

# Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes - song lyrics

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Drink to me only with thine eyes,  
And I will pledge with mine;  
Or leave a kiss within the cup,  
And I'll not look for wine.

The thirst that in my soul doth rise,  
Doth ask a drink divine;  
But might I of Jove's nectar sip,  
I would not change for thine.

I sent thee late a rosy wreath,  
Not so much honoring thee,  
As giving it a horn, that there  
It would not withered be.

But thou thereon didst only breathe,  
And sent it back to me;  
Since then it grows and smells, I swear,  
Not of itself-but thee!