

Fealty with Love

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Performance notes

Perform *burden* at the beginning and between verses 3 and 4, as well as at end of piece. Can also be used between more verses.

The two upper parts are equal, although the middle line contains the *cantus*. These two lines may be performed together, individually, accompanied by the 3rd (instrumental) voice, or all three parts may be performed at the same time. As an example, for the first burden and verse, the two upper parts sing; for the second verse only the upper and lower lines are performed; for the 3rd verse the middle and lower lines; for the burden, 4th and 5th verse and repeat of the burden, all 3 parts are used.


Burden

Voice




As from be-low so from a - bove: True feal-ty is a bond of love.

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Instrument




Verse

Vo.




1. I'll love my moth - er 'til I'm dead; She raised me at her knee. She
2. I left my home to serve a knight And wear the squire's red. He
3. In gold - en spurs I made my start A - mong the ba - ron's corps. Of
4. I served the king in for - eign lands And held his ban - ner high. He
5. We stood a vi gil at his grave, All bro - thers of the sword. The

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broke her bread and al - ways fed the great - er half to me.
 day and night taught be to fight And for his love I bled.
 his own heart he gave me part; For him I went to war.
 led his band with sword in hand; In their place he would die.
 bold and brave each proud - ly gave Love's bond to our lost Lord.