

Let us, my Lesbia, live and love

A 3 part glee

Anonymous translation of the Latin poem by
Gaius Valerius Catullus (ca. 84 BC – ca. 54 BC)

John Stafford Smith (1750-1836)

Moderato

[Counter-tenor] Let us, my Lesbia live and love, nor cast a moment's thought a -

[Tenor] Let us, my Lesbia live and love, nor cast a moment's thought a -

Bass Let us, my Lesbia live and love, nor cast a moment's thought a -

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A. way, whe - ther a pee - vish world ap - prove, or what they think, or what they say.

T. way, whe - ther a pee - vish world ap - prove, or what they say.

B. way, whe - ther a pee - vish world ap - prove, or what they think, or what they say.

A. The sun that sets shall rise a - gain, but when our short lived day is o'er, one long e - ter - nal

T. The sun that sets shall rise a - gain, but when our short lived day is o'er, one long e - ter - nal

B. The sun that sets shall rise a - gain, one long e - ter - nal

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A. night must reign, a last-ing sleep to wake no more, a last-ing sleep to wake no more.

T. 8 night must reign, a last-ing sleep to wake no more, a last-ing sleep to wake no more.

B. night must reign, a last-ing sleep to wake no more, to wake no more.

36 Vivace

A. Letus then live and love to-day and kiss the fleet-ing hours a-way, kiss the fleet-ing hours a-way,

T. 8 Letus then live and love to-day and kiss the fleet-ing hours a-way, kiss the fleet-ing hours a-way,

B. Letus then live and love to-day and kiss the fleet-ing hours a-way,

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A. p kiss the fleet-ing hours a-way, kiss, kiss, kiss, kiss, love to live and live to love and

T. 8 a-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, love to live and live to love and

B. kiss the fleet-ing hours a-way, kiss, kiss, kiss, kiss, love to live and live to love and

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A. p kiss the fleet ing hours a-way, love to live and live to love and kiss the fleet-ing hours a-way,

T. 8 kiss the fleet - ing hours a-way, love to live and live to love and kiss the fleet-ing hours a-way,

B. kiss the fleet - ing hours a-way, love to live and live to love and kiss the fleet - ing hours a-way,