

Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes

Ben Jonson,
1572-1637

Old English Air
arr. Laurel Hunt Pedersen

Drum accompaniment in 6/8 time, key of B-flat major. The melody is in the right hand, and the bass line is in the left hand. The lyrics are: Drink to me on - ly with thine eyes, And I will pledge with

6 mine; Or leave a kiss with in the cup, And I'll not ask for wine, The

11 thirst that from the soul doth rise, Doth ask a drink di - vine; But might I of Jove's

16 nec - tar sip, I would not change for thine.

21 I sent thee late a ro - sy wreath, Not so much hon-or-ing thee, As giv-ing it a

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hope_ that there_ It could not with-ered be; But thou there- on didst on - ly breathe, And

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sent it back_ to me, Since when it grows and smells, I swear not of it-self, but

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