

## DRINK TO ME ONLY.

Words by Ben Jonson. (1574 - 1637.)

Old Melody.

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Andantino con grazioso.

1. Drink to me on - ly with thine eyes, And I will pledge with  
 2. I sent the late a ro - sy wreath, Not so much hon' - ring

*For 1<sup>st</sup> verse only.*

mine, Or leave a kiss with - in the cup, And I'll not look for  
 thee, As giv - ing it a hope that there It could not wi - ther'd

wine. The thirst that from the soul doth rise Doth ask a drink di - vine;  
 be; But thou there-on didst on - ly breathe, And sent'st it back to me;

But might I of Jove's nec - tar sip, I would not change for thine.  
 Since when it grows, and smells, I swear, Not of it - self, but thee.

The musical score is arranged in four systems. Each system consists of a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment (grand staff). The key signature is G minor (two flats) and the time signature is 6/8. The tempo/mood is 'Andantino con grazioso'. The piano part features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the right hand and a more active bass line in the left hand. Dynamics include *f* (forte) and *mf* (mezzo-forte). The score concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots.