

The Silver Swan

ORLANDO GIBBONS

A

mp
The sil - ver swan, who liv - ing had no note, When

mp
The sil - ver swan, who liv - ing had no note, When death ap-proached un -

mp
The sil - ver swan, who liv - ing had no note, When

mp
The sil - ver swan, who liv - ing had no note, When death ap-proached

5 B

death ap-proached un - locked her si - lent throat. Lean - ing her

- locked her si - lent throat. *mf* Lean-ing her breast a -

8 death ap-proached un - locked her si-lent throat; *mp* Lean - ing her breast a -

mf

mf

un-locked her_ si - lent, si-lent throat; *mf* Lean-ing her breast a -

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breast a — gainst the reed — y shore Thus sung her first and

-gainst the reed — y shore, Thus sung her first and last, and sung no

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-gainst the_____ reed — y shore, Thus sung her first and last and

-gainst the reed — y shore, Thus sung her first and last and

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last, and sung no more: Fare — well all joys; O

more, no more: Fare-well, all joys, O death, come close mine

8 sung no more. Fare — well, all joys; O death, come

sung no more. Fare-well, all joys; O death, come close mine

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Death come close mine eyes. More geese than swans now live, more fools than wise. *pp*

eyes, More geese than swans now live, more fools than wise, than wise

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close mine eyes; More geese than swans now live more fools than wise.

eyes; More geese than swans now live, more fools than wise. *pp*