Pasttime with good company

Cantus

Henry VIII (attributed)

1. Passe-tyme with gude com - pa-nye, I love, and shall un-
2. Youth wyll have nedes da - lyaunce, Of gude or yll some
3. Com - pa-nye with ho - ne-ste, Ys ver - tu, vyce to

til I dye. Gruch who wyll, but none de - ny, So
pas - taunce, Com - pa - nye me thynketh them best, All
flee. Com - pa - nye ys gude or yll, But

God be pleeyd, thus lyfe wyll I. For my pastaunce: Hunt,
thouts and fan - syes to dy-gest. For y - dle-ness, Ys
e - v'ry man hath hys frewylle. The best en - syue, The

syng, and daunce, My hert ys sett! All
chef ma - stres Of vy - ces all: Than
worst es - chew, My mynd shall be: Ver -

gude - ly sport, Fore my com - fort, Who shall me lett?
who can say, But myrth and play Ys best of all?
tue to use, Vyce to re - fuse, Thus shall use me!
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Tenor

Henry VIII (attributed)

1. Passetyme with gude com-pa-nye, I love, and shall un-til I dye.
2. Youth wyll have nudes da-lyaunce, Of gude or yll some pas-taunce,
3. Com-pa-nye with ho-ne-ste, Ys ver-tu, vyce to flee.

Gruch who wyll, but none de-ny, So God be pleeyd, thus
Com-pa-nye me thynk-eth them best, All thouts and fan-syes
Com-pa-nye ys gude or yll, But e-v’ry man hath

lyfe wyll I. For my pastaunce: Hunt, syng, and daunce, My
to dy-gest. For y-dle-ness, Ys chef ma-stres Of
hys frewylle. The best en-syue, The worst es-chew, My

hert ys sett! All gude-ly sport, Fore my comfort, Who shall me lett?
vy-ces all: Than who can say, But myrth and play Ys best of all?
mynd shall be: Ver-tue to use, Vyce to re-fuse, Thus shall use me!
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Bassus

Henry VIII (attributed)

1. Passetyme with gude com-pa-nye, I love, and shall un-till I dye.
2. Youth wyll have nedes da-lyance, Of gude or yll some pas-taunce,
3. Com-pa-nye with ho-ne-ste, Ys ver-tu, vyce to flee.

Gruch who wyll, but none de-ny, So God be pleeyd, thus
Com-pa-nye me thynketh them best, All thouts and fan-syes
Com-pa-nye ys gude or yll, But e-v'ry man hath

lyfe wyll I. For my pastaunce: Hunt, syng, and daunce, My
to dy-gest. For y-dle-ness, Ys chef ma-stres Of
hys frewylle. The best en-syue, The worst es-chew, My

hert ys sett! All gude-ly sport, Fore my comfort, Who shall me lett?
vye-ces all: Than who can say, But myrth and play Ys best of all?
mynd shall be: Ver-tue to use, Vyce to re-fuse, Thus shall use me!