

Come, come let us drink

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Voice 1
Come, come let us drink, let us drink, let us drink, let us drink, 'tis in vain_ to

Voice 2

Voice 3

Harpsichord

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think like_ fools on grief or sad-ness let our mo-ney fly_ and our sor-rows

Harpsichord

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die, all world-ly care care is mad-ness, But wine, wine wine, wine

Come, come let us drink, let us drink,

Harpsichord

wine _____ and good cheer wil in spite of our fear, in - spi _____ re our hearts with
 let us drink, let us drink, 'tis in vain_ to think like _____ fools on grief or

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mirth boys, the time_ we live to_ wine to_ wine, let us give since all, all, since
 sad - ness let our mo - ney fly _____ and our sor - rows die, _____ all

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all_ must turn_ to earth boys, hand, hand a-bout hand, hand a-bout
 world-ly care care is mad-ness, But wine, wine wine, wine
 Come, come let us drink, let us drink,

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hand, hand-a-bout the bowl, the de-light of my soul and_ to_ my_ hand, to my hand com -
 wine_____ and good cheer wil in spite of our fear, in - spi_____ re our hearts with
 let us drink, let us drink, 'tis in vain___ to think like_____ fools on grief or

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mend it, a fig, a_ fig_ for_ chinck'twas made to buy drink and be-fo_____
 mirth boys, the time_ we live to_ wine to_ wine, let us give since all, all, since
 sad - ness let our mo - ney fly_____ and our sor - rows die,_____ all

re we go_ hence we'll spent it. Come, come let us drink, let us drink,
 all_ must turn_ to earth boys, hand, hand a-bout hand, hand a-bout
 world-ly care care is mad - ness, But wine, wine wine, wine

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let us drink, let us drink, 'tis in vain to think like fools on grief or
hand, hand-a-bout the bowl, the de-light of my soul and to my hand, to my hand com-
wine and good cheer wil in spite of our fear, in-spi re our hearts with

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sad-ness let our mo-ney fly and our sor-rows
mend it, a fig, a fig for chinck 'twas made to buy
mirth boys, the time we live to wine to wine, let us

die, all world-ly care care is mad-ness,
drink and be-fore we go hence we'll spent it.
give since all, all, since all must turn to earth boys,