

# O deare that I with thee

Two Bookes of Ayres (1613)

Thomas Campion (1567 - 1620)

**System 1:**

Chords: Gm, Gm, D, Gm, Am, Gm, D, Gm, F, Bb, Cm, D<sup>sus4</sup>, D, G

Lyrics: O Deare that I with thee might live, From hu-mane trace re-mo-ved:  
Where\_ia-lous care might\_ney-ther grieve, Yet each dote on their\_lo-ved.

**System 2:**

Chords: F, F, F, F, C, Dm, A<sup>sus4</sup>, A, D, Bb

Lyrics: While\_fond feare\_may co-lour\_finde, Love's sel-dome pleas-ed: But\_much

**System 3:**

Chords: C, D, Gm, Eb, Cm, D<sup>sus4</sup>, D, G

Lyrics: like\_a sicke\_mans rest\_it's soone dis-ea-sed.

2. Why should our mindes not mingle so,  
When love and faith is plighted:  
That eyther might the others know,  
Alike in all delighted?  
Why should frailtie breed suspect when hearts are fixed?  
Must all humane ioyes of force with grieve be mixed?

3. How oft have wee ev'n smilde in teares  
Our fond mistrust repenting?  
As snow when heav'nly fire appears,  
So melts loves hate relenting.  
Vexed kindnesse soone fals off, and soone returneth:  
Such a flame the more you quench the more it burneth.