

Die Gedanken Sind Frei

A Traditional Song of Freedom

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Oh my think-ing is free. No one can it har - ness. My log - ic soars
Yes I think as I choose and by my de - si - re. The world may grow
Ev-en if I am cast in - to deep-est dun-geon. It gives them no
So I bid a fare-well to sor-row for-ev - er. So pet - ty mise-

6 high, like ow - ls in dark-ness. No spy can dis-play it; no hunt-er can
still; my int' - rest seeks high-er. My val - ues im - pli - cit: no one can in -
aid; no game have they won then. If ram-part and tow - er face think-ing's own
ry will trou - ble me nev - er. Odd word-play and deep truths, ro - man-ces and

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slay it; With Glock nor U - zi. For my thinking is free!
hi - bit. As al - ways it'll be. For my thinking is free!
pow - er, They'll soon cease to be. For my thinking is free!
neat proofs. Stay al - ways in me. For my thinking is free!