JOHN DOWLAND, FINE KNACKS FOR LADIES (*The Second Booke of Songs or Ayres*, 1600, no. 12)







Great gifts are guiles and looke for gifts againe, My trifles come, as treasures from my minde, It is a precious Iewell to bee plaine, Sometimes in shell th' orienst pearles we finde, Of others take a sheafe, of mee a graine,

Of mee a graine, Of mee a graine. Within this packe pinnes points laces & gloues, And diuers toies fitting a country faier, But my hart where duety serues and loues, Turtels, & twins, courts brood, a heauenly paier, Happy the hart that thincks of no remoues,

Of no remoues, Of no remoues.