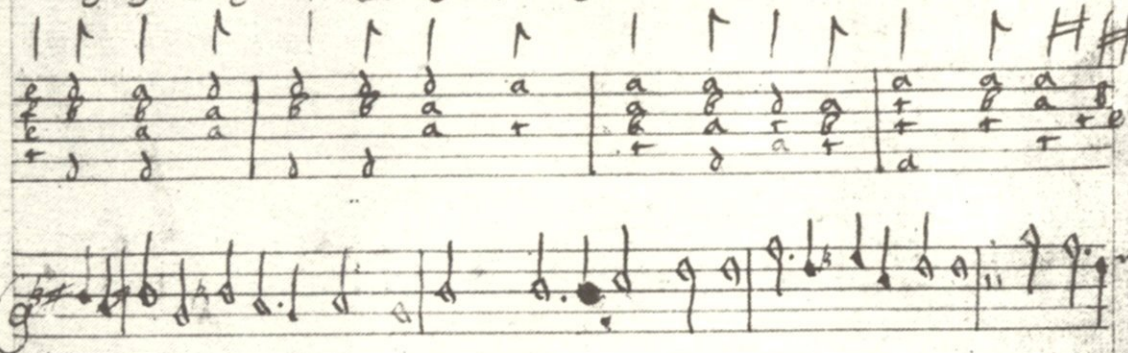

Haue yᵒᵘ seene but a Whyte Lillie grow before Rude hands had toutcht it, haue yᵒᵘ
marke but the fall of the Snow before the Earthe hathe Smucht it, haue yᵒᵘ felt the
Woole of Beuer, or Swans downe Euer, or haue smelt of the Bud of the Bryer, or the Nard in the
fire or haue tasted the bagge of the Bee. o so whyte, o so soft o so Sweete So sweete is Shee.



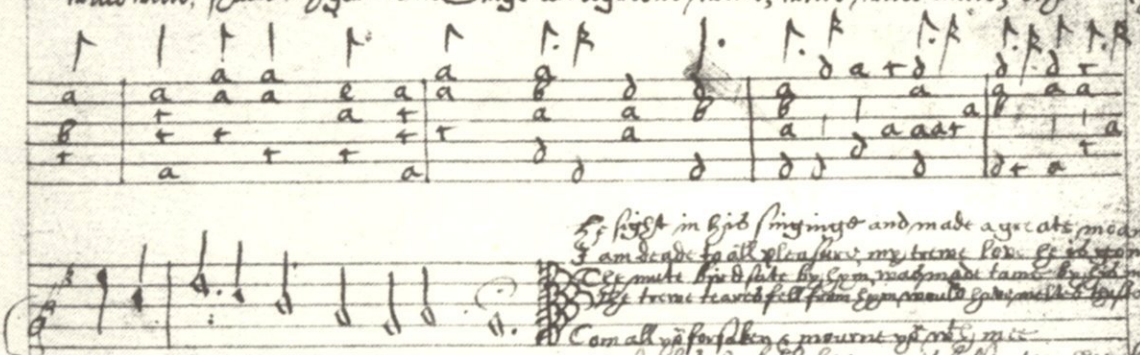
The poore bulle sate syghinge by a Sicke more tree, Singe willo, willo, willo



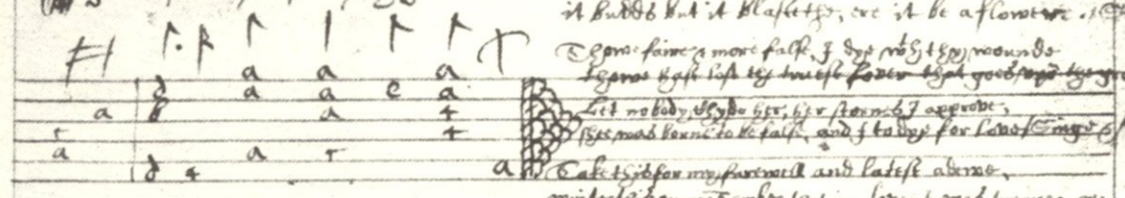
with his hand in his bosome & his head upon his knee o willo, willo :/: willo O willo willo



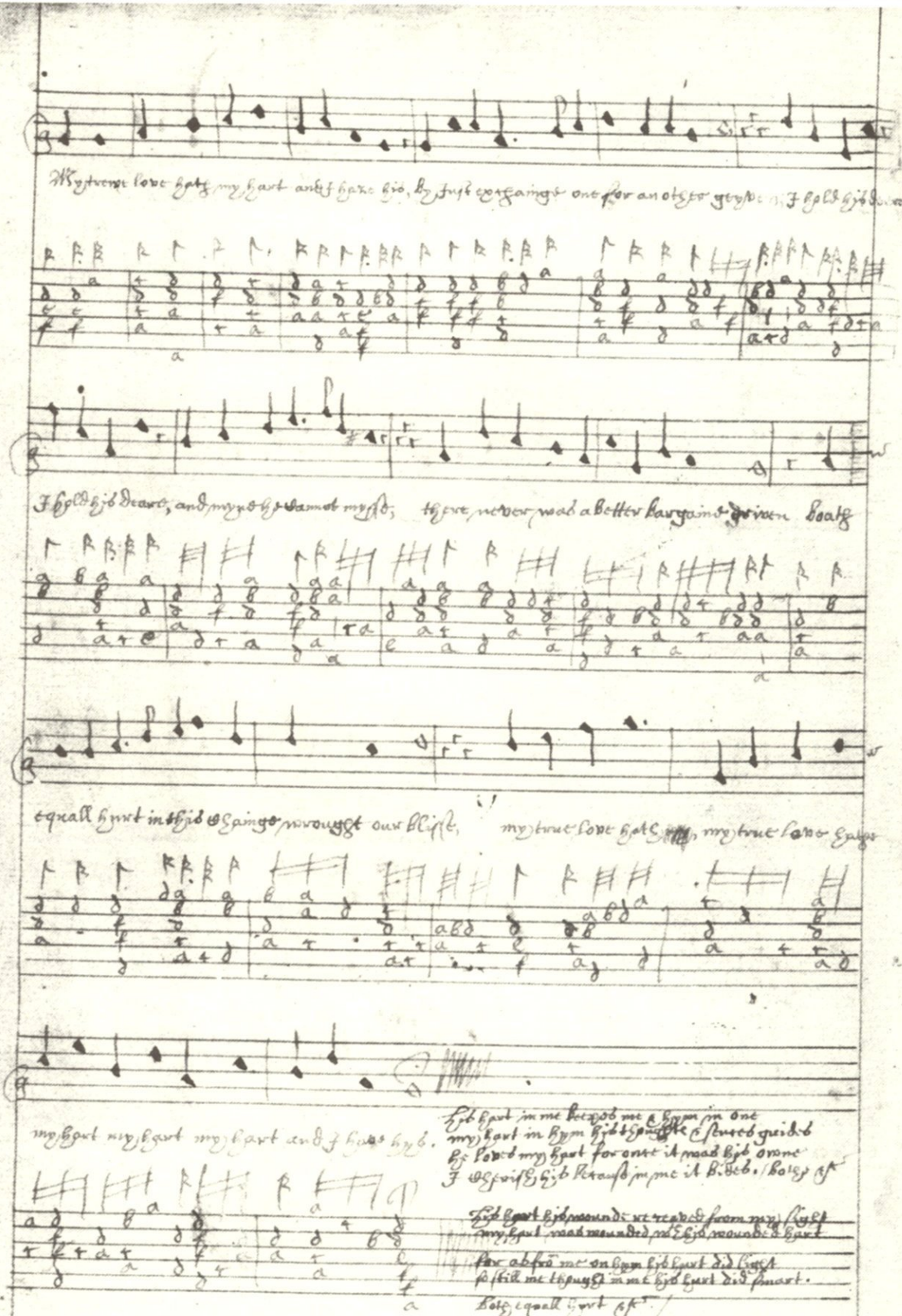
willo willo, Alle my garland Singe all a greene willo, willo, willo willo, thy me thy

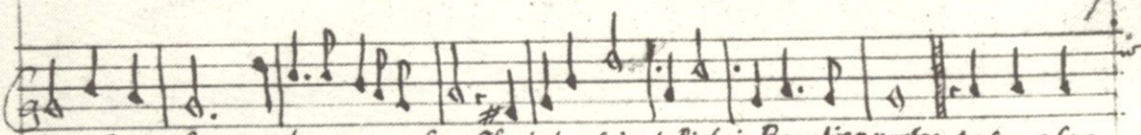


greene willo, must be, my garland

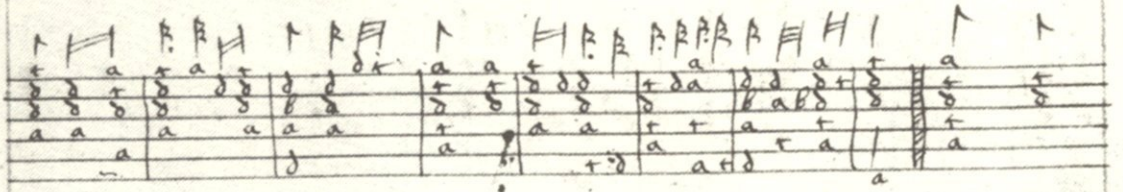


He sighst in his singings and made a great moane, Singe
I am dead to all pleasure, my treme love is gone. Sing
The mute bird sate by them, wachmade tame by kind moane
Like treme tears fell from them, meldes bosome. Sing
Com all yᵗ forsaken & mourne yᵗ wᵗ me
wᵗ speake I cos a false love, my mᵈ false then Sing
Let love no more boast her in pallas nor bower
it builds but it blasteth, ere it be a flowre. Singe
O love faine a more false, I dye wᵗ her wounds
Leaves hast his thy truest lover hast gone to the grounde. Sing
Let no body blame her, her scorne I approve,
She mad loune to be false, and I to by for love. Singe
Take this for my farewell and lattest adewe,
write this on my tombe, that in love I was true. Singe

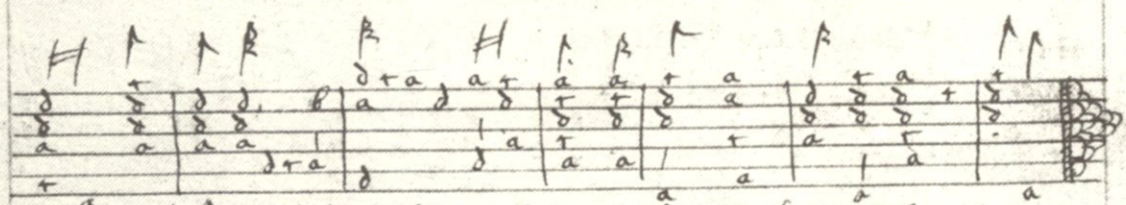

Wytwen love hath my hart and hare his, by true exchainge one for an other geyne I hold his dear
I hold his dearr, and myne he shall have myne; there never was a better bargaine driven both
equall hurt in this exchainge wrought our blisse, my true love hath my, my true love hath
my hart my hart my hart and I have his.
His hart in me keepes me & I in him in one
my hart in his with his unite & sweet quiet
he loves my hart for once it was his owne
I wish his straus in me it bides, both ar
His hart his wounds receaved from my sight
my hart was wounded with his wounded hart
for as from me on him his hart did light
so still me thought in me his hart did smart.
both equall hurt &c



J muste complaine, yet do enioye my sove, Shee is two faire to liche in Beauties partes, to frame her
hence is my greefe, for Nature whyle shee strove, with all her graces & Deerest Artes.

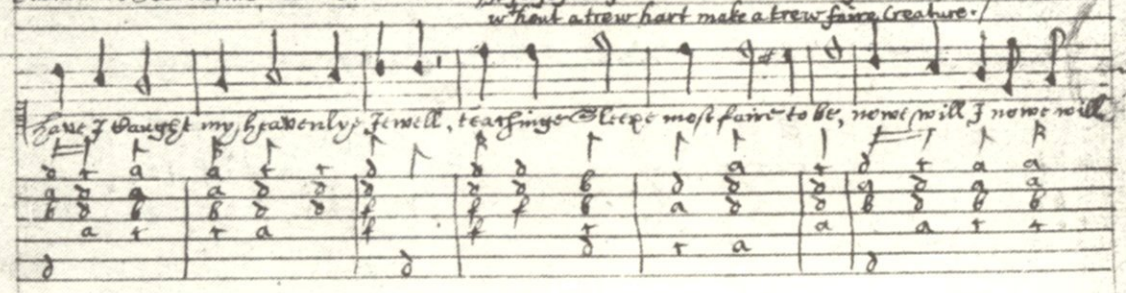


to to Beautifull of feature her to to Beautifull of hew, Shee had no seasure least to make her trewe./

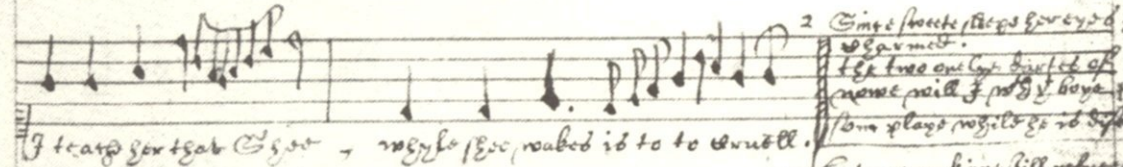


Should J haue greeued and wisht shee were lesse faire.
Shee where remaynant to my owne Desires
Shee is a myrrh J vew lovers still repaires
this Endles Daylye soves forgetfull friers,
rest Joyeless thoughts, and thus resolue at last
shee hath more Beautie, then becomes the chast.

Thus may J complaine from her Vntruthe aryse,
accusinge her of Nature loathe in one
for Beautie staynde is bodies false disguise,
a Comon Wonder with is quickelye gone,
A fasse faire face cannot with all her feature,
without a trew hart make a trew faire creature./



Sare J vaugt my heavenly Jewell, tearsinge Sleepe most faire to be, neuer will J neuer will

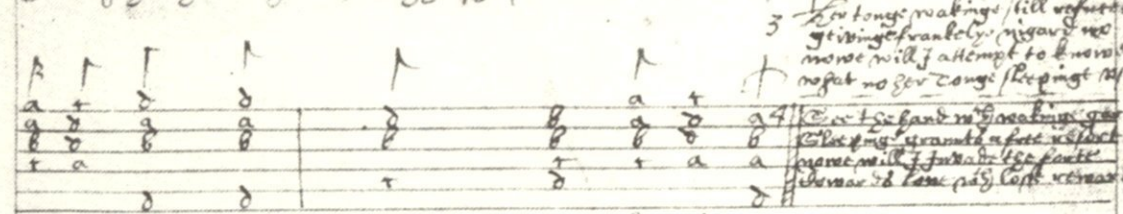


J teache yor teare Eyes weepe to weepe, waked is to to cruell.

2 Singe smoothe sleepe yor eyes & gaze
vpon me.
the tree on yor smoothe ofe loue
neuer will J prove yor boye proue
som playe while ye is asleepe.

3 Yor tonge makinge still refuse thee,
stringe franckely, niggard nee
more will J attempt to know a
noyse no yor tonge sleepinge misse.

4 Yor hande in hande sweetinge geve lettes
sleepinge graunte a free release
neuer will J inuade the sweete
wherein yor love may better



5 But oh foole thinke on the Dainger, after first a Sighe disdaine,
Neuer will J aloe refraine, loue feares nothinge elde but anger.

6 yet those lipes so sweetelye smellinge, do invite a stealinge kysse
Neuer will J but venter this, who will reape must first learne skillinge

7 Oh sweete kisse, but oh yet it wakinge, lowringe heavye, oh restrayninge me
Neuer will J for feare greate fleet, fooles, never fooles for no more takinge.

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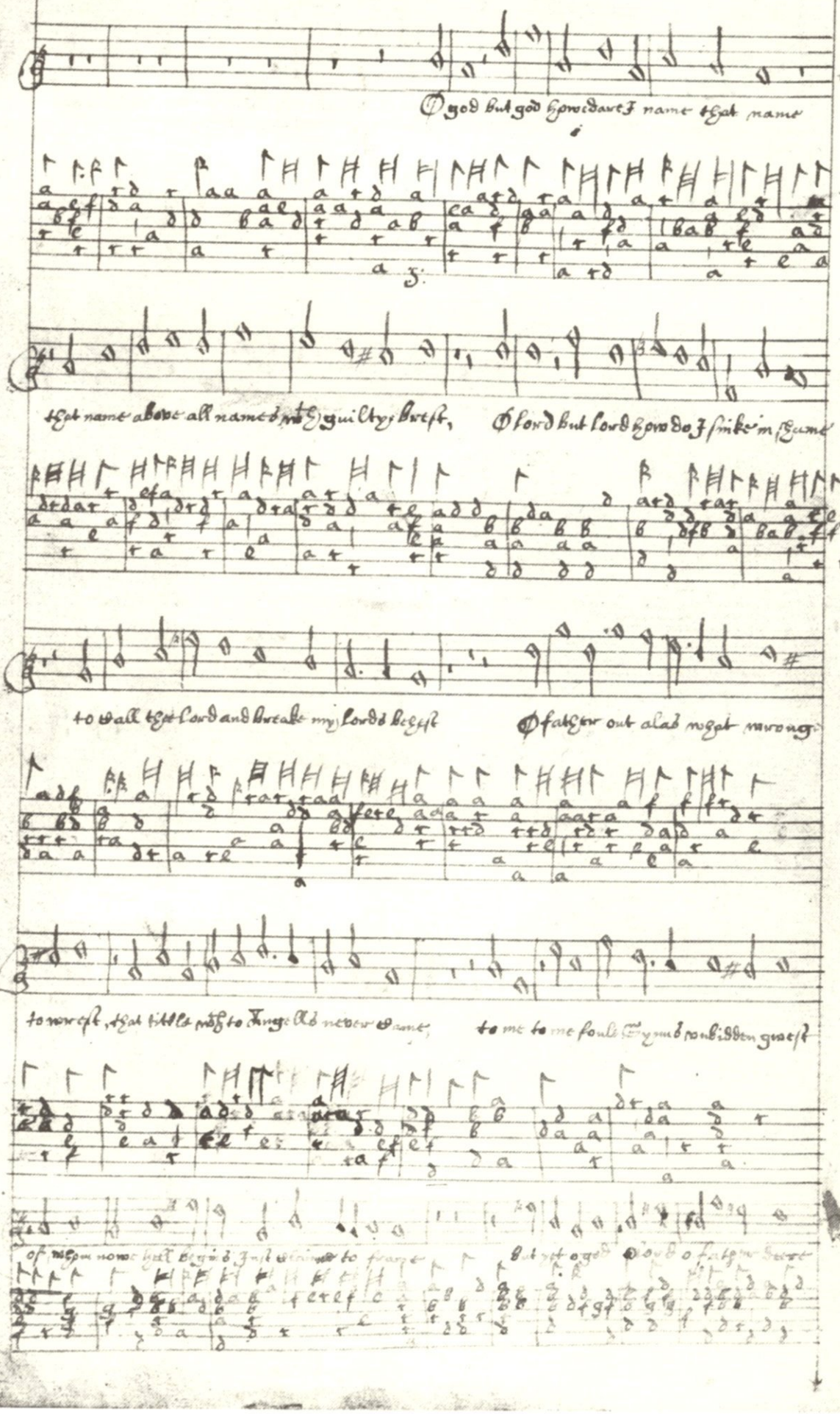
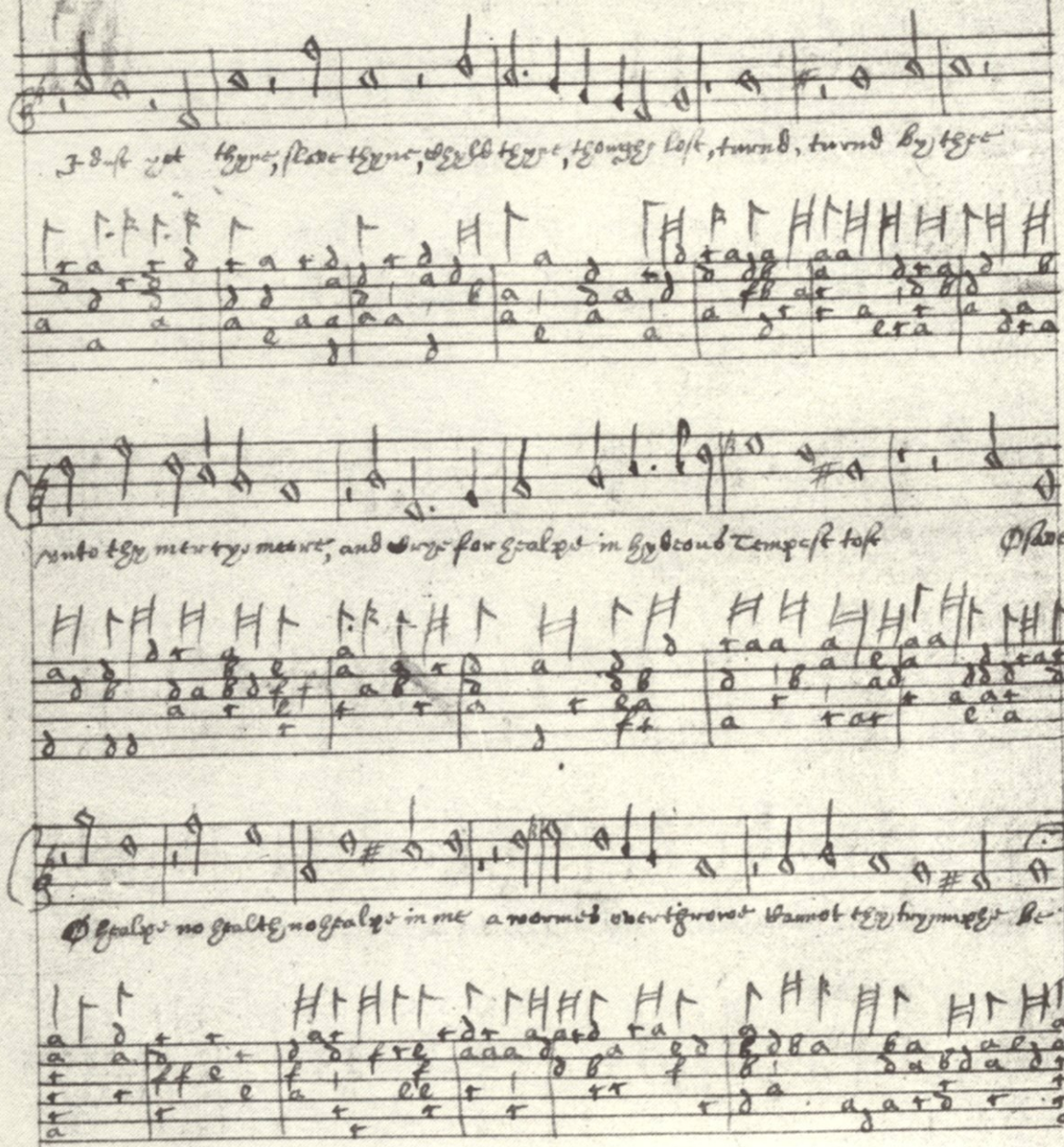
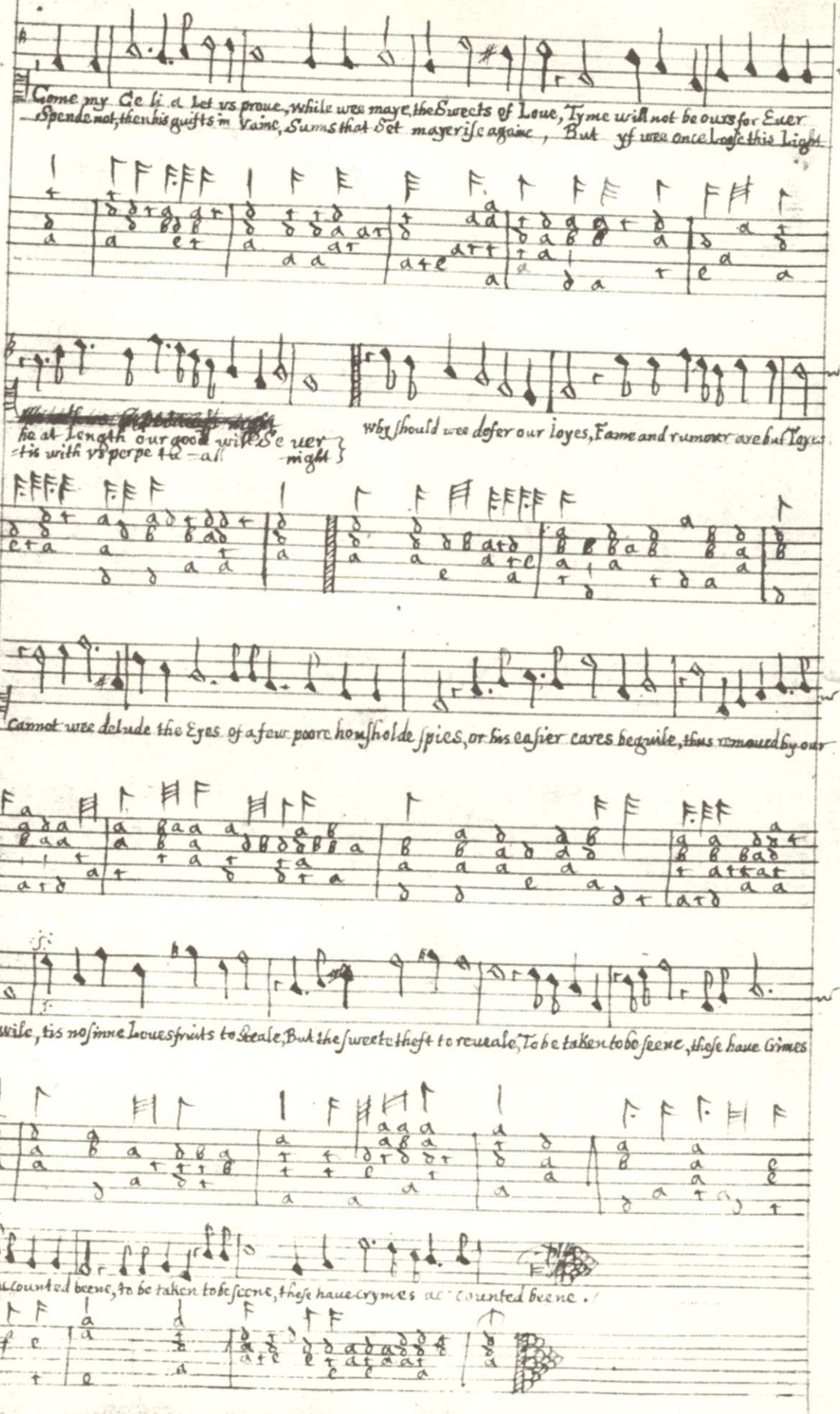
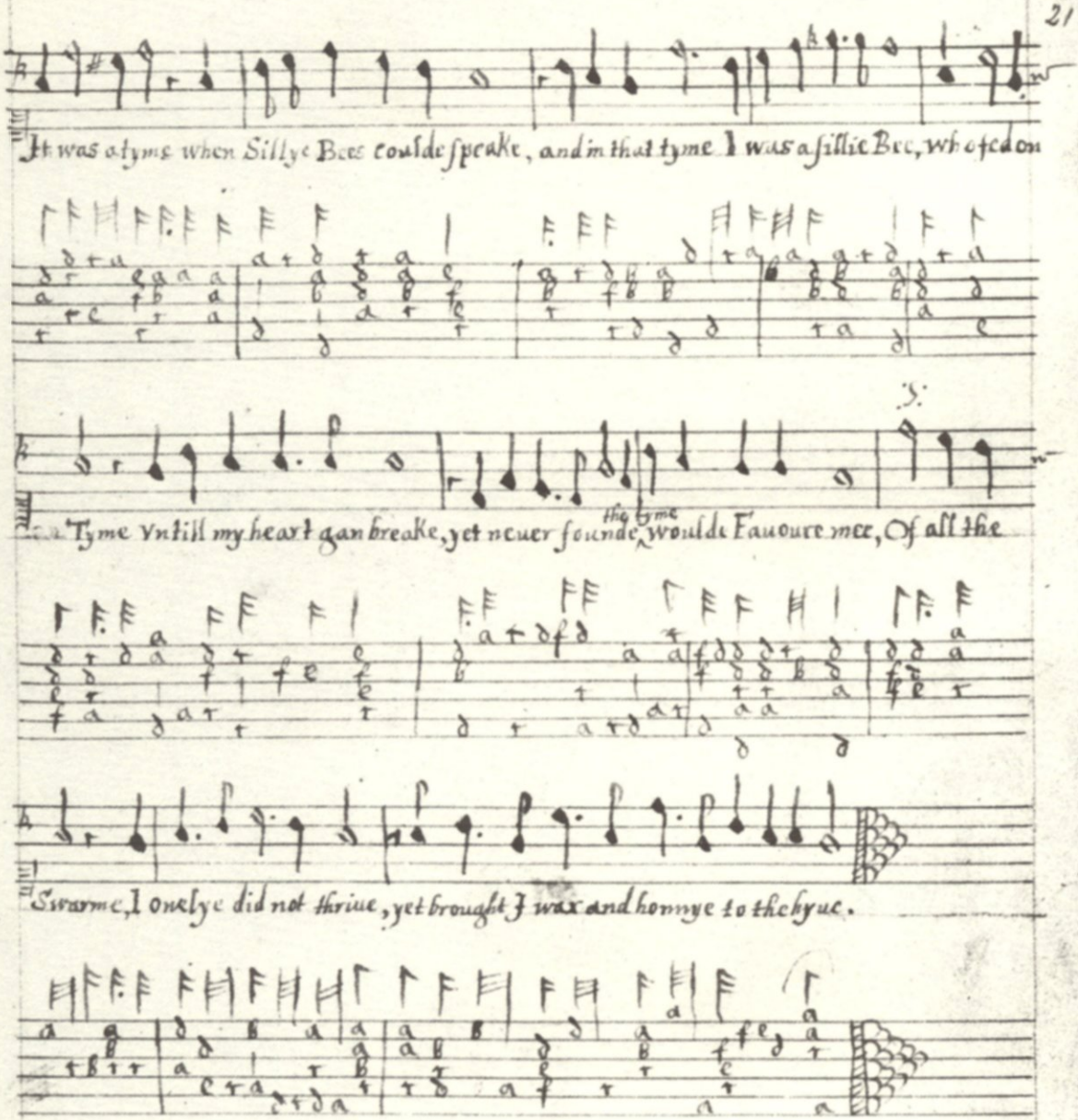
Mr Birde


O god but god how dare I name that name
that name above all names the guilty breast,
O lord but lord how do I strike in blame
to call the lord and breake my lords behest
O father out alas my sinne
to worst, that title most to Angells never came,
to me to me soule of sinne most forbidden guest
of whom none but david I will venture to praise
But yet o god O how I fall in heare

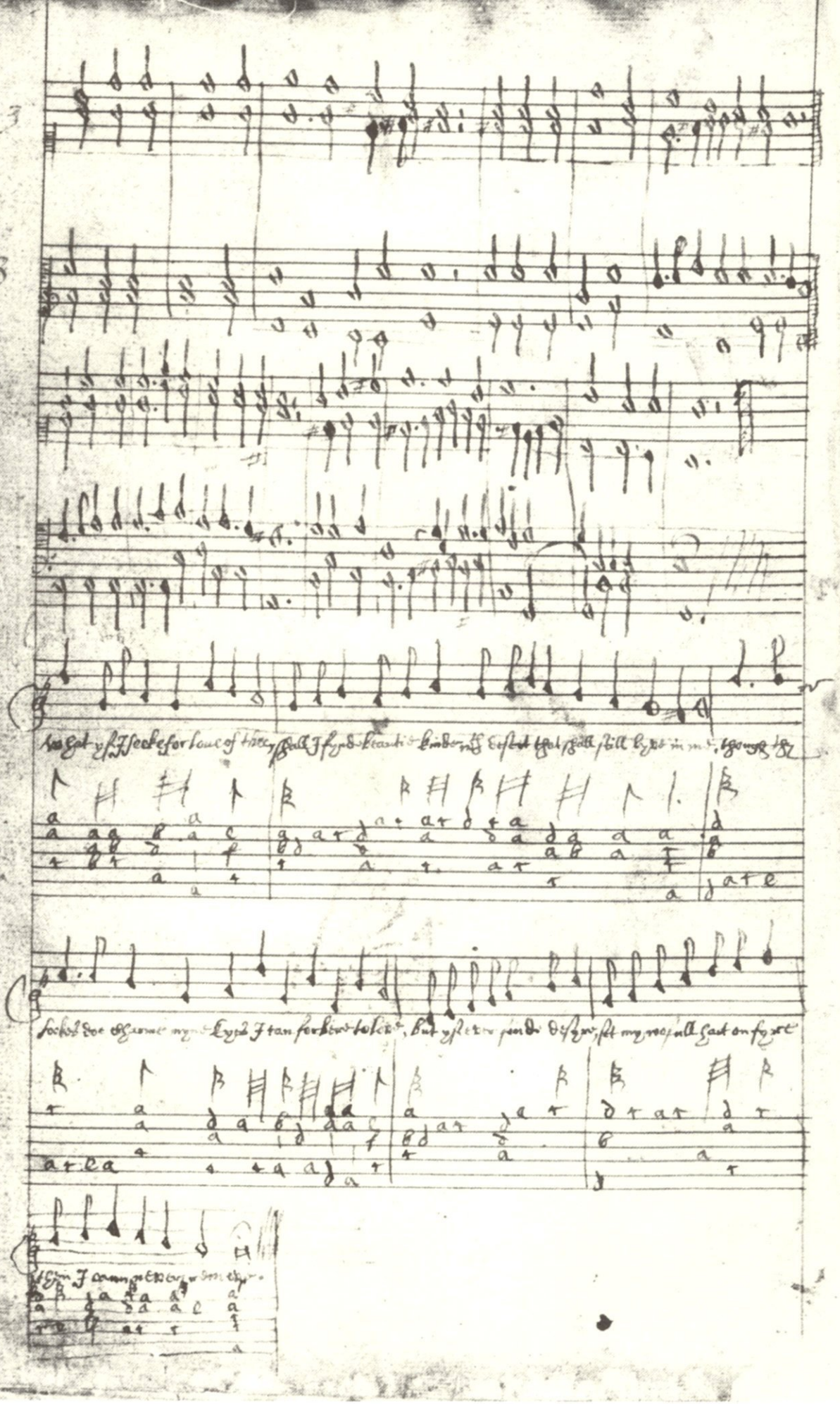

I dust yet thyne, stere thyne, wyld tyre, tongys lost, turnd, turnd by tyre
unto thy mercyys meure, and succur for thy pore in thy boud tempest tost
O stere
O pore no pore no pore in me a norrice obeyfigure wanot thy tryumphys be


Come my Celia Let vs proue, While wee maye the Swects of Loue, Tyme will not be ours for Euer
Spende not, then his guifts in vaine, Sums that Set maye rise againe, But yf wee once loose this light
Why should wee defer our loyes, Fame and rumour are but Toyes
Cannot wee delude the Eyes of a few poore houshold spies, or his easier cares beguile, thus remooued by our
Wife, tis no sinne Louesfruits to steale, But the sweete theft to reueale, To be taken to be seene, these haue Crimes
accounted beene, to be taken to be seene, these haue crymes accounted beene.



Then thus I Buzd, when Tyme no Sap would geiue,
Why should this Blessed Tyme to me be dryue,
Syth by this tyme the Lazie Drone doth liue
The wespe, the Worme, the Quail, the Butterflie,
Mated w^th greefe I Kneeled on my Knees.
And thus complayned vnte the Kinge of Bees.'

My liege Gods graunt thy Tyme maye neuer Ende,
And yet Vouchsafe to heare my plainte of Tyme.
W^th fruitles flyes haue founde to haue a frend,
And I cast downe when Stomies do clyme.
The kinge replyed but thus, peace peeuishe Bee
'Thart bounde to serue the tyme, the Tyme not thee.'



faine Would I chaunge that yete to with fond Loue hath charmd me, I longe I longe to singe by roate fancy inge

that that harmde me, yet when this thought doth come, Loue is the perfecte Sum of all delight, I have noe other choice either for

pen or voice, to singe or write.

O Loue theye wronge the muse
that sings thy prayses so ill the
world can by no meanes admire it sung
as thou deserues to be sweet boy
faine would the pen & voice
express the greatest pleasure id
I do adore thee
I burne the purest incense
I make the altar

Jurat[us] primo
die Julij 22° Jo
Rex nunc Dotis
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Mr ffloyd & Jane Scarrod the Dowgt
offic attending to ye desire for a iudgt and
ye suite of Gloster Chyrurgion by Mr Dobey
but there not appearing there to be fore
Witness nothing in Bar 3° hund 3° or tyed
Pasch 7 5° 6 dissuis 5° die maij 20° Car

Thear was a man and hee was Dead
Hee run three myls w[i]thout his head
O Lie Lie Lie alie Lie and is not
this a monstrous Lie &c &c &c
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