

Tosse The Pot

Thomas Ravenscroft (1614)

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1. We take no thought we have no care, for still we spend, and ne - uer spare,
 2. We drinke ca - rouse with hart most free, a har - ty draught I drinke to thee:
 3. And when our mon - y is all spent, Then sell our goods, and spend our rent,

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