

Why wail we thus?

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Soprano I
Why wail we thus, why

Soprano II
Why wail we thus,

Alto
Why wail we thus, why wea - ry we the gods with plaints,

Tenor I
8 Why wea - ry we the

Tenor II
8 Why wail we thus, why wea - ry we the gods with plaints,

Bass
Why

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S
wea - ry we the gods with plaints, why wea - ry we the

A
why wea - ry we the gods with plaints, why wea - ry we the

T
8 gods with plaints, why wail we thus, why

B
8 wail we thus, why wea - ry we the

S
 gods with plaints, why wea - ry we the gods _____ with

A
 why wea - ry we the gods with plaints,

T
 8 gods with plaints, why wea - ry we the gods with plaints? As
 8 wea - ry we the gods with plaints, as if some

B
 why wea - ry we the gods with plaints,
 gods with plaints? As

S
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 plaints, as if some e - vil were to

A
 as if some e - vil were to her _____ be -
 if some e - vil were to her be - tight, as if some

T
 8 e - vil were to her _____ be-tight, as if some e-
 8 as if some

B
 if some e - vil were to her be - tight, _____

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S her be- tight? She reigns a god-dess now a mong the

A tight? She reigns a god-dess now a mong the

T 8 vil were to her be-tight? She reigns a god-dess now a - mong the

B 8 e - vil were to her be-tight? She reigns a god-dess now a - mong the

She reigns a god-dess now a - mong the

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S saints, that whil-ome was the saint of shep-herds

A saints, that whil-ome was the saint of shep-herds light, that whil-ome

T 8 saints, that whil-ome was the saint of shep - herds light,

B 8 saints, that whil-ome was the saint of shep-herds light,

saints, that whil-ome was the

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S light, that whil-ome was the saint of shep-

A was the saint of shep-herds light, that whil-ome

T 8 that whil-ome was the saint of shep - herds light, that whil-ome

B 8 that whil-ome was the saint of shep-herds light,

B saint of shep - herds light, that whil-ome was the

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S herds light, of shep-_____ herds light,_____ and is in-stall-ed

A was the saint of shep - herds light, of shep - herds light and is in-stall-ed

T 8 was the saint of shep - herds light, and is in-stall-ed

B 8 that whil-ome was the saint of shep-herds light,

B saint of shep-herds light,_____

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S now in_ hea-ven's height, and is in - stall - ed now in hea - ven's

A now in hea-ven's height, and is in - stall - ed now in hea-ven's

T 8 now in heav'n's height, and is in - stall - ed now in_ heav'n's

B 8 and is in - stall - ed now in hea-ven's height.

and is in - stall - ed now in hea - ven's

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S height. I see thee, bless-ed soul, I see,

A height. I see thee, bless-ed soul, I see, walk

T 8 height. I see thee, bless-ed soul, I see, I see thee, bless-ed soul, I see, walk

B 8 I see thee, bless-ed soul, I see, I see thee, bless-ed soul, I see,

height. I see thee, bless-ed soul, I see, walk

S walk in E - ly - si-an fields, E - ly - si-an fields so free.

A in E - ly - si-an fields so free, E - ly - si-an fields so free. O,

T 8 in E - ly - si-an, walk in E - ly - si-an fields so free.

B 8 walk in E - ly - si-an fields so free, so free. O,

B in E - ly - si-an fields so free, E - ly - si-an fields so free.

S O, hap - py hearse, O, hap - py hearse,

A hap - py hearse, O, hap - py hearse, O, hap - py

A hap - py hearse. O, hap - py hearse,

T 8 O, hap - py hearse, O, hap - py hearse,

B 8 hap - py hearse, O, hap - py hearse, might I

B O, hap - py hearse,

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S might I once come to thee, O, that I

A hearse, might I

T 8 O, that I might come to thee,

B 8 once come to thee, O, that I might, O,

might I once come to

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S might, O that I might O,

A once come to thee, O, that I might O, joy-

T 8 might I once come to thee, O that I might,

B 8 that I might O, joy-

thee, O, that I might, O, that I might,

S joy-ful verse, O, joy-ful verse,

A ful verse, O, joy-ful verse, o, joy-

A might, O, joy-ful verse, O, joy-ful verse, O,

T 8 O, joy-ful verse, O, joy-

T 8 ful verse, O, joy-ful

B O, joy-ful verse,

S O, joy-ful verse.

A ful verse, O, joy-ful verse.

A joy-ful verse, O, joy-ful verse.

T 8 ful verse, O, joy-ful verse.

T 8 verse, O, joy-ful verse.

B O, joy-ful verse.