

# Though Amarillis dance in green a 5

William Byrd 1540-1623

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Though A - ma - ril - lis dance in green,  
My sheep are lost for want of food,  
Her lov - ing lookes, her beau - tie bright,  
Ah wan - ton eyes my friend - ly foes,  
Love yee who list I force him not,

Though A - ma - ril - lis dance in green,  
My sheep are lost for want of food,  
Her lov - ing lookes, her beau - tie bright,  
Ah wan - ton eyes my friend - ly foes,  
Love yee who list I force him not,

Though A - ma - ril - lis dance in green, like Fai - ry Queen,  
My sheep are lost for want of food, My sheep are lost for want of food, and I so wood,  
Her lov - ing lookes, her beau - tie bright, Her lov - ing lookes, her beau - tie bright, is such de - light,  
Ah wan - ton eyes my friend - ly foes, Ah wan - ton eyes my friend - ly foes, and cause of woes,  
Love yee who list I force him not, Love yee who list I force him not, sith God is wot,

Though A - ma - ril - lis dance in green, dance in green, like Fai - ry  
My sheep are lost for want of food, want of food, and I  
Her lov - ing lookes, her beau - tie bright, her beau - tie bright, is such  
Ah wan - ton eyes my friend - ly foes, my friend - ly foes, and cause  
Love yee who list I force him not, force him not, sith God

Though A - ma - ril - lis dance in green, in green, dance in green, like Fai -  
My sheep are lost for want of food, of food, want of food, and I  
Her lov - ing lookes, her beau - tie bright, her beau - tie bright, is such  
Ah wan - ton eyes my friend - ly foes, my friend - ly foes, and cause  
Love yee who list I force him not, I force him not, sith God

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Queen, and sing full clear, Cor - in - na can with smil - ing  
wood, that all the day, I sit and watch a heard - maid  
light, that all in vaine, I love to like and lose my  
woes, your sweet de - sire, and more I wayle, breeds flames of ice and breece in pre -

Queen, like Fai - ry Queen, and sing full clear, Cor - in - na can with smil - ing  
wood, and I so wood, that all the day, I sit and watch a heard - maid  
light, is such de - light, that all in vaine, I love to like and lose my  
woes, and cause of woes, your sweet de - sire, and more I wayle, breeds flames of ice and breece in pre -

and sing full clear, full clear, and sing full clear, Cor - in - na can with smil - ing  
that all the day, the day, that all the day, I sit and watch a heard - maid  
that all in vaine, in vaine, that all in vaine, I love to like and lose my  
your sweet de - sire, de - sire, your sweet de - sire, breeds flames of ice and breece in pre -

ry Queen, and sing full clear, Cor - in - na can with smil - ing  
so wood, that all the day, I sit and watch a heard - maid  
de - light, that all in vaine, I love to like and lose my  
of woes, your sweet de - sire, breeds flames of ice and breece in pre -

ry Queen, and sing full clear, and sing full clear, Cor - in - na can with smil - and  
so wood, that all the day, that all the day, I sit and watch a heard - maid  
de - light, that all in vaine, that all in vaine, I love to like and lose my  
of woes, your sweet de - sire, your sweet de - sire, breeds flames of the lesse of my

cheer,  
 gaye,  
 gaine,  
 fire,  
 vaile,  
 yet since her eyes make  
 who laughs to see me  
 for her that thanks mee  
 yee skorne to see mee  
 what shall I doe but  
 can with smil - ing cheer, with smil - ing cheer,  
 watch a heard - maid gaye, a heard - maid gaye,  
 like and lose my gaine, and lose my gaine,  
 ice and freece in fire, and freece in fire,  
 sighes and teares pre - vaile, and teares pre - vaile,  
 yet since her eyes make  
 who laughs to see me  
 for her that thanks mee  
 yee skorne to see mee  
 what shall I doe but  
 smil - ing cheer, with smil - ing cheer,  
 heard - maid gaye, a heard - maid gaye,  
 lose my gaine, and lose my gaine,  
 freece in fire, and freece in fire,  
 teares pre - vaile, and teares pre - vaile,  
 yet since her eyes make  
 who laughs to see me  
 for her that thanks mee  
 yee skorne to see mee  
 what shall I doe but  
 cheer, with smil - ing cheer, with smil - ing cheer,  
 gaye, a heard - maid gaye, a heard - maid gaye,  
 gaine, and lose my gaine, and lose my gaine,  
 fire, and freece in fire, and freece in fire,  
 vaile, and teares pre - vaile, and teares pre - vaile,  
 yet since her eyes make  
 who laughs to see me  
 for her that thanks mee  
 yee skorne to see mee  
 what shall I doe but  
 can with smil - ing cheer, with smil - ing cheer,  
 watch a heard - maid gaye, a heard - maid gaye,  
 like and lose my gaine, and lose my gaine,  
 ice and freece in fire, and freece in fire,  
 sighes and teares pre - vaile, and teares pre - vaile,  
 yet since her eyes make  
 who laughs to see me  
 for her that thanks mee  
 yee skorne to see mee  
 what shall I doe but

heart so sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 sigh and sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 not there - fore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 weep so sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 say there - fore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 heart so sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 sigh and sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 not there - fore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 weep so sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 say there - fore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 heart so sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 sigh and sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 not there - fore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 weep so sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 but say there - fore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 heart so sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 sigh and sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 not there - fore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 weep so sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 say there - fore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 \* chill=ich will

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hey, ho, chill love no more, chill love no more, chill love no  
more, chill love no more, no more, chill love no more, chill love no more,  
hey, ho, chill love no more, no more, chill love no more, chill love no  
more, hey, ho, chill love no more, chill love no more, no more, chill love no  
more, ho, chill love no more, hey, ho, chill love no more, chill love no more,

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more, no more, hey, ho chill love no more, chill love no more,  
chill love no more, hey, ho chill love no more, chill love no more,  
no more, no more, hey, ho chill love no more, more, no more, hey, ho chill  
more, no more, hey, ho chill love no more, no more, hey, ho chill  
no more, more, hey, ho chill love no more, no more, hey, ho chill  
no more, more, hey, ho chill love no more, hey, ho, chill love no more,

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more, hey, ho chill love no more, chill  
chill love no more, no more, hey, ho chill love no more, no more,  
love hey, ho chill love no more, chill love no more, no more, chill love no  
8 ho chill love no more, no more, hey, ho chill love no more, chill love no  
chill love no more, hey, ho chill love no more, hey, ho chill love no

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love no more, chill love no more, no more, chill love no more.  
chill love no more, chill love no more, no more, no more, chill love no more.  
more, chill love no more, chill love no more, chill love no more, no more, no more.  
8 more, no more, chill love no more, no more, chill love no more, more.  
more, chill love no more, chill love no more, no more, chill love no more.

## Cantus

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Though A - ma - ril - lis dance in green, like Fai - ry  
 My sheep are lost for want of food, and I so  
 Her lov - ing lookes, her beau - tie bright,  
 Ah wan - ton eyes my friend - ly foes,  
 Love yee who list I force him not,  
 sith God is

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Queen, like Fai - ry Queen, and sing full clear, and sing full  
 wood, and I so wood, that all the day, that all the  
 light, is such de - light, that all in vaine, that all in  
 woes, and cause of woes, your sweet de - sire, your sweet de -  
 wot, sith God is wot, and more I wayle, and more I

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clear, Cor - in - na can with smil - ing cheer, with smil - ing cheer,  
 day, I sit and watch a heard - maid gaye, a heard - maid gaye,  
 vaine, I love to like and lose my gaine, and lose my gaine,  
 sire, breeds flames of ice and freece in fire, and freece in fire,  
 wayle, the lesse my sighes and teares pre - vaile, and teares pre - vaile,

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yet since her eyes make heart so sore, Hey, ho, chill  
 who laughs to see me sigh and sore,  
 for her that thanks mee not there fore,  
 yee skorne to see mee weep so sore,  
 what shall I doe but say there fore,

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love hey, ho, chill love no more, chill love no more, no more, chill love no

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more, chill love no more, chill love no more, hey, ho chill love no

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more, chill love no more, chill love no more, no more, hey, ho chill love

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no more, no more, chill love no more, chill love no more, no more, no more,

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more, chill love no more.

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Though A - ma - ril - lis dance in green, Though A - ma - ril - lis  
 My sheep are lost for want of food, My sheep are lost for  
 Her lov - ing lookes, her beau - tie bright, Her lov - ing lookes, her  
 Ah wan - ton eyes my friend - ly foes, Ah wan - ton eyes my  
 Love yee who list I force him not, Love yee who list I

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dance in green, like Fai - ry Queen, and sing full clear, full clear, and sing full  
 want of food, and I so wood, that all the day, the day, that all the  
 beau - tie bright, is such de - light, that all in vaine, in vaine, that all in  
 friend - ly foes, and cause of woes, your sweet de - sire, de - sire, your sweet de -  
 force him not, sith God is wot, and more I wayle, I wayle, and more I

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clear, Cor - in - - - na can with smil - ing cheer, with smil - ing  
 day, I sit and watch a heard - maid gaye, a heard - maid  
 vaine, I love to like and lose my gaine, and lose my  
 sire, breeds flames of ice and freece in fire, and freece in  
 wayle, the lesse my sighes and teares pre - vaile, and teares pre - - - -

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cheer, yet since her eyes make heart so sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more, no  
 gaye, who laughs to see me sigh and sore,  
 gaine, for her that thanks mee not there - fore,  
 fire, yee skorne to see mee weep so sore,  
 vaile, what shall I doe but say there - fore,

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more, chill love no more, no more, hey, ho, chill love no more, no more,  
 chill love no more, chill love no more, no more, hey, ho chill love no

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chill love no more, chill love no more, no more, no more, hey, ho chill love no

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more, no more, hey, ho chill love hey, ho chill love no more, chill love no

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more, no more, chill love no more, chill love no more, chill love

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chill love no more, more.

Tenor

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8 Though A - ma - ril - lis dance in green, dance in green,  
 My sheep are lost for want of food, want of food,  
 Her lov - ing lookes, her beau - tie bright, her beau - tie bright,  
 Ah wan - ton eyes my friend - ly foes, my friend - ly foes,  
 Love yee who list I force him not, force him not,

5 like Fai - - - ry Queen, and sing full clear, Cor - in - na  
 and I so wood, that all the day, I sit and  
 is such de - light, that all in vaine, I love to  
 and cause of woes, your sweet de - sire, breeds flames of  
 sith God is wot, and more I wayle, the lesse my

10 can with smil - ing cheer, with smil - ing cheer, with smil - ing cheer, yet  
 watch a heard - maid gaye, a heard - maid gaye, a heard - maid gaye, who  
 like and lose my gaine, and lose my gaine, and lose my gaine, for  
 ice and freece in fire, and freece in fire, and freece in fire,  
 sighes and teares pre - vaile, and teares pre - vaile, and teares pre - vaile, yee what

14 since her eyes make heart so sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more, hey,  
 laughs to see me sigh and sore,  
 her that thanks mee not there - fore,  
 skorne to see mee weep so sore,  
 shall I doe but say there - fore,

19 ho, chill love no more, no more, more, hey, ho, chill love no more, chill love no  
 more, no more, chill love no more, more, more, hey,

24 more, no more, chill love no more, no more, more, hey,

29 ho chill love no more, hey, ho chill love no more, no more, more, hey,

34 ho chill love no more, chill love no more, no more, more, chill love no

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 My sheep are lost for want of food, of food, want of food, and  
 Her lov - ing lookes, her beau - tie bright, her beau - tie bright, is  
 Ah wan - ton eyes my friend - ly foes, my friend - ly foes, and  
 Love yee who list I force him not, I force him not, sith

Fai - - - - ry Queen, and sing full clear, and sing full clear, Cor -  
 I so wood, that all the day, that all the day, I  
 such de - light, that all in vaine, that all in vaine, I  
 cause of woes, your sweet de - sire, your sweet de - sire, breeds  
 God is wot, and more I wayle, and more I wayle, the

in - na can with smil - ing cheer, with smil - ing cheer, yet since  
 sit and watch a heard - maid gaye, a heard-maid gaye, who laughs  
 love to like and lose my gaine, and lose my gaine, for her  
 flames of ice and freece in fire, and freece in fire, yee skorne  
 lesse my sighes and teares pre - vaile, and teares pre - - - - vaile, what shall

her eyes make heart so sore, Hey, ho, chill love no more,  
 to see me sigh and sore,  
 that thanks mee not there - fore,  
 to see mee weep so sore,  
 I doe but say there - fore,

chill love no more, hey, ho, chill love no more, hey, ho, chill love no  
 more, chill love no more, no more, hey,  
 ho, chill love no more, chill love no more, hey, ho chill love no more, hey,  
 ho chill love no more, no more, hey,  
 ho chill love no more, more, chill love no more, no more, hey,  
 more,

more,

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