

This sweet and merry month of May (Im süßen und fröhlichen Monat Mai)

Aus 'The First Sette of Italian Madrigals Englished' [1590], No. 8.

Textursprung unbekannt

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Sopran
[Svperivs]

Alt
[Contratenor]

Tenor
[Tenor]

Bass
[Bassvs]

This sweet and mer-ry, mer-ry month of

This sweet and mer-ry, mer-ry month, and mer-ry, mer-ry month of

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S. May, this sweet and mer-ry, mer-ry month of

A. May, May,

T. and mer-ry, mer-ry month of May,

B. and mer-ry, mer-ry month of May, this sweet and

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S. May, of May, while na-ture wan-

A. and mer-ry, mer-ry month of May, while na-ture wan-tons, wan-

T. this sweet and mer-ry, mer-ry month of May, while na-ture wan-tons,

B. mer-ry, mer-ry month of May, while na-ture

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S. - tons, wan - tons, wan tons in her prime,

A. - tons, wan - tons in her prime, and birds do sing,

T. wan - tons in her prime, and birds do sing,

B. wan - tons, wan - tons, wan - tons in her prime, and

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S. and birds do sing, and birds to sing,

A. and birds do do sing, and

T. and birds do sing, do sing, and birds do sing, and beasts

B. birds do sing, and birds do sing, and beasts do play,

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S. and beasts do play, play, and beasts do play, do play, and

A. beasts do play, do play, and beasts do play, to play, and

T. do play, do play, and beasts do play, do play, do play, do

B. play, and beasts, and beasts do play, do play, do play,

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S. beasts do play, do play, do_____ play, for plea-sure, for plea-sure

A. beasts do play, do play, and beasts do play, for plea-sure, for plea-sure

T. play, do play, and beasts do_____ play, for plea-sure, for plea-sure

B. and beasts do play, do play, do_____ play, for plea-sure, for plea-sure

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S. of the joy-ful time, the joy-ful time, the joy-ful time, I choose the first,

A. of the joy-ful time, the joy-ful time, the joy-ful time, I choose the first,

T. of the joy-ful time, the joy-ful time, the joy-ful time, I choose the first, I

B. of the joy-ful time, the joy-ful time, the joy-ful time, I

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S. I choose the first for ho-ly day, for ho-ly day, and

A. choose the first for ho-ly day, ho-ly day, for ho-ly day, for

T. choose the first, the first for ho-ly day, for ho-ly day, for ho-ly day,

B. choose the first for ho-ly day, for ho-ly day, for ho-ly day,

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S. greet E - li - za with a rhyme, and greet, and greet E -

A. ho - ly day, and greet E - li - za with a rhyme, and greet, and greet E -

T. and greet E - li - za, E - li - za with a rhyme, and greet E - li -

B. and greet E - li - za, and greet, and greet E -

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S. - li - za, E - li - za with a rhyme, with a rhyme, with a rhyme.

A. - li - za, E - li a rhyme, a rhyme.

T. - za, E - li - za with a rhyme, with a rhyme, with a rhyme.

B. - li - za, E - li - za with a rhyme, with a rhyme.

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S. O, o beau - te - ous queen, o beau - te - ous

A. O, o beau - te - ous queen, o beau - te - ous

T. O, o beau - te - ous queen, o beau - te - ous queen

B. O, o beau - te - ous queen, o beau - te - ous queen of

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S. queen of se - cond Troy: take well in worth, take

A. queen of se - cond Troy, of se - cond Troy: take well in worth,

T. of se - cond Troy, of se - cond Troy: take well in worth,

B. se - cond Troy, of se - cond Troy: take well in worth,

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S. well in worth a sim - ple toy, take well in worth a sim - ple toy, take

A. take well in worth

T. take well in worth a sim - ple toy,

B. take well in worth a sim - ple toy, take well in worth a sim - ple

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S. well in worth a sim - ple toy, take well in worth a sim - ple toy,

A. sim - ple toy, a sim - ple toy, a sim - ple

T. a sim - ple toy, a sim - ple toy, take

B. toy, a sim - ple toy, take well in worth a sim - ple

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S. a sim - ple, a sim - ple, a sim - ple, a sim - ple toy,

A. toy, take well in worth a sim - ple, a sim - ple, sim - ple toy,

T. well in worth a sim - ple toy, take well in worth a

B. toy, an sim - ple toy, a sim - ple, a sim - ple, a sim - ple

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S. a sim - ple toy, a sim - ple toy. toy.

A. take well in wo sim - ple toy. toy.

T. sim - ple toy, take well in worth a sim - ple toy, a sim - ple toy. toy.

B. toy, take well in worth a sim - ple toy, a sim - ple toy. toy.

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This sweet and merry month of May,
while nature wantons in her prime,
and birds do sing, and beasts do play,
for pleasure of the joyful time,
I choose the first for holy day,
and greet Eliza with a rhyme.
O beauteous queen of second Troy:
Take well in worth a simple toy.

In diesem süßen und fröhlichen Monat Mai,
während die Natur in ihrer Blüte schwelgt,
Vögel singen und Tiere spielen,
wähle ich zum Vergnügen in dieser fröhlichen Zeit
den ersten Tag als Festtag,
und grüße Eliza mit einem Gedicht.
O wunderschöne Königin des zweiten Troja:
Nimm diese bescheidene Gabe als wertvoll wahr.

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Titel: [This sweet and merry month of May \(Im süßen und fröhlichen Monat Mai\)](#)

Komponist: [William Byrd](#)

Epoche: Renaissance

Thema: Frühling, Geselligkeit

Reihe/Zyklus: Lieder (weltlich)

Schwierigkeit: Mittel bis schwer

Instrumentierung Gruppe: Gemischter Chor a cappella

Arrangement: Chor>SATB

Instrumentierung: Gesang Chor>Alt-Stimmen = A(1), Gesang Chor>Bass-Stimmen = B (1), Gesang Chor>Sopran-Stimmen = S(1), Gesang Chor>Tenor-Stimmen = T(1)

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