

# Three Jonson Ballads

for voice and guitar

Ben Jonson (1572-1637)

## The faiery beame upon you

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$\text{♩} = 72$

1. The faie - ry beame up - on you, — the —

7 starres to glis-ten — on — you, — a Moone of light, in the Noone of night, till the Fire-Drake hath o'er

12 gone — you. — The

17 Wheel of For - tune guide you, — the — Boy with the Bow — be - side — you, — runne aye in the way till the

22 *ritardando al fine*  
Bird of day, and the luck - yer — lot be - tide — you. —

circa 1' 30"

## The Hourglass

♩ = 60

2. Do but con-si-der this small dust here run-ning in the glass, \_\_\_\_\_ by

5 a-toms moved. \_\_\_\_\_ Could you be-lieve that this the bo-dy \_\_\_\_\_ was of one that loved? \_\_\_\_\_

9 \_\_\_\_\_ And in his mis-tress' flame, play-ing like a fly, \_\_\_\_\_ turned to cin- ders

13 by her eye? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes; and in death, as life, un-blessed, to have't ex-

18 pressed, e-ven ash-es of lo-vers find no \_\_\_\_\_ rest. \_\_\_\_\_

circa 1' 30" *ff*

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## So breaks the sun

 $\text{♩} = 54$ 

3.

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*ritardando espressivo*

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