When Daphne from fair Phoebus did fly

Voice

Anonymous

1. When Daphne from fair Phoebus did fly,
   silk en skirts scarce covered her thighs.
2. She gave no ear unto his cry,
   still did entreat, she still did deny,
3. Away like Venus’ dove she flies,
   plain-tive love she still denies, cry-
4. Amazed stood Apollo then,
   curs’d I am above gods and men,

   the West wind most sweet-ly did blow in her face. Her
   The god cried, O pi-ty! and held her in chase.
   but still did ne-glect him the more he did moan; He
   and ear-nestly prayed him to leave her alone.
   The red blood her bus-kins did run all a-down, Her
   ing: Help, help Di-an-a, and save my re-known.
   When he be-held Daph-ne turn’d as she desir’d. Ac-
   With grief and la-men-ting my sens-es are tired.

Stay, nymph, stay, nymph, cries Apollo, tar-ry,
Lion nor ti-ger, doth thee fol-low, turn thy
Nev-er, ne-ver, cries Apollo, un-less
but still, with my voice so hol-low, I’ll cry
Want-ton, wan-ton lust is near me, cold
Let the earth a vir-gin bear me, or
Farewell, false Daph-ne, most un-kind, My love
Long have I sought love, yet love could not find, There-fore
and turn thee, sweet nymph, stay, O turn,
fair eyes and look this way.
to love thou do consent,
But if
to thee while life be spent.
and chaste Di- an-
a, aid! Di- an-
de- vour me quick, a maid.
is buried in this grave; This tree
this is my e - pi - taph:

O pretty sweet and let our red lips meet: Pi-
thou turn to me, I'll praise thy fe-
lipi- ty. Pi-
a heard her pray, and turn'd her to a bay, Pi-
doth Daphne cover, That ne - ver pi - tied lover. Fare-well,

O Daphne, pi-
O Daphne, pi-
O Daphne, pi-
false Daphne, that would not pi - ty me; Though not my love, yet art thou my tree.
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