

# Diaphenia

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*Damelus' song to his Diaphenia*

*Allegro assai*

S. *f* Di - a - phe - nia, like the daf - fa - down - dil - ly, white as the sun,  
A. *f* Di - a - phe - nia, like the daf - fa - down - dil - ly, white, white as the  
T. *f* Di - a - phe - nia, like the daf - fa - down - dil - ly, white, white as the  
B. *f* Di - a - phe - nia, like the daf - fa - down - dil - ly, white as the

5 fair as the li - ly, Heigh - ho, how I do love thee! I do love thee  
sun, fair as the li - ly, Heigh - ho, how I do love thee! I do love thee  
8 sun, fair as the li - ly, Heigh - ho, how I do love thee! I do love thee  
sun, fair as the li - ly, Heigh - ho, how I do love thee! I do love thee

10 *cresc.* as my lambs are be - lov - ed of their dams, How *f*  
*cresc.* as my lambs are be - lov - ed of their dams, How *f*  
8 *cresc.* as my lambs are be - lov - ed of their dams, How *f*  
*cresc.* as my lambs are be - lov - ed of their dams, How *f*

13 blest were I, how blest were I if thou would'st prove me!  
blest were I, how blest were I if thou would'st prove me!  
8 blest were I, how blest were I if thou would'st prove me!  
blest were I, how blest were I if thou would'st prove me.

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Di - a - phe - nia, like the spread - ing ro - ses, that in thy sweets all

Di - a - phe - nia, like the spread - ing ro - ses, that in thy

8 Di - a - phe - nia, like the spread - ing ro - ses, that in thy

Di - a - phe - nia, like the spread - ing ro - ses, that in thy

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love en - clo - ses, Fair sweet, how I do love thee!

sweets all love en - clo - ses, Fair sweet, how I do love thee!

8 sweets all love en - clo - ses, Fair sweet, how I do love thee!

sweets all love en - clo - ses, Fair sweet, how I do love thee!

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I do love thee as each flower loves the sun's life -

*p* I do love thee as each flower loves the sun's life -

8 *p* I do love thee as each flower loves the sun's life -

*p* I do love thee as each flower loves the sun's life -

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gi - ving power; For dead, thy breath to life, thy breath to life might move me.

gi - ving power; For dead, thy breath to life, thy breath to life might move me.

8 gi - ving power; For dead, thy breath to life, thy breath to life might move me.

gi - ving power; For dead, thy breath to life, thy breath to life might move me.

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Di - a - phe - nia, like to all things bless - ed, when all thy\_

Di - a - phe - nia, like to all things bless - ed, when all thy\_

8 Di - a - phe - nia, like to all things bless - ed, when all thy\_ prai - ses

Di - a - phe - nia, like to all things bless - ed, when all thy prai - ses\_

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prai - ses are ex - pres - sed, Dear joy, how I do love thee!

prai - ses are ex - pres - sed, Dear joy, how I do love thee!

8 are ex - pres - sed, Dear joy, how I do love thee!

are ex - pres - sed, Dear joy, how I do love thee!

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As the birds do love the Spring, or the bees their care - ful king: Then in re - quite, then

As the birds do love the Spring, or the bees their care - ful king: Then in re - quite, then

8 As the birds do love the Spring, or the bees their care - ful king: Then in re - quite, then

As the birds do love the Spring, or the bees their care - ful king: Then in re - quite, then

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in re - quite, sweet vir - gin, love me.

in re - quite, sweet vir - gin sweet vir - gin, love me.

8 in re - quite, sweet vir - gin sweet vir - gin, love me.

in re - quite, sweet vir - gin sweet vir - gin, love me.