

Loue learns by laughing first to speake

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Thomas Morley (1558-1603)

Musical score for the first system of the song. It consists of three staves. The top staff is the vocal line with lyrics: "Loue learns by laugh - ing first to speake, by laugh - ing". The middle staff is a lute or keyboard accompaniment line with lyrics: "Loue learns by". The bottom staff is a bass line with lyrics: "Loue learns by laugh - ing first to speake, by". The music is in a common time signature (C) and a key signature of one sharp (F#).

Musical score for the second system of the song. It consists of three staves. The top staff is the vocal line with lyrics: "first to speake, Then sli - lie gaines cares pass - ing". The middle staff is a lute or keyboard accompaniment line with lyrics: "laugh - ing first to speake, Then sli - lie gaines cares pass - ing". The bottom staff is a bass line with lyrics: "laugh - ing first to speake, Then sli - lie gaines cares pass - ing". The music continues in the same time signature and key signature.

Musical score for the third system of the song. It consists of three staves. The top staff is the vocal line with lyrics: "great. Fa la la la la. la. la. But I will". The middle staff is a lute or keyboard accompaniment line with lyrics: "great. Fa la la la la la. la. la. But I will". The bottom staff is a bass line with lyrics: "great. Fa la la la la. la. la. But I will". The music concludes with a double bar line and a repeat sign.

laugh, But I will laugh, will laugh, But I will laugh, with - out that

laugh, But I will laugh, But I will laugh, But I will laugh, with - out that

But I will laugh, But I will laugh, But I will laugh, with - out that

care, And bid loue touch mee if hee dare. Fa la la la la la la la

care, And bid loue touch mee if hee dare. Fa la la la la la la la la la la

care, And bid loue touch mee if hee dare. Fa la la la la la la la. Fa

la. Fa la la la la la. But I will la.

la la la la la la. But I will la.

la la la la. la.