

*Lady*

## *Charmer*

CHARMER, must your eyes beguile,  
So guilelessly, my hapless heart?  
Must impish innocence's smile  
Bedazzle and bedevil me? Then start  
Without undue delay sweet torture's ploy,  
Which glad susceptibilities enjoy.

Lead me unresisting on  
The path of hope you won't fulfil –  
Ensuring hope is never gone,  
While teasing pleasing is your weapon still.  
And every artless artifice implies  
The havoc that you wreak's a sheer surprise.

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