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Fairest Isle

(Address to Britain)



from *King Arthur*

John Dryden (1631–1700)

Henry Purcell (1659–1695)

1. Fair - est isle, all isles ex - cel - - ling,
 2. Gen - tle mur - murs, sweet com - plain - - ing,

5
 Seat of plea - - sure and of love
 Sighs that blow the fire of love

9
 Ve - nus here will choose her dwell - - ing,
 Soft re - pul - ses, kind dis - dain - - ing,

13
 And for - sake her Cy - - prian grove.
 Shall be all the pains, you prove.





When Laura smiles

Thomas Campion (1567–1620)

Philip Rosseter (1567/8–1623)



1. When Lau - ra smiles _____ her ___ sight re - vives _____
 2. See where the sprites _____ that _____ re - main _____

5
 both night and day, The earth and heav'n _____
 in fleet - ing air, Aff - ect for past - - -

9
 views_ with de - light _____ her wan - ton play,
 - time_ to un - twine _____ her tres - sed hair,