

# Rest sweet Nimphs let goulden sleepe

The first booke of Songs or Ayres  
of 4. parts, 1605

Francis Pilkington (c.1562-1638)

*Gm D Gm Gm F Gm D Dm Eb Adim Bb*

Rest sweet Nimphs let gould - en sleepe, Charme your star bright - er eies,  
Dreame faire vir - gins of de - light, And blest E - li - zian groues:  
Thus deare dam - zells I do giue Good night and so am gone:

*Bb F Gm D Gm Adim Eb D(no3rd) G*

Whiles my Lute the watch doth keep With pleas - ing sim - pa - thies,  
Whiles the wan - dring shades of night, Re - sem - ble your true loues:  
With your hartes de - sires long liue Still ioy, and neu - er mone.

*Gm D D Cm Bb D*

Lul - la lul - la - by, Lul - la Lul - la - by, Sleepe  
Lul - la lul - la - by, Lul - la lul - la - by, Your  
Lul - la lul - la - by, Lul - la lul - la - by, Hath

*Gm* *Dm* *Cm* *Bb* *Gm* *D*

sweet - ly, sleep  
kiss - es your  
pleasd you and

sweet - ly, let  
bliss - es send  
easd you, &

no - thing af -  
them by your  
sweet slum - ber

fright ye,  
wish - es,  
sezd you,

*Gm* *Cm* *Gm* *D(no3rd)* *G*

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