Fine knacks for Ladies

The Second Booke of Songs or Ayres, 1600, No. 12

John Dowland (ca.1563-1626)



Great gifts are guiles and looke for gifts againe, My trifles come, as treasures from my minde, It is a precious Iewell to bee plaine, Sometimes in shell th'orienst pearles we finde, Of others take a sheafe, of mee a graine,

Of mee a graine, Of mee a graine. Within this packe pinnes points laces & gloues, And divers toies fitting a country faier, But my hart where duety serues and loues, Turtels & twins, courts brood, a heavenly paier, Happy the hart thay thincks of no removes, Of no removes,