

Downe, downe proud minde

Book of Ayres to Sing and Play to the Bass Viol

William Corkine (fl.1610-1612)

Downe, downe proud minde, thou soar - est farre a - bove thy might,

A - spir-ing heart, wilt thou not cease to breed my woe?

High thoughts, meete with dis - daine, Peace and Love fight, Peace thou hast

wone the field, and Love shall hence in bon - dage goe.

This fall from Pride my rising is from griefes great deepe
 That bottome wants, up to the toppe of happy blisse,
 In peace and rest I shall securely sleepe,
 Where neither scorne, disdaine, Loves torment, grieffe or anguish is.