Why do I use my paper, ink and pen?

Henry Walpole (1558 - 1595)  
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William Byrd (c. 1540 - 1623)

Psalmes, Sonets, and songs of sadnes and pietie, (London, 1588), no. 33

Why do I use my paper, ink and pen, and call my wits to counsel what to say?  
Such memories were made for record,  
Whose constancy great tyrants' endure,  
By whose examples we may

mor-tal men, were made for mor-tal men,  
I rage sub-dued, great tyrants' rage sub-dued, Through  
right-ly find, we may right-ly find, Of

speak of Saints whose names can-not decay:  
An an-gel's pa-tient death, pro-fess-ing Christ the Lord:  
As his A-ho-ly life and death a pat-tern pure.  
That we there-
trump, an angel’s trump, an angel’s trump, were fit-ter
post-les, his a-pos-ules as his a-pos-ules per-fect
fore, That we there-fore, that we there-fore their vir-tues

for to sound their glo-ri-ous death, their glo-ri-ous death if
wit-ness bare, With ma-ny more, With ma-ny more that
may em-brase Pray we to Christ, Pray we to Christ to

such on earth were found; An angel’s trump, an
bless-ed Mar-tyrs were. As his A-pos-ules
guide us with his grace. That we there-fore, That

an-angel’s trump, an angel’s trump, were fit-ter for to
per-fect, per-fect wit-ness bare, per-fect wit-ness-
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bare With ma-ny more, With ma-ny more that bless-
brase, Pray we to Christ, Pray we to Christ to
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earth were found, if such on earth were found.
ed Mar-tyrs were, that bless-ed Mar-tyrs were.
us with his grace to guide us with his grace.
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Why do I use, Why do I use my paper, ink and pen,
That store of such were once on earth pur-
patience rare, Whose patience rare and most cou-ra-geous

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store of such, That store of such were once on earth pur-
patience rare, Whose patience rare and most cou-ra-geous

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pen, and call my wits to coun-sel what to say?

sued, The his-to-ries of an cient times re-cord,

mind, With fame re-nowned per-pe-tual shall en-dure,

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Such me-mo-ries were made for mor-tal men;

Whose con-stan-cy great tyrants' rage sub-dued

By whose ex-am-ples we may right-ly find,

46

I speak of Saints whose names can-not de-cay:

Through patient death, prof-ess-ing Christ the Lord:

An an-gel's trump, an an-gel's trump were fit-ter

As his A-postles, As his apostles per-fect wit-

That we there-fore, That we there-fore their vir-tues
An angel's trumpet were fitter for to sound postles perfect witness perfect witness bare, for, That we therefore their virtues may embrace

their glorious death, their glorious death if such on earth were found; if such on earth were found. Mar-tyrs were, that bless-ed Mar-tyrs were. With ma-ny more, With ma-ny more that bless-ed With ma-ny more that bless-ed

Christ to guide us with his grace. With ma-ny more that bless-ed Pray we to Christ to guide us with his grace.

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That store of such were once on earth pursued, were
Whose patience rare and most courageous mind, and

paper, ink and pen, and call my wits to counsel what to say?
Once on earth pursued, The histories of ancient times record,
Most courageous mind, With fame renowned perpetual shall endure,

Such memories, Such memories, Such memories, Whose constancy, Whose constancy, whose constancy,
By whose examples, By whose examples examples

ries were made for mortal men, for mortal men; I speak of
great tyrants' rage subdued, rage subdued Through patient people we may rightly find, may rightly find, Of holy

Saints whose names cannot decay, whose names cannot decay, professing Christ the Lord, professing Christ the
life and death a pattern pure.
cay: An angel's trump, were fitter for to sound,
Lord: As his Apostles, perfect, perfect, perfect witness bare.
That we therefore, their virtues may embrace,
to sound, their glorious death, their glorious death, their glorious death.
ness bare, With many more, With many more, With many em-brace,
Pray we to Christ, Pray we to Christ, Pray we to Christ.
death if such on earth were found; An angel's trump, An
more that bless-ed Mar-tyrs were. As his Apostles As
Christ to guide us with his grace. That we therefore, That
angel's trump, were fitter for to sound, to sound their
his Apostles perfect, perfect, witness bare, With
we therefore their virtues may em-brase, em-brase, Pray
glorious death, their glorious death, their glorious death if such on
ma-ny more, With ma-ny more, With ma-ny more that bless-ed
we to Christ, Pray we to Christ, Pray we to Christ, Pray we to Christ to guide us
earth were found, if such on earth were found.
Mar-tyrs were, that bless-ed Mar-tyrs were.
with his grace to guide us with his grace.
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That store of such were once on earth pur -  
Whose pa - tience rare and most cou - ra - geous

pen, my pap - er, ink and pen, Why do I use my pap - er,  
sued, were once on earth pur - sued, That store of such were once on mind, and most cou - ra - geous mind, Whose patience rare and most cou -

ink and earth pur - sued, The his - to - ries of an - cient times re - cord,  
ra - geous mind, With fame renowned per - pe - tual shall en - due,

Such me - mo - ries, Such me - mo - ries, were made for mor - tal  
Whose con - stan - cy, Whose con - stan - cy, great ty - rants' rage sub -  
By whose examples, By whose ex - am - ples, we may right-ly

men, for mor - tal men; I speak of Saints whose names can -  
dued rage sub - dued, Through pa - tient death, pro - fess-ing find, may right - ly find; Of ho - ly life and death a pat-  

not de - cay: An an - gel's trump, An an - gel's trump, An an -  
Christ the Lord: As his A - postles, As his a - postles, As his  
tern pure. That we there - fore, That we there - fore, That we
gel’s trump, were fit-ter for to sound, to sound their glo-rious
a-postles per-fect wit-ness bare, witness bare, With ma-
tyrs were, As his A-postles As his A-postles, As
earth were found, An an-gel’s trump, An an-gel’s trump, An
Christ, Pray we to Christ to guide us with his grace, with
found, if such on earth were found, if such on earth were found.
were, that bless-ed Mar-tyrs were, that bless-ed Mar-tyrs were.
Bless, to guide us with his grace, to guide us with his grace.
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William Byrd (c. 1540 - 1623)  

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That store of such were once on
Whose patience rare and most courageous
ink and pen, Why do I use my paper, ink and
earth pur-sued, That store of such were once on earth pur-
ra-geous mind, Whose pa-tience rare and most cou-
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pen, and call my wits to counsel what to
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mind, With fame re-nowned per-
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say, what to say? Such me-mo-ries, were made for
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Saints whose names cannot decay: An angel's trump, An
death, professing Christ the Lord: As his Apostles, as
life and death a pattern pure. That we therefore, That

an angel's trump, were fitter for to sound, their
his Apostles perfect witness bare, With
we therefore, their virtues may embrace Pray

glorious death, their glorious death, if such on earth were found;
many more, With many more that blessed Martyrs were,
we to Christ, Pray we to Christ to guide us with his grace.

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As his Apostles As his Apostles per-
That we therefore, That we therefore their vir-
ter for to sound, Their glorious death, their glorious death,
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Whose patience rare and most courageous mind, and most courageous mind,

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Whose patience rare and most courageous mind, and most courageous mind,

Why do I use my paper, ink and pen, my paper, ink and pen,
That store of such were once on earth pursued, were once on earth pursued,
Whose patience rare and most courageous mind, and most courageous mind,
pen, and call my wits to counsel what to say?
Sued, The histories of ancient times record,
By whose examples we may rightly find,
Great times record, great tyrants’ rage subdued,
Whose constancy great tyrants’ rage subdued,
Such memories were made for mortal men,
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dued Through patient death, professing
find, Of ho-ly life and death a
-tal men, for mor-tal men; I speak of Saints whose names can-not de-cay,
sub-dued, rage sub-dued Through patient death, professing Christ the Lord,
find, may right-ly find, Of ho-ly life and death a pat-tern pure.
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dued, great ty-rants' rage sub-dued, Through patient death, professing
find, we may right-ly find; Of ho-ly life and death a de-cay: An an- gel's trump, an an- gel's trump, an an- gel's trump, the Lord: As his A pos-tles, his a pos-tles as his a pos-
pattern pure. That we there-fore, That we there-fore, that we there-
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not de-cay: An an- gel's trump, were fit-
Christ the Lord: As his A pos-tles, per-
and death a pat-tern pure. That we there-fore, their vir-
not de-cay: An an- gel's trump, An an- gel's trump, An an- gel's trump,
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his A-pos-tles per-fect, per-fect wit-ness bare, per-fect
we there-fore, That we there-fore their vir-tues may em-brase, their vir-tues

An an-angel's trump, an an-angel's trump were fit-ter
As his A-pos-tles per-fect, per-fect, wit-
there-fore, That we there-fore their vir-tues may em-brase,

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postles As his A-pos-tles, As his A-pos-tles, As his A-pos-tles per-fect wit-ness per-fect
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bless - ed Mar - tyrs were, that bless - ed Mar - tyrs were.
guide us with his grace to guide us with his grace.

death if such on earth were found, if such on earth were found.
more that bless - ed Mar - tyrs were, that bless - ed Mar - tyrs were.
Christ to guide us with his grace to guide us with his grace.

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that bless - ed Mar - tyrs were, that bless - ed Mar - tyrs were.
to guide us with his grace to guide us with his grace.

found, if such on earth were found, if such on earth were found.
were, that bless - ed Mar - tyrs were, that bless - ed Mar - tyrs were.

grace, to guide us with his grace, to guide us with his grace.

dead, if such on earth were found, if such on earth were found.
more that bless - ed Mar - tyrs were, that bless - ed Mar - tyrs were.
Christ to guide us with his grace to guide us with his grace.