

Awake, Sweet Love

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Transcription for Guitar Acc.
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Moderate

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A - wake, sweet love thou art re - turn'd,
Let love, which love ne - - ver art ab - sent dies,

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My heart which long in ab - sence mourn'd, lives
New live for ev - - er in her eyes when

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now came in my per - fect joy - - - - - noy,

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On - ly her self hath seem - ed to faire: She on - ly
Des - pair did make me wish to die, That I my

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I griefs could love. She on - ly drove me
might end, She on - ly which did

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to des - pair When She un - kind did
make me fly, My state may now a

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prove. mend.

2. If she esteem thee now aught worth,
She will not grieve thy love henceforth,
Which so despair hath prov'd.
Despair hath proved now in me.
That love will not inconstant be,
Though long in vain I lov'd.
And all thy harms repair,
Thy happiness will sweeter prove,
Rais'd up from deep despair.
And if that now thou welcome be,
When thou with her dost meet,
She all this while but play'd with thee,
To make thy joys more sweet.

