

The Lowest Trees Have Tops

tune: John Dowland, 1603
words: attrib to Sir Edward Dyer

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1. The low - est trees have tops, the ant her gall, The
 2. Where wat - ers smooth - est run, deep are the foords, The

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flie her spleene, the lit - - tle sparke his heate,
 diall _____ stirres, yet none per - ceives it move:

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And slen - der haire cast shad - owes though but small,
 The firm - est faith is in _____ the few - est words,

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And bees have stings al - - though they _____ be not great.
 The tur - tles can - - not sing, and _____ yet they love,

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Seas have their source, and so have shal - - lowe
 True hearts have eyes and eares, no tongues to

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springs, And love is love in beg - gars and in kings.
 speake: They heare, and see, and sigh, and then they breake.

Third Book of Songs, John Dowland, 1603
An Elizabethan Songbook, p.131 with guitar accompaniment.
Also: png file with guitar and lute accompaniment.