

# Poor is the life

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c.1580-c.1648

S. *mp* Poor is the life that miss - es the lov - er's great - est trea - sure, in -  
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A. *mp* Poor is the life that miss - es, in -  
T. *mp* Poor is the life that miss - es the lov - er's great - est trea - sure,  
B. *mp* the lov - er's great - est trea - sure, in -  
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7 *cresc.* *mf*  
-nu - mer - a - ble kiss - es, which end in end - less plea - sure, which end in end - less  
-nu - mer - a - ble kiss - es, which end in end - less plea - sure, which end in  
-nu - mer - a - ble kiss - es, which end in end - less plea - sure, which end in  
8 *cresc.* *mf*  
which end in end - less plea - sure, in plea - sure, which  
-nu - mer - a - ble kiss - es, which end in end - less plea - sure,  
-nu - mer - a - ble kiss - es, which end in

12 *f* *p*  
plea - sure. O, then, if this be so, O, then, if  
end - less plea - sure, O, then, if this be so, O, then, if  
end - less plea - sure, O, then, if this be so, O, then, if  
end in end - less plea - sure, O, then, if this be so, O, then, if  
in plea - sure, O, then, if this be so, O, then, if  
end - less plea - sure, O, then, if this be so, O, then, if

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this be so shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no, no! fie no, no, no! shall  
 this be so shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no, no! fie, no, no, no! shall  
 this be so shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no, no, no! fie no, no, no! shall  
 this be so Fie no, no, no! fie, no, no, no! shall  
 this be so Fie no, no, no, no! fie no, no, no!

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Fie no, no, no! fie no, no, no! Fie  
 I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no, no! fie no, no, no! Fie  
 I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no, no! fie no, no, no! Fie  
 I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no, no! shall I a vir-gin die? Fie  
 Fie no, no, no, no! fie no, no, no! shall I a vir-gin die? Fie  
 Fie no, no, no! fie no, no, no! shall I a vir-gin die! Fie

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no, no, no! fie no, no, no! O, then, if this be so,  
 no, no, no! fie no, no, no, no, no! O, then, if this be so,  
 no, no, no! fie no, no, no, no, no! O, then, if this be so,  
 no, no, no! fie no, no, no, no, no! O, then, if this be so,  
 no, no, no! fie no, no, no, no, no! O, then, if this be so,  
 no, no, no! fie no, no, no, no, no! O, then, if this be so,

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O, then, if this be so shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no,  
 O, then, if this be so shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no,  
 O, then, if this be so shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no,  
 O, then, if this be so shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no,  
 O, then, if this be so shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no,  
 O, then, if this be so shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no,

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no! fie no, no, no! Fie no, no, no! fie no, no,  
 no! fie no, no, no! shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no, no! fie no, no,  
 no, no! fie no, no, no! shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no, no! fie no, no,  
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no! Fie no, no, no, no! fie no no, no, no!  
 no! Fie no, no, no, no! fie no, no, no, no!  
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 no! shall I a vir-gin die? Fie no, no, no, no! fie no, no, no, no!  
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