

# Oft have I sigh'd

The Third and Fourth Booke of Ayres (1617)

Thomas Campion (1567 - 1620)

**System 1:** Dm Dm C Dm Dm Am Gm D D Gm D G Am A Dm  
Oft have I sigh'd, oft have I sigh'd, oft have I sigh'd for

**System 2 (Measures 11-20):** Gm F C F F C Dm C F Gm A D Gm  
him that beares me not: Who ab-sent hath both love and me for - got. Oh

**System 3 (Measures 21-30):** Bb Am Gm A F Cm Ab G Gm Cm Gm A Dm  
yet I lan-guish still, yet I lan - guish still, yet I lan - guish still through

**System 4 (Measures 31-40):** A Dm E A Dm Gm C F D Gm A D  
his de - lay. Dayes seeme as yeares, when wisht friends break their day.

2. Had hee but lov'd as common lovers use,  
His faithlesse stay some kindnesse would excuse:  
O yet I languish still, still constant mourne  
For him that can break vowes, but not returne.