

# I live, and yet methinks I do not breathe

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Soprano I  
*p* I live, and yet me - thinks I do not breathe, and yet me - thinks I do not

Soprano II  
*p* I live, and yet me - thinks I do not breathe, and yet me - thinks I

Tenor  
8 *p* I live, and yet me - thinks I do not breathe, and yet me - thinks I do not

*p*

10 *cresc.* 15

S  
breathe: I thirst, and drink, I drink, and thirst a - gain, I thirst, and

*cresc.*

T  
do not breathe: I thirst, and drink, I drink, and thirst a - gain, I thirst, and

8 *cresc.*

breathe: I thirst, and drink a - gain, I

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S  
drink, I drink, and thirst a - gain: *pp* I sleep and yet

drink, I drink, and thirst a - gain: *pp* I sleep, and yet I dream

T  
8  
drink and thirst a - gain: *pp* I sleep, and yet I dream, I dream

25 30

S I dream I am a - wake: I hope for that I have; I \_\_\_ have, and want: *mf* I

T I am a \_\_\_ wake: I hope for that I have; I \_\_\_ have, and want: *mf* I

8 I am a - wake: \_\_\_ I hope \_\_\_ for that I have; I \_\_\_ have, and want: *mf* I

35 40

S sing, \_\_\_ and *p* sigh: I love and hate at once, \_\_\_ *mf* I sing \_\_\_ and sigh;

T sing, \_\_\_ and *p* sigh: I love and hate at once, \_\_\_ *mf* I sing \_\_\_ and sigh;

8 sing, and *p* sigh: I love and hate at once, \_\_\_ *mf* I sing \_\_\_ and sigh;

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S I love \_\_\_ and hate at once. Oh! tell me, rest - less soul, Oh! tell me,

T I \_\_\_ love \_\_\_ and hate at once. Oh! tell me, rest-less\_ soul, \_\_\_ Oh! tell me, \_\_\_

8 I love \_\_\_ and hate at once. Oh! tell me, rest - less soul, Oh! tell me,

50 *cresc.* 55

S rest - less soul, Oh! tell me, rest-less soul, what un-couth jar *mf* Doth

T rest-less soul, Oh! tell me, rest-less soul, what un-couth jar *mf* Doth

8 rest-less soul, Oh! tell me, rest-less soul, what un-couth jar

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S cause such want in store, doth cause such want in store, in

T cause such want in store, doth cause such want in store, doth cause such want in

8 *mf* Doth cause such want in

65 70

S peace such war, doth cause such want in store, in peace such war?

T store, in peace such war, doth cause such want in store, in peace such war?

8 store, doth cause such want in store, in peace such war?