

No no no no, Nigella

n. 6 from *Of Thomas Morley the first booke of Balletts to five voyces, 1595*

Original English text

No no no no, Nigella,	No no no no, Nigella,
Let who list prove thee,	In signe I spite thee,
I cannot love thee.	Loe, I requite thee.
Fa la la.	Fa la la.
Have I deserved	Hence forth complaying
Thus to be served?	Thy love's disdayning,
Well then, content thee,	Sit, thy hands wringing,
If thou repent thee.	Whilst I goe singing.
Fa la la.	Fa la la.

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Thomas Morley
(1557-1603)

CANTUS

1. No no no no, Ni - gel - la, Let who list prove thee,
2. No no no no, Ni - gel - la, In sign I spite thee,

QUINTUS

1. No no no no, Ni - gel - la, Let who list prove thee,
2. No no no no, Ni - gel - la, In sign I spite thee,

ALTUS

1. No no no no, Ni - gel - la, Let who list prove thee,
2. No no no no, Ni - gel - la, In sign I spite thee,

TENOR

1. No no no no, Ni - gel - la, Let who list prove thee,
2. No no no no, Ni - gel - la, In sign I spite thee,

BASSUS

1. No no no no, Ni - gel - la, Let who list prove thee,
2. No no no no, Ni - gel - la, In sign I spite thee,

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I can - not love thee. Fa la la la la la la la la la la
Lo, I re - quite thee.

I can - not love thee. Fa la la la la la la, Fa la la la la la la
Lo, I re - quite thee.

I can - not love thee. Fa la la la la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la
Lo, I re - quite thee.

I can - not love thee. Fa la la la la la, Fa la la la, Fa la
Lo, I re - quite thee.

I can - not love thee. Fa la la la la la, Fa la la la la la la
Lo, I re - quite thee.

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la, Fa la la la la, Fa la la la la la la. Have I de -
Hence forth com -

la, Fa la la la la la la la la la la la. Have I de -
Hence forth com -

la, Fa la la la la, Fa la la la la, Fa la la la la. Have I de -
Hence forth com -

la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la la la la, Fa la la. Have I de -
Hence forth com -

la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la la la la.

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ser - ved Thus to be ser - ved? Well then, con - tent thee, If thou re - pent thee.
plain - ing Thy love's dis - dain - ing, Sit, thy hands wring - ing, Whilst I go sing - ing.

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