

# O Care, thou wilt despatch me

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Alto recorder

Tenor recorder 1

Tenor recorder 2

Bass Recorder

Greatbass Recorder



O Care, thou wilt des-

O Care, thou wilt despatch me, thou wilt des -

O Care, thou wilt despatch me, thou wilt des - patch me,

O Care, thou wilt despatch me, O, O Care, thou

Care, thou



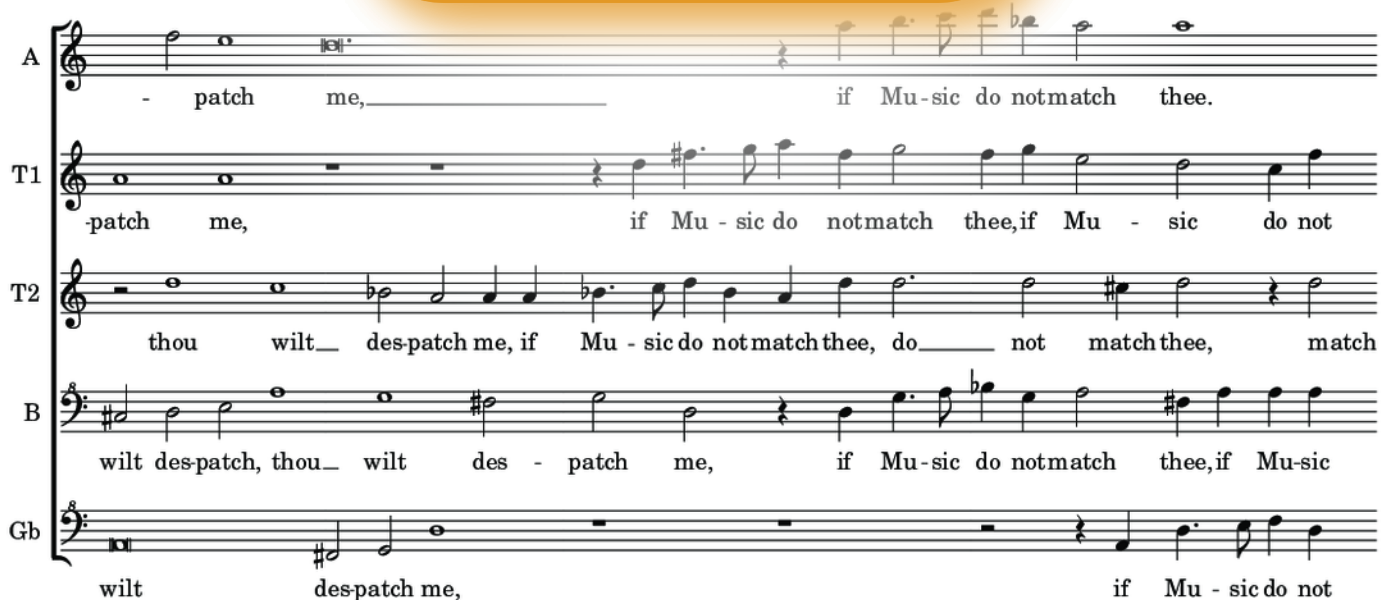
A

T1

T2

B

Gb



- patch me, if Mu-sic do not match thee.

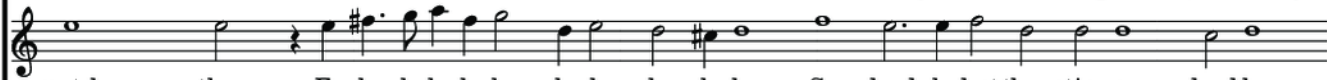
patch me, if Mu - sic do not match thee, if Mu - sic do not

thou wilt despatch me, if Mu - sic do not match thee, do not match thee, match

wilt despatch, thou wilt des - patch me, if Mu-sic do not match thee, if Mu-sic

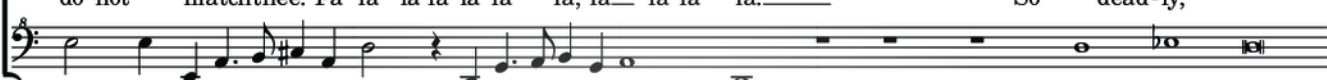
wilt despatch me, if Mu - sic do not

A  Fa la la la la la la. So dead - ly dost thou sting me, so dead - ly

T1  match thee. Fa la la la la la la la la. So dead - ly dost thou sting, so dead - ly

T2  \_\_\_ thee. Fa la la la la la la la la la la la. So dead - ly dost thou sting, so dead -

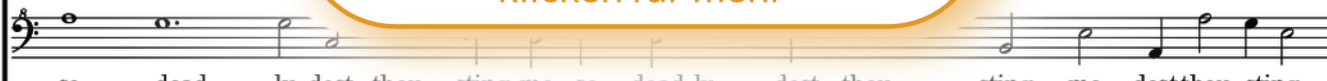
B  do not match thee. Fa la la la la la la, fa la la la. So dead - ly,

Gb  match thee. Fa la la la la la, fa la la la la la. So dead - ly,

A  \_\_\_ dost thou sting me, so dead - ly dost thou sting

T1  dost thou sting, dost thou sting me,

T2  -ly dost thou sting, dost thou sting

B  so dead - ly dost thou sting me, so dead - ly dost thou sting me, dost thou sting

Gb  \_\_\_ so dead - ly dost thou sting me,

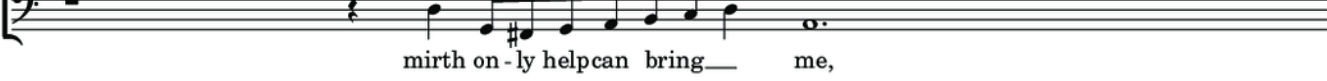
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A  me, mirth on - ly help can bring me, mirth on - ly help can bring, mirth on - ly help can

T1  sting me, mirth on - ly help can bring me, mirth on - ly help can

T2  me, mirth on - ly help can bring me, mirth on - ly help can bring me,

B  me, mirth on - ly help can bring me,

Gb  mirth on - ly help can bring me,

A bring me, mirth on-lyhelp can bring me. Fa la la la la la la,

T1 bring me, mirth on - lyhelp can bring, mirth on - lyhelp can bring me, mirth on - ly help can

T2 can bring me, mirth on - lyhelp can bring me, can

B mirth on - lyhelp can bring me, mirth on - lyhelp can bring me. Fa

Gb mirth on - lyhelp can bring me, mirth on - lyhelp can bring me. Fa la la la la

A fa la lalalala la, fa la la la la la. Hence, Care, thou art too cru-

T1 bring me. Fa lala' thou art too cru -

T2 bring me. thou art too, too

B lalalalala, fa lalalala la la, fa lalalalala la la la. Hence, Care, thou art too cru -

Gb la la la la la. Hence, Care, thou art too cru - el,

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A - el, thou art too cru - el, too cru - el.

T1 - el, thou art too cru - el, thou art too cru - el. Come,

T2 cru - el, thou art too cru - el, thou art too cru - el. Come, Mu-sic, sick man's

B - el, hence, Care, thou art too, too cru-el, thou art too cru - el. Come, Mu-sic, come,

Gb hence, Care, thou art too cru - el. Come, Mu - sic,

A Come, Mu-sic, sick man's jew-el, sick man's jew - el. Fa lalalala la, fa lala lalala, fa

T1 Mu - sic, come, Mu - sic, sick man's jew - el. Fa lalalalalala la, falala la la,

T2 jew - el, come, Mu-sic, sick man's jew - el. Fa lalalalala, fa la la la fa lalalala

B come, Mu - sic, sick man's jew - el. Fa lalalala la, fa lala lalala lalalalala,

Gb sick man's jew - el, sick man's jew - el. Fa lalalala la la, fa lala

A la la la la la la la la la la la. His force had well nigh slain me, slain

T1 fa la la la la la la la la la la la. me, slain me, his

T2 la, fa la la la la la la la la la la la. slain me, his

B fa la la la la la la la. His force had well nigh slain me, slain me, his

Gb la la la la la la la. His force had well nigh slain

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A me, had well nigh slain me, but thou must now sustain me, but thou must now sus - tain

T1 had well nigh slain me, but thou must now sus-tain me, but

T2 force had well nigh slain me, but thou must now sustain

B force had well nigh slain me, but thou must now sus - tain me, sus-tain

Gb me, had well nigh slain me,

A me, but thou must now sus-tain me, now sustain me. Fa

T1 thou must now sus-tain me, sus-tain me, but thou must now sus-tain me.

T2 me, but thou must now sus-tain me, now sus-tain me. Fa la la

B me, but thou must now sus-tain me. Fa la la la la

Gb But thou must now sus-tain me. Fa la la la la

A la la la la.

T1 Fa la la la.

T2 la la la la la, fa la la.

B la la, fa la la.

Gb la la la la la.

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### English text:

O, Care, thou wilt dispatch me,  
If music does not match thee.  
Fa la la.  
So deadly dost thou sting me,  
Mirth only help can bring me.  
Fa la la.

Alto

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do not match thee. Fa la la la la la. So dead - ly dost thou sting me, so dead-ly  
\_\_\_\_\_ dost thou \_\_\_\_\_ sting me, so dead - ly \_\_\_\_\_ dost thou sting me, mirth on-ly help can bring me,  
mirth on-ly help can l Fa la la la la la la,  
fa la la la la la la, fa la la la la la. Hence, Care, thou art too cru - el, thou art  
too cru-el, too cru - el. Come, Mu-sic, sick man's jew-el, sick man's jew - el. Fa la la la la  
la, fa la la la la la, fa la la la la la la la la la la. His force had well nigh slain me, slain  
me, had well nigh slain me, but thou must now sus-tain me, but thou must now sus-tain me,  
but thou must now sus-tain me, now sus-tain me. Fa la la la la la la la la la la.

Tenor 1

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O Care, thou wilt despatch me, thou wilt despatch me, if Music do not match thee, if Music do not match thee. Fa la la la la la la la la la. So dead - ly dost thou sting, so dead - ly dost thou sting, so dead - ly dost thou sting me, so dead - ly dost thou sting me, sting me, mirth on - ly help can bring me, mirth on - ly help can bring me, mirth on - ly help can bring me. Fa la la la la la, fa la la la la la la la la la la la. Hence, Care, thou art too cru - el, thou art too cru - el, thou art too cru - el. Come, Music, come, Music, sick man's Jew - el. Fa la la la la la la, fa la la la la la la la la la la. His force had well nigh slain me, slain me, his well nigh slain me, but thou must now sustain me, but thou must now sustain me, sustain me, but thou must now sustain me. Fa la la la la la la la la la la.

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Mu-sic do not match thee, do\_ not match thee, match thee. Fa la la la la la la la la la la la la. So dead - ly

dost thou sting, so dead - ly dost thou sting me, dost thou sting me, so dead - ly dost thou sting

me, mirth on-ly help can hon-ly help can bring me, can

bring me. Fa la la la la la la la. Hence, Care, thou art too, too cru - el, \_ thou

\_ art too cru - el, thou art too cru - el. Come, Mu-sic, sick man's jew - el, come, Mu-sic, sick man's jew -

-el. Fa la la la la la, fa la la la fa la la la la la, fa la la la la la la la la. His force had well nigh slain

me, his force had well\_ nigh slain me, but thou must now sus-tain me,

but thou must now sus-tain me, now sus-tain me. Fa la la la la la la la la, fa la la la.

Bass

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O Care, thou wilt\_ des-patch me, O, O Care, thou wilt des-patch, thou\_ wilt des -

-patch me, if Mu-sic donot match thee, if Mu-sic donot match thee. Fa la la la la la, fa\_ la la la. \_\_\_\_

So dead-ly, so dead - ly dost thou sting me, so dead-ly dost thou sting me, dost thou sting

me, mirth on-ly-ly help can bring me. Fa

la la la la la, fa la la la la la, fa la la la la la la la. Hence, Care, thou art too cru -

-el, hence, Care, thou art too, too cru-el, thou art too\_ cru-el. Come, Mu-sic, come, come, Mu - sic,

sick man's jew - el. Fa la la la la la, fa la la la la la la la la la, fa la la la la la la. His force had well nigh

\_ slain me, slain me, his force had well nigh slain\_ me, but thou must now sus-tain\_ me, sus-tain

me, but thou must now sus-tain\_ me. Fa la la la la la la, fa\_ la la la.

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if Mu-sic do not match thee. Fa la la la la la, fa la la la la la.  
So dead - ly, so dead - ly dost thou sting me,  
mirthon-lyh can bring me. Fa la la la la  
la la la la la. Hence, Care, thou art too cru - el, hence, Care, thou  
art too cru - el. Come, Mu - sic, sick man's jew - el, sick man's jew -  
el. Fa la la la la la la la, fa la la la la la la la. His force had well  
nigh slain me, had well nigh slain me, But thou must now sustain me.  
Fa la la la la la la la la la.

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*Typ:* Digitale Noten zum Download

*Titel:* [O Care, thou wilt despatch me](#)

*Komponist:* [Thomas Weelkes](#)

*Epoche:* Renaissance

*Thema:* .Ohne Thema

*Reihe/Zyklus:* Kammermusikwerke

*Schwierigkeit:* Mittel

*Instrumentierung Gruppe:* Kammermusik nur Bläser

*Arrangement:* Blockflöte 5

*Instrumentierung:* Blockflöte = Bfl(5)

Fassung für ATTBG $\flat$  Blockflöten