

Rest, sweet nymphs

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Rest, sweet nymphs, let gold- en sleep charm your star- bright- er

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eyes While my lute the watch doth keep with pleas- ing sym- path-

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ies, Lul- la, lul- la- by, lul- la, lul- la- by,

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Sleep sweet- ly, sleep sweet- ly, let noth- ing af- fright ye,

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in calm con- tent- ment lie, Lul- la,

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lul- la- by, lul- la, lul- la- by, Sleep sweet- ly,

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sleep sweet- ly, let noth- ing af- fright ye, in

29

calm con- tent- ment lie. Dream, fair vir- gins,

33

of de- light and blest E- lys- ian groves

37

While the wand'- ring shades of night re- sem- ble your true loves. Lul- la,

41

lul- la- by, lul- la, lul- la- by, Your kiss- es,

45

your bliss- es, send them by your wish- es, al-

49

though they be not nigh, Lul- la, lul- la- by,

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lul- la, lul- la- by. Your kiss- es, your bliss- es,

57

send them by your wish-es, al- 3 though they be not nigh.

Rest, sweet nymphs (lute)

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Lute in G

9

16

25

34

40

47

54

The musical score is written for lute in G and consists of 54 measures. It is divided into systems of three staves each. The notation includes various musical symbols such as notes, rests, and accidentals, along with fingerings and articulations. Measure numbers 9, 16, 25, 34, 40, 47, and 54 are indicated at the start of their respective systems.

Rest, sweet nymphs (voice)

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Rest, sweet nymphs, let gold- en sleep charm your star- bright-er eyes

6 While my lute the watch doth keep with pleas- ing sym- path- ies, Lul- la,

10 lul- la- by, lul- la, lul- la- by, Sleep sweet- ly, sleep sweet- ly,

15 let noth- ing af- fright ye, in calm con- tent- ment

20 lie, Lul- la, lul- la- by, lul- la, lul- la- by, Sleep sweet- ly,

25 sleep sweet- ly, let noth- ing af- fright ye, in calm con-

30 tent- ment lie. Dream, fair vir- gins, of de- light and

35 blest E- lys- ian groves While the wand'- ring shades of night re-

39 sem- ble your true loves. Lul- la, lul- la- by, lul- la,

43 lul- la- by, Your kiss- es, your bliss- es, send them by your wish- es,

48 al- though they be not nigh, Lul- la, lul- la- by,

53 lul- la, lul- la- by. Your kiss- es, your bliss- es, send them by

58 your wish- es, al- though they be not nigh.