

9 Fine Knacks for Ladies

John Dowland
(The Second Booke of Songs and Ayres — 1600)

1. Fine knacks for la-dies, cheape choise brave and new, Good pen-ni -
 worths but mon - y can - not move, I keep a faier, but
 for the faier to view, A beg - gar may bee li - ber - all of love,
 Though all my wares bee trash the hart is true,
 The hart is true, The hart is true.

2. Great gifts are guiles and looke for gifts againe,
 My trifles come, as treasures from my minde,
 It is a precious Jewell to bee plaine,
 Sometimes in shell th' orients pearles we finde,
 Of others take a sheaf, of me a graine,
 Of me a graine
 Of me a graine.

3. Within this pack pinnes points laces and gloves,
 And divers toies fitting a country faier,
 But in my hart where duty serves and loves,
 Turtels and twins, courts brood, a heavenly paiier:
 Happy the hart thinkes of no removes
 Of no removes,
 Of no removes.