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Henry V Act 1

[00:01:54]	Oh, for a muse of fire that would ascend
[00:01:56]	the brightest heaven of invention,
[00:01:59]	a kingdom for a stage, princes to act,
[00:02:01]	and monarchs to behold the swelling scene.
[00:02:05]	Then should the warlike Harry, like himself,
[00:02:08]	assume the port of Mars;
[00:02:10]	and at his heels, leash'd in like hounds,
[00:02:12]	should famine, sword, and fire crouch for employment.
[00:02:18]	But pardon, gentles all,
[00:02:19]	the flat unraised spirits that have dared
[00:02:22]	on this unworthy scaffold
[00:02:24]	to bring forth so great an object.
[00:02:28]	Can this cockpit hold the vasty fields of France?
[00:02:32]	Or may we cram within this wooden O
[00:02:34]	the very casques
[00:02:35]	that did affright the air at Agincourt?
[00:02:39]	Oh, pardon,
[00:02:43]	since a crooked figure
[00:02:45]	may attest in little place a million,
[00:02:48]	and let us, ciphers to this great accompt,
[00:02:51]	on your imaginary forces work.
[00:02:55]	Suppose within the girdle of these walls
[00:02:58]	are now confined two mighty monarchies,
[00:03:01]	whose high upreared and abutting fronts
[00:03:03]	the perilous narrow ocean parts asunder.
[00:03:07]	Piece out our imperfections with your thoughts.
[00:03:11]	Into a thousand parts divide one man,
[00:03:14]	and make imaginary puissance.
[00:03:17]	Think, when we talk of horses,
[00:03:19]	that you see them printing their proud hoofs
[00:03:21]	i' the receiving earth.
[00:03:22]	For 'tis your thoughts that now must deck our kings,
[00:03:26]	carry them here and there, jumping o'er times,
[00:03:29]	turning the accomplishment of many years
[00:03:33]	into an hourglass.
[00:03:35]	For the which supply, admit me chorus to this history,
[00:03:39]	who, prologue-like, your humble patience pray,
[00:03:43]	gently to hear, kindly to judge, our play.
[00:04:02]	My lord, I'll tell you:
[00:04:04]	that self bill is urged
	which in the 11th year of the last king's reign
[00:04:08]	was like and had indeed against us passed,
[00:04:11]	but that the scambling and unquiet time
[00:04:13]	did push it out of further question.
[00:04:15]	How, my lord, shall we resist it now?
[00:04:18]	It must be thought on.
[00:04:19]	If it pass against us,
[00:04:21]	we lose the better half of our possession,
[00:04:22]	for all the temporal lands
[00:04:24]	which men devout by testament have given to the church
[00:04:24]	would they strip from us;
[00:04:29]	being valued thus:
[00:04:29]	as much as would maintain, to the king's honor,
[00:04:32]	full 15 earls and 1,500 knights,
[00:04:32]	6,200 good esquires;
[00:04:39]	and to relief of lazars and weak age,
[00:04:42]	of indigent faint souls past corporal toil,
[00:04:44]	100 almshouses right well supplied;

[00:04:47] and to the coffers of the king beside, [00:04:49] 1,000 pounds by the year. [00:04:53] Thus runs the bill. [00:04:54] This would drink deep. [00:04:56] 'Twould drink the cup and all. [00:04:58] But what prevention? [00:05:01] The king is full of grace and fair regard. [00:05:03] And a true lover of the holy Church. [00:05:07] The courses of his youth promised it not. [00:05:10] The breath no sooner left his father's body [00:05:12] but that his wildness, mortified in him, [00:05:15] seemed to die too. [00:05:17] Yea, at that very moment, [00:05:18] consideration like an angel came [00:05:20] and whipped the offending Adam out of him, [00:05:23] leaving his body as a paradise [00:05:26] to envelop and contain celestial spirits. [00:05:29] Never was such a sudden scholar made. [00:05:32] Never came reformation [00:05:33] in a flood with such a heady currance, [00:05:35] scouring faults. [00:05:36] Nor never Hydra-headed willfulness [00:05:37] so soon did lose his seat, and all at once, [00:05:40] as in this king. [00:05:41] We are blessed in the change. [00:05:43] Hear him but reason in divinity, [00:05:45] and, all-admiring, with an inward wish [00:05:47] you would desire the king were made a prelate. [00:05:50] Hear him debate of commonwealth affairs, [00:05:51] you would say it hath been all in all his study. [00:05:54] List his discourse of war, [00:05:56] and you shall hear a fearful battle [00:05:57] rendered you in music. [00:05:59] Turn him to any cause of policy. [00:06:01] the Gordian knot of it he will unloose, [00:06:03] familiar as his garter; [00:06:05] that, when he speaks, [00:06:06] the air, a chartered libertine, [00:06:08] is still; [00:06:10] and the mute wonder lurketh in men's ears [00:06:13] to steal his sweet and honeved sentences [00:06:16] so that the art and practic' part of life [00:06:18] must be the mistress to this theoric--[00:06:20] which is a wonder how His Grace should glean it, [00:06:23] for his addiction was to courses vain; [00:06:25] his companies unlettered, rude, and shallow; [00:06:27] his hours filled up with riots, banquets, sports; [00:06:30] and never noted in him any study, any retirement, [00:06:35] any sequestration from open haunts and popularity. [00:06:41] How now for mitigation [00:06:43] of this bill urged by the commons? [00:06:44] Doth His Majesty incline to it or no? [00:06:46] He seems indifferent, [00:06:49] or rather swaying more upon our part [00:06:51] than cherishing the exhibiters against us, [00:06:59] for I have made an offer to His Majesty, [00:07:03] upon our spiritual convocation [00:07:04] and in regard of causes now in hand. [00:07:06] which I have opened to His Grace at large, [00:07:10] as touching France,

[00:07:13] to give a greater sum [00:07:15] than ever at one time the clergy yet did [00:07:17] to his predecessors part withal. [00:07:20] How did this offer seem received, my lord? [00:07:22] With good acceptance of His Majesty, [00:07:24] save that there was not time enough to hear, [00:07:26] as I perceive His Grace would fain have done, [00:07:30] the severals and unhidden passages [00:07:32] of his true titles to some certain dukedoms [00:07:34] and generally to the crown and seat of France [00:07:37] derived from Edward, his great-grandfather. [00:07:40] What was the impediment that broke this off? [00:07:42] The French ambassador, upon that instant, [00:07:45] craved audience. [00:07:47] And the hour, I think, is come to give him hearing. [00:07:49] Is it 4:00? [00:07:50] It is. [00:07:54] Then go we in to know his embassy. [00:08:09] God and His angels guard your sacred throne [00:08:11] and make you long become it. [00:08:13] Sure, we thank you. [00:08:17] My learned lord, we pray you to proceed [00:08:19] and justly and religiously unfold [00:08:21] why the law Salique that they have in France [00:08:25] or should or should not bar us in our claim. [00:08:27] And God forbid, my dear and faithful lord, [00:08:30] that you should fashion, wrest, or bow your reading [00:08:34] or nicely charge your understanding soul [00:08:37] with opening titles miscreate, [00:08:40] whose right suits [00:08:41] not in native colors with the truth, [00:08:43] for God doth know how many now in health [00:08:45] shall drop their blood in approbation [00:08:47] of what your reverence shall incite us to. [00:08:49] Therefore, take heed how you impawn our person, [00:08:52] how you awake our sleeping sword of war. [00:08:55] We charge you, in the name of God, take heed. [00:08:58] Then hear me, gracious sovereign, [00:09:02] and you peers [00:09:03] that owe yourselves, your lives, and services [00:09:05] to this imperial throne. [00:09:09] There is no bar to make against Your Highness' claim to France [00:09:12] but this... [00:09:14] which they produce from Pharamond. [00:09:17] "In terram Salicam mulieres ne succedant." [00:09:21] "No woman shall succeed in Salique land," [00:09:23] which Salique land [00:09:24] the French unjustly gloze to be the realm of France, [00:09:28] and Pharamond the found of this law and female bar. [00:09:31] Yet their own authors faithfully affirm [00:09:33] that the land Salique is in Germany [00:09:35] between the floods of Sala and of Elbe, [00:09:37] where Charles the Great, having subdued the Saxons, [00:09:40] there left behind and settled certain French, [00:09:43] who, holding in disdain the German women [00:09:46] for some dishonest manners of their life, [00:09:48] established then this law, to wit, [00:09:50] no female should be inheritrix in Saligue land--[00:09:53] which Salique, as I said, 'twixt Elbe and Sala, [00:09:55] is at this day in Germany called Meisen.

[00:09:57] Then doth it well appear the Salique law [00:10:01] was not devised for the realm of France, [00:10:03] howbeit they would hold up this Salique law [00:10:05] to bar Your Highness claiming from the female [00:10:08] and rather choose to hide them in a net [00:10:10] than amply to imbar their crooked titles [00:10:12] usurp'd from you and your progenitors. [00:10:13] May I with right and conscience make this claim? [00:10:17] The sin upon my head, dread sovereign, [00:10:19] for in the book of Numbers is it writ, "When the man dies, [00:10:21] [00:10:23] let the inheritance descend unto the daughter." [00:10:26] Gracious lord, [00:10:29] stand for your own. [00:10:31] Unwind your bloody flag! [00:10:33] Look back into your mighty ancestors. [00:10:36] Go, my dread lord, to your great-grandsire's tomb, [00:10:38] from whom you claim. [00:10:40] Invoke his warlike spirit [00:10:41] and your great-uncle's, Edward the Black Prince. [00:10:43] Awake remembrance of these valiant dead, [00:10:46] and with your puissant arm renew their feats. [00:10:48] Your brother kings and monarchs of the earth [00:10:50] do all expect that you should rouse yourself, [00:10:52] as did the former lions of your blood. [00:10:55] They know Your Grace hath cause and means and might, [00:10:58] so hath Your Highness. [00:10:59] Never king of England [00:11:01] had nobles richer nor more loyal subjects, [00:11:04] whose hearts have left their bodies [00:11:05] here in England [00:11:07] and lie pavilioned in the fields of France! [00:11:09] Oh, let their bodies follow, my dear liege, [00:11:11] with blood and sword and fire to win your right. [00:11:13] In aid whereof, we of the spiritualty [00:11:15] will raise Your Highness such a mighty sum [00:11:17] as never did the clergy at one time bring in [00:11:19] to any of your ancestors. [00:11:20] We must not only arm to invade the French [00:11:22] but lay down our proportion to defend against the Scot. [00:11:26] who will make road upon us with all advantages. [00:11:28] There is a saying, [00:11:30] very old and true. [00:11:33] "If that you will France win, [00:11:36] then with Scotland first begin." [00:11:39] For once the eagle England being in prey, [00:11:43] to her unguarded nest the weasel Scot comes sneaking [00:11:48] and so sucks her princely eggs, [00:11:51] playing the mouse in absence of the cat [00:11:54] to tear and havoc more than she can eat. [00:11:56] Well, it follows then, the cat must stay at home. [00:11:58] Yet that is but a crush'd necessity, [00:12:00] since we have locks to safeguard necessaries, [00:12:03] pretty traps to catch the petty thieves. [00:12:05] While that the armed hand doth fight abroad, [00:12:07] the advised head defends itself at home. [00:12:10] For government, though high and low and lower, [00:12:13] put into parts doth keep in one consent, [00:12:16] congreeing in a full and natural close, [00:12:19] like music.

[00:12:20] Therefore doth heaven [00:12:22] divide the state of man in divers functions, [00:12:24] setting endeavour in continual motion, [00:12:27] to which is fixed, as an aim or butt, obedience, [00:12:31] for thus work the honey bees, [00:12:33] creatures that, by a rule in nature, [00:12:36] teach the act of order to a peopled kingdom. [00:12:39] They have a king and officers of sorts, [00:12:42] where some, like magistrates, correct at home; [00:12:46] others, like merchants, venture trade abroad; [00:12:48] others, like soldiers, armed in their stings, [00:12:51] make root upon the summer's velvet buds, [00:12:54] which pillage they with merry march [00:12:56] bring home to the tent royal of their emperor, [00:12:58] who, busied in His Majesty, [00:13:00] surveys the singing masons building roofs of gold, [00:13:04] the civil citizens kneading up the honey, [00:13:07] the poor mechanic porters [00:13:08] crowding in their heavy burdens at his narrow gate, [00:13:11] the sad-eyed justice, with his surly hum, [00:13:15] delivering o'er to executors pale [00:13:17] the lazy yawning drone. [00:13:18] I this infer: [00:13:22] that many things, [00:13:23] having full reference to one consent, [00:13:25] may work contrariously, [00:13:28] so many a thousand actions once afoot [00:13:30] end in one purpose [00:13:31] and be all well-borne without defeat. [00:13:34] Therefore to France, my liege! [00:13:37] Divide your happy England into four, [00:13:39] whereof take you one quarter into France, [00:13:41] and you withal shall make all Gallia shake. [00:13:44] If we, with thrice such powers left at home, [00:13:46] cannot defend our own doors from the dog, [00:13:47] let us be worried [00:13:49] and our nation [00:13:50] lose the name of hardiness and policy. [00:13:52] Call in the messengers sent from the dauphin. [00:13:55] Now are we well-resolved, [00:13:57] and by God's help and yours, [00:13:59] the noble sinews of our power, [00:14:01] France, being ours, [00:14:03] #we'll bend it to our awe or break it all to pieces. [00:14:38] Now are we well-prepared [00:14:40] to know the pleasure of our fair cousin dauphin, [00:14:42] for we hear your greeting is from him, not from the king. [00:14:44] May it please Your Majesty to give us leave [00:14:49] freely to render what we have in charge, [00:14:52] or shall we sparingly [00:14:55] show you far off [00:14:57] the dauphin's meaning [00:14:59] and our embassy? [00:15:00] We are no tyrant but a Christian king [00:15:03] unto whose grace our passion is as subject [00:15:05] as are our wretches fettered in our prisons. [00:15:08] Therefore, with frank and with uncurbed plainness, [00:15:11] tell us the dauphin's mind. [00:15:21] Thus, then, in few. [00:15:22] Your Highness, lately sending into France,

[00:15:25] did order certain dukedoms [00:15:28] that you claimed of your great predecessor, [00:15:30] King Edward III. [00:15:31] In answer of which claim, the prince, our master, [00:15:38] says that you savor too much of your youth [00:15:41] and bids you be advised there's nought in France [00:15:45] that can be with a nimble galliard won. [00:15:48] You cannot revel into dukedoms there. [00:15:52] He therefore sends you, meeter for your spirit, [00:15:54] this ton of treasure, [00:15:56] and in lieu of this [00:15:58] desires you let the dukedoms that you claim [00:16:02] hear no more of you. [00:16:04] This the dauphin speaks. [00:16:08] What treasure, Uncle? [00:16:25] Tennis balls, my liege. [00:16:35] We are glad the dauphin is so pleasant with us. [00:16:38] His present and your pains we thank you for. [00:16:43] When we have matched our rackets to these balls, [00:16:46] we will, in France, by God's grace, [00:16:48] play a set shall strike his father's crown [00:16:51] into the hazard. [00:16:52] Tell him he hath made a match with such a wrangler [00:16:55] that all the courts of France shall be disturbed with chaces. [00:16:59] And we understand him well, [00:17:00] how he comes o'er us with our wilder days, [00:17:03] not measuring what use we made of them. [00:17:06] We never valued this poor seat of England. [00:17:09] And therefore, living hence, [00:17:10] did give ourself to barbarous license, [00:17:12] as 'tis ever common that men are merriest [00:17:14] when they are from home. [00:17:17] But tell the dauphin I will keep my state, [00:17:20] be like a king, [00:17:22] and show my sail of greatness [00:17:24] when I do rouse me in my throne of France. [00:17:26] For that I have laid by my majesty [00:17:32] and plodded like a man for working days, [00:17:37] but I will rise there with so full a glory [00:17:39] that I shall dazzle all the eyes of France... [00:17:44] yea, strike the dauphin blind to look on us. [00:17:52] And tell the pleasant prince this mock of his [00:17:55] hath turned his balls to gunstones, [00:17:59] and his soul shall stand sore charged [00:18:01] for the wasteful vengeance that shall fly with them, [00:18:06] for many a thousand widows shall this, his mock, [00:18:09] mock out of their dear husbands, [00:18:12] mock mothers from their sons. [00:18:15] mock castles down. [00:18:17] And some are yet ungotten and unborn [00:18:21] that shall have cause to curse the dauphin's scorn. [00:18:29] But this lies all within the will of God, [00:18:32] to whom I do appeal [00:18:34] and in whose name, tell you the dauphin, [00:18:36] I am coming on to venge me as I may [00:18:40] and to put forth my rightful hand [00:18:42] in a well-hallow'd cause. [00:18:46] So get you hence in peace. [00:18:53] And tell the dauphin his jest will savor but of shallow wit [00:18:57] when thousands weep more than did laugh at it.

[00:19:00] Convey them with safe conduct. [00:19:02] Fare you well. [00:19:09] This was a merry message. [00:19:12] We hope to make the sender blush at it. [00:19:14] Therefore, my lords, omit no happy hour [00:19:16] that may give furtherance to our expedition, [00:19:19] for we have now no thought in us but France, [00:19:22] save those to God, that run before our business. [00:19:25] Therefore, let our proportions for these wars [00:19:27] be soon collected [00:19:28] and all things thought upon [00:19:29] that may with reasonable swiftness [00:19:31] add more feathers to our wings, [00:19:33] for, God before, [00:19:35] we'll chide this dauphin at his father's door. [00:19:44] Now all the youth of England are on fire, [00:19:47] and silken dalliance in the wardrobe lies. [00:19:50] Now thrive the armorers, [00:19:51] and honor's thought [00:19:52] reigns solely in the breast of every man. [00:19:55] They sell the pasture now to buy the horse, [00:19:58] following the mirror of all Christian kings. [00:20:00] with winged heels, as English Mercuries, [00:20:03] for now sits expectation in the air [00:20:06] and hides a sword from hilts unto the point [00:20:09] with crowns imperial, [00:20:11] crowns and coronets [00:20:12] promised to Harry and his followers. [00:20:15] The French, advised by good intelligence [00:20:18] of this most dreadful preparation, [00:20:20] shake in their fear [00:20:22] and with pale policy [00:20:23] seek to divert the English purposes. [00:20:27] Oh, England, [00:20:29] model to thy inward greatness, [00:20:31] like little body with a mighty heart, [00:20:33] what mightst thou do-- that honor would thee do--[00:20:35] were all thy children kind and natural. [00:20:38] But see thy fault. [00:20:40] France hath in the found out a nest of hollow bosoms. [00:20:43] which he fills with treacherous crowns, [00:20:45] and three corrupted men--[00:20:48] one Richard, Earl of Cambridge; [00:20:50] and the second, Henry, Lord Scroop of Masham; [00:20:53] and the third, Sir Thomas Grey, Knight of Northumberland--[00:20:56] have, for the gilt of France-- oh, guilt indeed--[00:21:00] confirmed conspiracy with fearful France. [00:21:03] And by their hands, [00:21:04] this grace of kings must die [00:21:06] if hell and treason hold their promises [00:21:08] ere he take ship for France and in Southampton. [00:21:14] Linger your patience on, [00:21:16] and we'll digest the abuse of distance, [00:21:18] force a play. [00:21:21] The sum is paid, [00:21:22] the traitors are agreed, [00:21:24] the king is set from London, [00:21:26] and the scene is now transported, gentles, [00:21:29] to Southampton. [00:21:31] There is the playhouse now.

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- [00:21:32] There must you sit,
- [00:21:34] and thence to France shall we convey you safe
- [00:21:38] and bring you back,
- [00:21:39] charming the narrow seas to give you gentle pass,
- [00:21:43] for, if we may,
- $\verb[00:21:44]$ we'll not offend one stomach with our play.
- $\verb[00:21:50]$ But, till the king come forth and not till then,
- [00:21:53] unto Southampton do we shift our scene.

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[00:21:58]	Well met, Corporal Nym.
[00:22:01]	What, are Ancient Pistol and you friends yet?
[00:22:04]	For my part, I care not.
[00:22:06]	I say little,
[00:22:07]	but when time shall serve,
[00:22:08]	there shall be smiles.
[00:22:10]	But that shall be as it may.
[00:22:12]	I dare not fight,
[00:22:14]	but I will wink and hold out mine iron.
[00:22:17]	It is a simple one, but what, though?
[00:22:20]	It will toast cheese,
[00:22:22]	and it will endure cold as another man's sword will,
[00:22:25]	and there's an end.
[00:22:27]	I will bestow a breakfast to make you two friends,
[00:22:30]	and we'll be, all three, sworn brothers to France.
[00:22:33]	Let it be so, good Corporal Nym.
[00:22:36]	Faith, I will live so long as I may,
[00:22:38]	that's the certain of it,
[00:22:39]	and when I cannot live any longer,
[00:22:41]	I will do as I may.
[00:22:43]	That is my rest.
[00:22:44]	That is the rendezvous of it.
[00:22:48]	It is certain he is married to Nell Quickly,
[00:22:52]	and certainly, she did you wrong,
[00:22:54]	for you was trothplight to her.
[00:22:57]	I cannot tell.
[00:22:58]	Things must be as they may.
[00:23:00]	Men may sleep,
[00:23:01]	and they may have their throats about them
[00:23:04]	at that time,
[00:23:05]	and some say knives have edges.
[00:23:08]	It must be as it may.
[00:23:09]	Though patience be a tired mare, yet she will plod.
[00:23:13]	There must be conclusions.
[00:23:15]	Well, I cannot tell.
[00:23:18]	How now, mine host, Pistol.
[00:23:21]	Base tike, call'st thou me host?
[00:23:25]	Now, by this hand, I scorn the term.
[00:23:29]	Nor will my Nell keep lodgers.
[00:23:31]	No, by my troth,
[00:23:33]	for we cannot lodge or board
[00:23:35]	a dozen or 14 gentlewomen
[00:23:36]	that live honestly by the prick of their needles,
[00:23:40]	but it will be thought we keep a bawdy house straight.
[00:23:42]	Ha!
[00:23:44]	Oh, well a day, Lady, if he be not drawn.
[00:23:46]	Now we shall see wilful adultery and murder committed.
[00:23:49]	Good Lieutenant!
[00:23:50]	Good Corporal!
[00:23:51]	Offer nothing here.
[00:23:52]	Pish!
[00:23:54]	Pish for thee, Iceland dog,
[00:23:57]	thou prick-eared cur of Iceland.
[00:23:59]	Good Corporal Nym, show thy valor.
[00:24:01]	Put up your sword!
[00:24:02]	Hear me!
[00:24:03]	Hear me what I say!
[00:24:05]	He that strikes the first stroke,
[00.21.03]	re all sunds no mist subro,

[00:24:07] I'll run him up to the hilts, as I am a soldier. [00:24:10] An oath of mickle might, [00:24:12] and fury will abate. [00:24:14] Mine host Pistol, you must come to my master, [00:24:17] and you, hostess. [00:24:19] He is very sick and would to bed. [00:24:21] Good Bardolph, put thy face between his sheets, [00:24:24] and do the office of a warming pan. [00:24:26] Away, you rogue. [00:24:27] Faith, he's very ill. [00:24:29] By my troth, [00:24:30] he'll yield the crow a pudding one of these days. [00:24:34] The king has killed his heart. [00:24:38] Come, shall I make you friends? [00:24:41] We must to France together. [00:24:42] Why the devil should we keep knives [00:24:44] to cut one another's throats? [00:24:45] Let floods o'erswell and fiends for food howl on. [00:24:51] You'll pay me the 8 shillings I won of you at betting. [00:24:54] Base is a slave that pays. [00:24:56] That now I will have. [00:24:57] That's the humor of it. [00:24:58] As manhood shall compound. [00:25:02] Push home! [00:25:04] By this sword, [00:25:05] he that makes the first thrust, I'll kill him. [00:25:08] By this sword, I will. [00:25:10] A sword is an oath, [00:25:13] and oaths must have their course. [00:25:15] Corporal Nym, an thou wilt be friends, [00:25:18] be friends! [00:25:20] An thou wilt not, why, then, be enemies with me too. [00:25:23] Prithee, put up. [00:25:25] I shall have my 8 shillings I won of you at betting? [00:25:29] A noble shalt thou have and present pay, [00:25:33] and liquor likewise will I give to thee, [00:25:36] and friendship shall combine and brotherhood. [00:25:40] I shall live by Nym, [00:25:42] and Nym shall live by me. [00:25:44] Is not that just? [00:25:46] For I shall sutler be unto the camp, [00:25:49] and profits will accrue. [00:25:54] Give me thy hand. [00:25:55] I shall have my noble. [00:25:56] In cash most justly paid. [00:25:58] Well, then, that's the humor of't. [00:26:01] As ever you come of women, come in quickly to Sir John. [00:26:04] Ah, poor heart. [00:26:05] He is so shaked of a burning quotidian tertian [00:26:08] 'tis most lamentable to behold. [00:26:10] Sweet men, come to him. [00:26:12] The king hath run bad humors on the knight. [00:26:15] That's the even of it. [00:26:16] Nym, thou hast spoke the right. [00:26:18] His heart is fracted and corroborate. [00:26:21] The king is a good king, [00:26:22] but it must be as it may. [00:26:24] He passes some humors and careers. [00:26:26] Let us condole the knight, [00:26:29] for, lambkins, we will live.

[00:26:36] 'Fore God, His Grace is bold to trust such traitors. [00:26:39] They shall be apprehended by and by. [00:26:44] How smooth and even they do bear themselves, [00:26:46] as if allegiance in their bosoms [00:26:48] sat crowned with faith and constant loyalty! [00:26:50] Shh. [00:26:51] The king hath note of all that they intend [00:26:54] by interception which they dream not of. [00:26:56] Nay, but the man that was his bedfellow, [00:26:58] whom he hath dulled and cloyed with gracious favors--[00:27:01] that he should, for a foreign purse, [00:27:03] so sell his sovereign's life to death and treachery. [00:27:12] Now sits the wind fair, and we will aboard. [00:27:16] My Lord of Cambridge and my kind Lord of Masham [00:27:21] and you, my gentle knight, [00:27:23] give me your thoughts. [00:27:24] Think you not that the powers we bear with us [00:27:26] will cut their passage through the force of France, [00:27:29] doing the execution and the act [00:27:30] for which we have in head assembled them? [00:27:32] No doubt, my liege, if each man do his best. [00:27:34] I doubt not that, since we are well persuaded [00:27:36] we carry not a heart with us from hence [00:27:38] that grows not in a fair consent with ours [00:27:41] nor leave not one behind [00:27:42] that doth not wish success and conquest [00:27:44] to attend on us. [00:27:451 Never was monarch [00:27:46] better feared and loved than is Your Majesty. [00:27:48] There's not, I think, a subject [00:27:49] that sits in heart grief and uneasiness [00:27:51] under the sweet shade of your government. [00:27:53] True. [00:27:54] Those that were your father's enemies [00:27:56] have steeped their galls in honey [00:27:57] and do serve you [00:27:58] with hearts create of duty and of zeal. [00:28:02] We therefore have great cause of thankfulness [00:28:04] and shall forget the office of our hand [00:28:05] sooner than guittance of desert and merit [00:28:07] according to the weight and worthiness. [00:28:09] So service shall with steeled sinews toil, [00:28:12] and labor shall refresh itself with hope [00:28:14] to do Your Grace incessant services. [00:28:16] We judge no less. [00:28:18] Uncle of Exeter, [00:28:19] enlarge the man committed yesterday [00:28:20] that railed against our person. [00:28:22] We consider it was excess of wine [00:28:23] that set him on, [00:28:24] and on his more advice, we pardon him. [00:28:26] That's mercy, but too much security. [00:28:30] Let him be punished, sovereign, [00:28:33] lest example breed, by his sufferance, [00:28:35] more of such a kind. [00:28:36] Oh, let us yet be merciful. [00:28:38] So may Your Highness, and yet punish too. [00:28:41] Sir, you show great mercy if you give him life [00:28:43] after the taste of much correction. [00:28:45] Alas, your too much love and care of me

[00:28:47] are heavy orisons 'gainst this poor wretch. [00:28:49] If little faults, proceeding on distemper, [00:28:52] shall not be winked at, [00:28:53] how shall we stretch our eye when capital crimes, [00:28:55] chewed, swallowed, and digested, [00:28:57] appear before us? [00:28:59] We'll yet enlarge that man, [00:29:01] though Cambridge, Scroop, and Grey, [00:29:04] in their dear care [00:29:05] and tender preservation of our person, [00:29:07] would have him punished. [00:29:09] And now to our French causes. [00:29:11] Who are the late commissioners? [00:29:12] I one, my lord. [00:29:13] Your Highness bade me ask for it today. [00:29:15] So did you me, my liege. [00:29:16] And I, my royal sovereign. [00:29:17] Then, Richard, Earl of Cambridge, [00:29:19] there is yours; [00:29:21] there yours, Lord Scroop of Masham; [00:29:24] and, Sir Knight Grey of Northumberland, [00:29:26] this same is yours. [00:29:27] Read them, [00:29:29] and know I know your worthiness. [00:29:32] My Lord of Westmoreland, Uncle Exeter, [00:29:34] we will aboard tonight. [00:29:41] Why, how now, gentlemen? [00:29:42] What see you in those papers [00:29:43] that you lose so much complexion? [00:29:46] Look, ye, how they change. [00:29:49] Their cheeks are paper. [00:29:52] Why, what read you there that have so cowarded [00:29:55] and chased your blood out of appearance? [00:29:58] I do confess my fault [00:30:00] and do submit me to Your Highness' mercy. [00:30:03] To which we all appeal. [00:30:05] The mercy that was quick in us but late [00:30:07] by your own counsel is suppressed and killed. [00:30:11] You must not dare, for shame, to talk of mercy, [00:30:15] for your own reasons turn into your bosoms, [00:30:17] as dogs upon their masters, worrying you. [00:30:22] See you, my princes and my noble peers, [00:30:24] these English monsters. [00:30:28] My Lord of Cambridge here, [00:30:30] you know how apt our love was to accord to furnish him [00:30:32] with all appurtenants belonging to his honor: [00:30:36] and this man hath for a few light crowns, [00:30:39] lightly conspired and sworn unto the practices of France [00:30:43] to kill us here in Hampton; [00:30:47] to the which this knight, [00:30:49] no less for bounty bound to us than Cambridge is, [00:30:52] hath likewise sworn. [00:30:59] But, oh, what shall I say to thee, Lord Scroop? [00:31:05] Thou cruel, [00:31:07] ingrateful, [00:31:10] savage, [00:31:12] and inhuman creature? [00:31:19] Thou that didst bear the key of all my counsels, [00:31:24] that knew'st the very bottom of my soul, [00:31:27] that almost mightst have coin'd me into gold,

[00:31:32] wouldst thou have practised on me for thy use? [00:31:35] May it be possible that foreign hire [00:31:37] could out of thee extract one spark of evil [00:31:41] that might annoy my finger? [00:31:46] 'Tis so strange that, though the truth of it [00:31:48] stand off as gross as black and white, [00:31:51] my eye will scarcely see it. [00:31:56] Oh, how hast thou with jealousy [00:31:57] infected the sweetness of affiance. [00:32:02] Show men dutiful? [00:32:05] Why... [00:32:07] so didst thou. [00:32:10] Seem they grave and learned? [00:32:14] Why... [00:32:16] so didst thou. [00:32:19] Come they of noble family? [00:32:23] Why... [00:32:25] so didst thou. [00:32:28] Seem they religious? [00:32:31] Why... [00:32:33] so didst thou. [00:32:37] And thus, thy fall hath left a kind of blot [00:32:39] to mark the full-fraught man and best indued [00:32:42] with some suspicion. [00:32:46] I will weep for thee, [00:32:48] for this revolt of thine, methinks, [00:32:50] is like another fall of man. [00:32:55] Their faults are open. [00:32:56] Arrest them to the answer of the law, [00:32:58] and God acquit them of their practices. [00:33:04] Our purposes God justly hath discovered, [00:33:08] and I repent my fault more than my death, [00:33:12] which I beseech Your Highness to forgive [00:33:14] although my body pay the price of it. [00:33:17] For me, the gold of France did not seduce, [00:33:20] although I did admit it as a motive [00:33:22] the sooner to effect what I intended. [00:33:25] But God be thanked for prevention, [00:33:28] which I in sufferance heartily will rejoice, [00:33:31] beseeching God and you to pardon me. [00:33:34] Never did faithful subject [00:33:36] more rejoice at the discovery of most dangerous treason [00:33:39] than I do at this hour joy o'er myself, [00:33:42] prevented from a damned enterprise. [00:33:45] My fault, but not my body, pardon, sovereign. [00:33:51] God quit you in His mercy. [00:33:53] Hear your sentence. [00:33:56] You have conspired against our royal person, [00:33:59] joined with an enemy proclaimed, [00:34:01] and from his coffers received the golden earnest of our death, [00:34:05] wherein you would have sold your king to slaughter, [00:34:08] his princes and his peers to servitude, [00:34:11] his subjects to oppression and contempt, [00:34:13] and his whole kingdom into desolation. [00:34:17] Touching our person, seek we no revenge, [00:34:21] but we our kingdom's safety must so tender, [00:34:23] whose ruin you have sought, [00:34:26] that to her laws we do deliver you. [00:34:29] Get you therefore hence, poor, miserable wretches,

[00:34:32] to your death,

[00:34:35] the taste whereof [00:34:36] God of His mercy give you patience to endure [00:34:38] and true repentance of all your dear offences. [00:34:41] Bear them hence. [00:34:55] Now, lords, for France, [00:34:58] the enterprise whereof [00:34:59] shall be to you, as us, like glorious. [00:35:03] We doubt not of a fair and lucky war, [00:35:05] since God so graciously hath brought to light [00:35:07] this dangerous treason lurking in our way [00:35:09] to hinder our beginnings. [00:35:11] We doubt not now but every rub is smoothed on our way. [00:35:15] Then forth, dear countrymen. [00:35:17] Let us deliver our puissance into the hand of God, [00:35:19] putting it straight in expedition. [00:35:22] Cheerly to sea. [00:35:23] The signs of war advance. [00:35:26] No king of England if not king of France. [00:35:31] God save the king! [00:35:34] God save the king! [00:35:49] Honey, sweet husband, [00:35:51] let me bring thee to Staines. [00:35:52] No, for my manly heart doth yearn. [00:35:55] Bardolph, be blithe. [00:35:57] Nym, rouse thy vaunting veins. [00:35:58] Boy, bristle thy courage up, [00:36:01] for Falstaff, [00:36:03] he is dead, [00:36:04] and we must yearn therefore. [00:36:08] Would I were with him, wheresome'er he is, [00:36:11] either in heaven or in hell. [00:36:13] Nay, sure, he's not in hell. [00:36:17] He's in Arthur's bosom. [00:36:19] if ever man went to Arthur's bosom. [00:36:23] A' made a finer end [00:36:25] and went away [00:36:27] an it had been any christom child. [00:36:31] A' parted even just between 12:00 and 1:00, [00:36:35] even at the turning of the tide, [00:36:39] for after I saw him [00:36:40] fumble with the sheets [00:36:43] and play with flowers [00:36:46] and smile upon his fingers' ends, [00:36:49] I knew there was but one way. [00:36:52] For his nose was as sharp as a pen, [00:36:56] and a' babbled o' green fields. [00:37:00] "How now, Sir John?" quoth I. [00:37:03] "Come, man. [00:37:04] Be of good cheer." [00:37:07] So a' cried out, [00:37:10] "God, [00:37:11] God. God." [00:37:14] three or four times. [00:37:16] Now I, to comfort him. [00:37:18] bid him a' should not think of God. [00:37:21] I hoped there was no need to trouble himself [00:37:24] with any such thoughts yet. [00:37:27] So a' bade me put more clothes on his feet. [00:37:31] And I put my hand in the bed, and I felt them, [00:37:35] and they were as cold as any stone.

[00:37:39] And then I felt up to his knees, [00:37:42] and so upward and upward, [00:37:48] and all was as cold as any stone. [00:37:51] They say he cried out of sack. [00:37:53] Aye, that a' did. [00:37:55] And of women. [00:37:56] Nay, that a' did not. [00:37:57] That a' did, and said they were devils incarnate. [00:37:59] A' could never abide carnation. [00:38:02] 'Twas a color he never liked. [00:38:03] A' said once the devil would have him about women. [00:38:05] A' did in some sorts handle women. [00:38:10] but then he was rheumatic [00:38:11] and talked of the whore of Babylon. [00:38:14] Do you not remember? [00:38:15] A' saw a flea stick upon Bardolph's nose [00:38:18] and said it was a black soul burning in hell? [00:38:23] Well, the fuel is gone that maintained that fire. [00:38:25] That's all the riches I got in his service. [00:38:28] Shall we shog? [00:38:29] Yeah, the king will be gone from Southampton. [00:38:31] Come, let's away. [00:38:33] My love, [00:38:34] give me thy lips. [00:38:36] Look to my chattels and my movables. [00:38:39] Go, clear thy crystals. [00:38:42] Yokefellows in arms, let us to France, [00:38:47] like horseleeches, my boys, [00:38:50] to suck, [00:38:51] to suck, [00:38:53] the very blood to suck! [00:38:57] And that's but unwholesome food, they say. [00:39:02] Touch her soft mouth, and march. [00:39:05] Farewell, hostess. [00:39:14] I cannot kiss. [00:39:16] That's the humor of it. [00:39:17] But, adieu. [00:39:22] Let housewifery appear. [00:39:26] Keep close, I thee command! [00:39:37] Farewell. [00:39:39] Farewell! [00:39:40] Farewell! [00:39:47] Adieu. [00:39:53] Thus comes the English with full power upon us, [00:39:57] and more than carefully it us concerns [00:39:59] to answer royally in our defenses. [00:40:02] Therefore, the Dukes of Berri and of Bretagne, [00:40:06] of Brabant and Orleans [00:40:08] shall make forth, [00:40:09] and you, Prince Dauphin, [00:40:10] with all swift dispatch [00:40:12] to line and new repair our towns of war [00:40:16] with men of courage and with means defendant. [00:40:18] My most redoubted father, [00:40:21] it is most meet we arm us 'gainst the foe. [00:40:24] For peace itself should not so dull a kingdom, [00:40:27] though war nor no known quarrel were in question [00:40:30] but that defenses, musters, preparations [00:40:33] should be maintained, assembled, and collected, [00:40:35] as were a war in expectation.

[00:40:38] Therefore, I say, 'tis meet we all go forth [00:40:41] to view the sick and feeble parts of France. [00:40:45] And let us do it with no show of fear. [00:40:47] No, with no more than if we heard that England [00:40:50] were busied with a Whitsun morris dance, [00:40:52] for, my good liege, she is so idly kinged, [00:40:55] her sceptre so fantastically borne [00:40:57] by a vain, giddy, shallow, humorous youth, [00:41:01] that fear attends her not. [00:41:02] Oh, peace, Prince Dauphin. [00:41:04] You are too much mistaken in this king. [00:41:06] Question Your Grace the late ambassadors [00:41:09] with what great state he heard their embassy, [00:41:11] how well supplied with noble counselors, [00:41:13] how modest in exception, [00:41:14] and withal how terrible in constant resolution. [00:41:17] and you shall find his vanities forspent [00:41:19] were but the outside of the Roman Brutus, [00:41:22] covering discretion with a coat of folly. [00:41:25] Well, 'tis not so, my Lord High Constable, [00:41:29] but though we think it so, it is no matter. [00:41:31] Ah! [00:41:32] In cases of defense, [00:41:33] 'tis best to weigh the enemy more mighty than he seems [00:41:37] so the proportions of defense are filled, [00:41:39] which, of a weak and niggardly projection, [00:41:41] doth, like a miser, spoil his coat [00:41:44] with scanting a little cloth. [00:41:45] Think we King Harry strong, [00:41:47] and, princes, look you strongly arm to meet him. [00:41:51] The kindred of him hath been fleshed upon us, [00:41:54] and he is bred out of that bloody strain [00:41:57] that haunted us in our familiar paths. [00:42:00] Witness our too much memorable shame [00:42:02] when CrÈcy battle fatally was struck [00:42:05] and all our princes captived [00:42:06] by the hand of that black name, Edward, Black Prince of Wales. This is a stem of that victorious stock, [00:42:11] [00:42:14] and let us fear the native mightiness [00:42:16] and fate of him. [00:42:23] Ambassadors from Harry, King of England, [00:42:25] do crave admittance to Your Majesty. [00:42:27] We'll give them present audience. [00:42:29] Your Majesty! [00:42:30] Go, and bring them. [00:42:34] You see, this chase is hotly followed, friends. [00:42:38] Turn head, and stop pursuit, [00:42:41] for coward dogs most spend their mouths [00:42:43] when what they seem to threaten runs far before them. [00:42:47] Good my sovereign, [00:42:49] take up the English short, [00:42:50] and let them know [00:42:51] of what a monarchy you are the head. [00:42:54] Self-love, my liege, [00:42:55] is not so vile a sin as self-neglecting. [00:43:15] From our brother of England? [00:43:16] From him, [00:43:17] and thus he greets Your Majesty. [00:43:21] He wills you, in the name of God Almighty, [00:43:24] that you divest yourself

[00:43:25] and lay apart the borrowed glories [00:43:28] that by gift of heaven, [00:43:29] by law of nature and of nations [00:43:31] 'longs to him and to his heirs, [00:43:34] namely the crown--[00:43:37] and all wide-stretched honors [00:43:38] that pertain by custom and the ordinance of times [00:43:42] unto the crown of France. [00:43:44] Or else what follows? [00:43:46] Bloody constraint, [00:43:48] for if you hide the crown even in your hearts, [00:43:52] there will he rake for it. [00:43:53] Therefore in fierce tempest is he coming, [00:43:57] in thunder and in earthquake--[00:44:00] like a Jove that, if requiring fail, [00:44:03] he will compel--[00:44:06] and bids you, in the bowels of the Lord, [00:44:08] deliver up the crown [00:44:09] and to take mercy on the poor souls [00:44:11] for whom this hungry war opens his vasty jaws--[00:44:16] and on your head turning the widows' tears, [00:44:19] the orphans' cries, the dead men's blood, [00:44:21] the privy maidens' groans [00:44:24] for husbands, fathers, and betrothed lovers [00:44:26] that shall be swallowed in this controversy. [00:44:30] This is his claim, [00:44:32] his threatening, [00:44:35] and my message. [00:44:38] Unless the dauphin be in presence here, [00:44:41] to whom expressly I bring greeting to. [00:44:44] For us, we will consider of this further. [00:44:47] Your Majesty! [00:44:49] Tomorrow shall you bear our full intent [00:44:50] back to our brother of England. [00:44:54] For the dauphin, [00:44:59] I stand here for him. [00:45:02] What to him from England? [00:45:05] Scorn and defiance, [00:45:08] slight regard, contempt, [00:45:11] and anything [00:45:12] that may not misbecome the mighty sender [00:45:16] doth he prize you at. [00:45:20] Say... [00:45:23] if my father render fair return, [00:45:26] it is against my will, [00:45:28] for I desire nothing but odds with England. [00:45:32] To that end, as matching to his youth and vanity, [00:45:37] I did present him with the Paris balls. [00:45:41] He'll make your Paris Louvre shake for it, [00:45:43] were it the mistress court of mighty Europe. [00:45:47] And be assured, you'll find a difference, [00:45:49] as we his subjects have in wonder found, [00:45:53] between the promise of his greener days [00:45:55] and these he masters now. [00:45:58] Now he weighs time even to the utmost grain. [00:46:04] That you shall read in your own losses [00:46:06] if he stay in France. [00:46:08] Tomorrow shall you know our mind at full. [00:46:10] Dispatch us with all speed, [00:46:12] lest that our king come here himself

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[00:46:14] to question our delay,

[00:46:16] for he is footed in this land already.

[00:46:19] You shall be soon dispatched with fair conditions.

[00:46:22] A night is but small breath and little pause

[00:46:25] to answer matters of this consequence!

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[00:46:32] Thus with imagined wing, our swift scene flies in motion of no less celerity than that of thought. [00:46:35] [00:46:38] Suppose that you have seen the well-appointed king [00:46:41] at Hampton pier embark his royalty [00:46:44] and his brave fleet with silken streamers [00:46:47] the young Phoebus fanning. [00:46:49] Play with your fancies, [00:46:50] and in them behold upon the hempen tackle [00:46:52] ship boys climbing. [00:46:54] Hear the shrill whistle [00:46:55] which doth order give to sounds confused. [00:46:58] Behold the threaden sails. [00:47:00] borne with the invisible and creeping wind, [00:47:03] draw the huge bottoms through the furrowed sea, [00:47:05] breasting the lofty surge. [00:47:07] Oh, do but think you stand upon the rivage [00:47:10] and behold a city [00:47:12] on the inconstant billows dancing, [00:47:14] for so appears this fleet majestical, [00:47:16] holding due course to Harfleur. [00:47:19] Follow, follow. [00:47:21] Grapple your minds to sternage of this navy, [00:47:24] and leave your England, as dead midnight still, [00:47:28] guarded with grandsires, babies, and old women, [00:47:31] either past or not arrived at pith and puissance, [00:47:34] for who is he whose chin [00:47:36] is but enriched with one appearing hair, [00:47:39] that will not follow [00:47:40] these culled and choice-drawn cavaliers [00:47:42] to France? [00:47:43] Work, work your thoughts, [00:47:45] and therein see a siege. [00:47:47] Behold the ordnance on their carriages, [00:47:50] with fatal mouths gaping on girded Harfleur. [00:47:53] Suppose the ambassador from the French comes back, [00:47:57] tells Harry that the king [00:47:58] doth offer him Katharine his daughter [00:48:00] and with her, to dowry, [00:48:02] some petty and unprofitable dukedoms. [00:48:05] The offer likes not, [00:48:07] and the nimble gunner [00:48:08] with linstock now the devilish cannon touches, [00:48:11] and down goes all before them. [00:48:13] Still be kind, [00:48:15] and eke out our performance with your mind. [00:48:22] Once more unto the breach, dear friends, once more! [00:48:25] Or close the wall up with our English dead! [00:48:32] In peace, there's nothing so becomes a man [00:48:35] as modest stillness and humility. [00:48:39] But when the blast of war blows in our ears, [00:48:42] then imitate the action of the tiger. [00:48:45] Stiffen the sinews, summon up the blood, [00:48:47] disguise fair nature with hard-favored rage. [00:48:51] Then lend the eye a terrible aspect. [00:48:52] Let it pry through the portage of the head [00:48:54] like the brass cannon! [00:48:56] Let the brow o'erwhelm it as fearfully [00:48:58] as doth a galled rock o'erhang and jutty his confounded base,

[00:49:01] swilled with the wild and wasteful ocean. [00:49:03] Now set the teeth and stretch the nostril wide, [00:49:05] hold hard the breath, [00:49:07] and bend up every spirit to his full height! [00:49:11] On, on, you noblest English, [00:49:13] whose blood is fet from fathers of war proof. [00:49:16] Fathers that, like so many Alexanders, [00:49:18] have in these parts from morn till even fought [00:49:21] and sheathed their swords for lack of argument. [00:49:25] Dishonor not your mothers! [00:49:26] Now attest that those whom you called fathers [00:49:28] did beget you. [00:49:30] Be copy now to men of grosser blood, [00:49:32] and teach them how to war. [00:49:34] And you, good yeomen, [00:49:36] whose limbs were made in England, [00:49:37] show us here the mettle of your pasture. [00:49:39] Let us swear that you are worth your breeding, [00:49:42] which I doubt not, [00:49:43] for there is none of you so mean and base [00:49:45] that hath not noble luster in your eyes. [00:49:49] I see you stand like greyhounds in the slips, [00:49:54] straining upon the start. [00:49:56] The game's afoot. [00:49:58] Follow your spirit, [00:49:59] and upon this charge cry, [00:50:01] "God for Harry, [00:50:02] "England, [00:50:04] and Saint George!" [00:50:09] On! [00:50:10] To the breach! [00:50:11] To the breach! [00:50:12] Pray thee, Corporal, stay! [00:50:13] To the breach! [00:50:14] The knocks are too hot! [00:50:16] And, for mine own part, I have not a case of lives. [00:50:18] The humor of it is too hot. [00:50:19] That's the very plainsong of it. [00:50:21] Plainsong is most just, for humors do abound. [00:50:25] "Knocks go and come. [00:50:26] "God's vassals drop and die, [00:50:28] "and sword and shield, in bloody field, [00:50:30] doth win immortal fame!' [00:50:33] Would I were in an alehouse in London. [00:50:34] I would give all my fame for a pot of ale and safety. [00:50:37] And I. [00:50:39] "If wishes would prevail with me, [00:50:40] "my purpose should not fail with me. [00:50:42] but thither would I hie." [00:50:43] "As duly, but not as truly, [00:50:45] as bird doth sing on bough." [00:50:46] Up to the breach, you dogs! [00:50:50] Avaunt, you cullions! [00:50:52] Be merciful, great Duke, to men of mold. [00:50:55] Abate thy rage! [00:50:56] Abate thy manly rage! [00:50:58] Bate thy rage, great duke! [00:51:00] Good bawcock, bate thy rage! [00:51:02] Use lenity, sweet chuck! [00:51:05] These be good humors.

[00:51:06] Your honor wins bad humors. [00:51:08] Ah! [00:51:15] As young as I am, [00:51:16] I have observed these three swashers. [00:51:19] and I am boy to them, all three. [00:51:21] but all they three, [00:51:22] though they would serve me, [00:51:23] could not be man to me, [00:51:25] for indeed, three such antics do not amount to a man. [00:51:29] For Bardolph, [00:51:31] he is white-livered and red-faced. [00:51:33] The means whereof, he faces it out but fights not. [00:51:37] For Pistol, [00:51:39] he hath a killing tongue and a quiet sword. [00:51:41] The means whereof, [00:51:42] he breaks words and keeps whole weapons. [00:51:46] For Nym, [00:51:47] he have heard that men of few words [00:51:48] are the best men [00:51:50] and therefore scorns to say his prayers [00:51:52] lest he should be thought a coward. [00:51:54] But his few bad words [00:51:55] are matched with as few good deeds. [00:51:57] He never broke any man's head but his own, [00:51:59] and that was against a post when he was drunk. [00:52:03] They will steal anything and call it purchase. [00:52:05] Bardolph stole a lute case, [00:52:07] bore it 12 leagues, and sold it for 3 halfpence. [00:52:11] Nym and Bardolph are sworn brothers in filching, [00:52:14] and in Calais, they stole a fire shovel. [00:52:17] I knew by that piece of service the men would carry coals. [00:52:19] They would have me familiar with men's pockets [00:52:22] as their gloves or handkerchiefs, [00:52:24] which makes much against my manhood [00:52:26] if I should take from another's pocket [00:52:28] to put into mine own, [00:52:30] for it is plain pocketing up of wrongs. [00:52:34] I must leave them and seek some better service. [00:52:36] Their villainy goes much against my weak stomach, [00:52:39] and therefore, I must cast it up. [00:52:42] Captain Fluellen, [00:52:43] you must come presently to the mines. [00:52:45] The Duke of Gloucester would speak with you. [00:52:47] To the mines? [00:52:48] Tell you the duke [00:52:49] it is not so good to come to the mines. [00:52:50] The mines is not according to the disciplines of the war. [00:52:53] The concavities of it is not sufficient. [00:52:56] The adversary, you may discuss unto the duke, look you now, [00:52:59] is digged himself 4 yard under the countermines. [00:53:03] By Cheshu, I think he will blow up all [00:53:06] if there is not better direction. [00:53:08] The Duke of Gloucester, [00:53:10] to whom the order of the siege is given, [00:53:13] is altogether directed by an Irishman... [00:53:17] a very valiant gentleman, i' faith. [00:53:21] It is Captain Macmorris, is it not? [00:53:25] I think it be. [00:53:26] By Cheshu! [00:53:28] He is an ass as in the world!

[00:53:32] I will verify as much in his beard. [00:53:33] He has no more directions [00:53:34] in the true disciplines of the war, [00:53:36] the Roman disciplines, [00:53:38] than is a puppy dog. [00:53:43] Here a' comes now, [00:53:45] and the Scots captain, Captain Jamy, with him. [00:53:47] Captain Jamy is a marvelous valorous gentleman, [00:53:50] that is certain, [00:53:51] and of great expedition and knowledge in the aunchient wars, [00:53:54] upon my particular knowledge of his directions. [00:53:56] By Cheshu, [00:53:59] he will maintain his argument [00:54:00] as well as any military man in the world [00:54:02] in the disciplines [00:54:03] of the pristine wars of the Romans. [00:54:11] I say good day to you, Captain Fluellen. [00:54:13] God-den to your worship, good Captain James. [00:54:16] How now, Captain Macmorris? [00:54:17] Have you quit the mines? [00:54:19] Have the pioneers given o'er? [00:54:20] By Chrish, la'! [00:54:22] 'Tish ill done! [00:54:23] The work is give over. [00:54:24] The trumpet sound the retreat. [00:54:26] By my hand, I swear, and my father's soul, [00:54:29] the work is ill done. [00:54:31] 'Tis give over. [00:54:33] I would have blowed up the town, [00:54:34] so Christ save me, la', in an hour. [00:54:37] Oh, 'tish ill done. [00:54:39] 'Tish ill done. [00:54:40] By my hand, 'tish ill done. [00:54:44] Captain Macmorris... [00:54:49] I beseech you, will you vouchsafe me [00:54:51] a few disputations with you [00:54:52] as touching or concerning the disciplines of the war, [00:54:56] the Roman wars, [00:54:57] in the way of argument and friendly communication? [00:55:00] Partly to satisfy my opinion [00:55:01] and partly also for the satisfaction, [00:55:03] look you, of my mind, [00:55:05] as touching the directions of the military discipline? [00:55:09] That is the point. [00:55:11] It shall be very good, good faith, [00:55:12] good captains bath. [00:55:14] and I shall quit you with good love, [00:55:15] as I may pick occasion. [00:55:16] And that shall I, marry. [00:55:19] It is no time to discourse, so Christ save me. [00:55:22] The day is hot--[00:55:23] and the weather and the wars [00:55:25] and the king and the dukes. [00:55:26] It is no time to discourse! [00:55:28] The town is beseeched, [00:55:30] and the trumpet call us to the breach, [00:55:32] and we talk and, be Christ, do nothing! [00:55:35] 'Tis shame for us all, so God save me. [00:55:38] 'Tis shame to stand still. [00:55:41] 'Tis shame, by my hand.

[00:55:43] And there is throats to be cut and works to be done. [00:55:47] And there is nothing done, so Christ save me, la'! [00:55:50] By the mess, [00:55:51] ere these eyes of mine take themselves to slumber, [00:55:53] I'll do good service, [00:55:54] or I'll lig i' the ground for it. [00:55:56] Aye, or go to death. [00:55:58] But I'll pay it as valorously as I may, [00:56:01] that shall I surely do, that at the brief and the long. [00:56:04] Marry, I'd full fain heard some question 'tween you tway. [00:56:07] Captain Macmorris, [00:56:09] look you, under your correction, [00:56:11] I do not think there is not many of your nation. [00:56:13] Nation? [00:56:16] Of my nation? [00:56:18] What is my nation? [00:56:20] Ish a villain? [00:56:22] And a bastard? [00:56:23] And a knave? [00:56:25] And a rascal? [00:56:27] What is my nation? [00:56:29] Who talks of my nation? [00:56:31] Look you, if you take the matter otherwise than is meant, [00:56:34] Captain Macmorris, [00:56:35] peradventure I shall think you do not use me [00:56:37] with that love and affability [00:56:38] as in discretion you ought to use me, look you, [00:56:40] being as good a man as yourself [00:56:42] both in the disciplines of the war [00:56:44] and in the derivation of my birth [00:56:46] and in other particularities. [00:56:48] I do not know you so good a man as myself. [00:56:51] So Christ save me, [00:56:53] I will cut off your head! [00:56:54] Gentlemen both, you will mistake each other! [00:56:58] Aye, a foul fault. [00:57:05] The town sounds a parley. [00:57:10] Captain Macmorris, [00:57:12] when there is more better opportunity [00:57:14] to be required, look you, [00:57:15] I will be so bold as to tell you [00:57:17] I know the disciplines of the war. [00:57:21] And there is an end. [00:57:23] How yet resolves the governor of the town? [00:57:30] This is the latest parle we will admit. [00:57:32] Therefore, to our best mercy give yourselves, [00:57:36] or, like to men proud of destruction, [00:57:38] defy us to our worst, [00:57:39] for as I am a soldier, [00:57:41] a name that in my thoughts becomes me best, [00:57:43] if I begin the battery once again, [00:57:45] I will not leave the half-achieved Harfleur [00:57:47] till in her ashes she lie buried. [00:57:51] The gates of mercy shall be all shut up, [00:57:54] and the fleshed soldier, rough and hard of heart, [00:57:57] in liberty of bloody hand [00:57:58] shall range with conscience wide as hell, [00:58:01] mowing like grass [00:58:02] your fresh fair virgins and your flowering infants.

[00:58:09] What say you?

[00:58:12] Will you yield and this avoid [00:58:14] or, guilty in defense, be thus destroyed? [00:58:18] Our expectation hath this day an end. [00:58:22] The dauphin, whom of succors we entreated. [00:58:25] returns us that his powers are not yet ready [00:58:27] to raise so great a siege. [00:58:30] Therefore, great King, [00:58:31] we yield our town and lives to thy soft mercy. [00:58:36] Enter our gates. [00:58:37] Dispose of us and ours, [00:58:40] for we no longer are defensible. [00:58:43] Open your gates. [00:58:48] Come, Uncle Exeter, [00:58:50] go you, and enter Harfleur. [00:58:52] There remain, [00:58:53] and fortify it strongly 'gainst the French. [00:58:56] And use mercy to them all. [00:58:57] For us, dear Uncle, [00:58:58] the winter coming on [00:58:59] and sickness growing upon our soldiers, [00:59:02] we will retire to Calais. [00:59:04] Tonight in Harfleur will we be your guest. [00:59:07] Tomorrow for the march are we addressed. [00:59:20] Alice, tu as ete en Angleterre, et tu parles bien le langage. [00:59:25] Un peu, madame. [00:59:33] Je te prie, m'enseignez. [00:59:35] Il faut que j'apprenne a parler. [00:59:38] Comment appelez-vous la main en anglais? [00:59:41] La main? [00:59:42] Elle est appelee de hand. [00:59:44] De hand. [00:59:47] Et les doigts? [00:59:48] Les doigts? Ma foi, j'oublie les doigts. [00:59:50] Mais je me souviendrai. [00:59:51] Les doigts? [00:59:52] Je pense qu'ils sont appeles de fingres. [00:59:54] Oui, de fingres. [00:59:55] La main, de hand. [00:59:59] Les doigts, de fingres. [01:00:03] Je pense que je suis le bon ecolier. [01:00:05] J'ai gagnee deux mots d'anglais vitement. [01:00:07] Comment appelez-vous les ongles? [01:00:09] Les ongles? [01:00:10] Nous les appelons de nails. [01:00:12] De nails. [01:00:15] Ecoutez. [01:00:18] Dites-moi si je parle bien. [01:00:21] De hand, [01:00:23] de fingres, [01:00:26] et de nails. [01:00:27] C'est bien dit, madame. [01:00:28] Il est fort bon anglais. [01:00:31] Dites-moi l'anglais pour le bras. [01:00:33] De arm, madame. [01:00:34] De arm. [01:00:37] Et le coude? [01:00:38] De elbow. [01:00:40] De elbow. [01:00:41] Oui. [01:00:45] Je m'en fais la repetition de tous les mots

[01:00:47] que vous m'avez appris des a present. [01:00:49] Il est trop difficile, madame, comme je pense. [01:00:51] Excusez-moi, Alice. [01:00:54] Ecoutez. [01:00:57] De hand, [01:01:01] de fingres, [01:01:03] de nails, [01:01:06] d'arma, [01:01:09] de bilbow. [01:01:10] D'elbow, madame. [01:01:12] Oh, Seigneur Dieu, je m'en oublie. [01:01:14] D'elbow. [01:01:16] Comment appelez-vous le col? [01:01:19] De nick, madame. [01:01:20] De nick. [01:01:22] Et le menton? [01:01:23] De chin. [01:01:24] De sin. [01:01:26] Le col, de nick. [01:01:28] Le menton, de sin. [01:01:30] Oui, sauf votre honneur, en verite, [01:01:32] vous prononcez les mots [01:01:33] aussi droit que les natifs [01:01:34] d'Angleterre. [01:01:35] Je ne doute point d'apprendre, [01:01:37] par la grace de Dieu, et en peu de temps. [01:01:39] N'avez-vous pas deja oublie ce que je vous ai enseigne? [01:01:42] Non, je reciterai a vous promptement. [01:01:46] De hand, [01:01:49] de fingres, [01:01:51] de mails--[01:01:52] De nails, madame. [01:01:53] De nails, [01:01:57] d'arm, [01:01:58] de ilbow. [01:01:59] Sauf votre honneur, de elbow. [01:02:04] Ainsi dis-je. [01:02:05] De elbow, [01:02:09] de nick, [01:02:10] de sin. [01:02:16] Comment appelez-vous le pied et la robe? [01:02:19] Le foot et le coun. [01:02:22] Le foot et le coun. [01:02:27] Mm-hmm. [01:02:28] Oh, Seigneur Dieu. [01:02:32] Ce sont mots de son mauvais, corruptible, gros, et impudique, [01:02:36] et non pour les dames d'honneur d'user. [01:02:39] Je ne voudrais prononcer ces mots devant [01:02:41] les seigneurs de France pour tout le monde. [01:02:42] Foh. [01:02:43] Le foot et le coun. [01:02:50] Neanmoins, je reciterai [01:02:51] une autre fois ma lecon ensemble. [01:02:54] De hand, [01:02:56] de fingres, [01:02:58] de nails, [01:03:00] d'arm, [01:03:02] de elbow... [01:03:05] de nick, [01:03:07] de sin,

[01:03:08] de foot, [01:03:09] et le coun. [01:03:10] Excellent, madame. [01:03:13] C'est assez pour une fois. [01:03:14] Allons-nous a diner. [01:03:28] 'Tis certain he has passed the river Somme! [01:03:31] And if he be not fought withal, my lord, [01:03:34] let us not live in France. [01:03:35] Let us quit all [01:03:36] and give our vineyards to a barbarous people. [01:03:39] Oh, Dieu vivant. [01:03:40] Shall a few sprays of us, [01:03:42] the emptying of our fathers' luxury, [01:03:44] our scions put in wild and savage stock, [01:03:47] spurt up so suddenly into the clouds [01:03:49] and overlook their grafters? [01:03:50] Normans, but bastard Normans! [01:03:53] Norman bastards! [01:03:55] Mort de ma vie! [01:03:56] If they march along unfought withal, [01:03:58] but I will sell my dukedom [01:03:59] to buy a slobbery and a dirty farm [01:04:02] in that nook-shotten isle of Albion! [01:04:04] By faith and honor. [01:04:06] our madams mock at us [01:04:08] and plainly say our mettle is bred out, [01:04:10] and they will give their bodies to the lust of English youth [01:04:13] to new-store France with bastard warriors. [01:04:16] Where is Montjoy the herald? [01:04:17] Speed him hence! [01:04:19] Let him greet England with our sharp defiance. [01:04:22] Up, princes, [01:04:23] and with spirit of honor [01:04:24] edged more sharper than your swords, [01:04:26] hie to the field. [01:04:27] Bar Harry England that sweeps through our land [01:04:30] with pennons painted in the blood of Harfleur. [01:04:33] Go down upon him-- you have power enough--[01:04:35] and in a captive chariot into Rouen, [01:04:38] bring him our prisoner. [01:04:39] This becomes the great. [01:04:41] Ha! [01:04:42] Sorry am I his numbers are so few, [01:04:44] his soldiers sick and famished in their march, [01:04:46] for I am sure, when he shall see our army, [01:04:48] he'll drop his heart into the sink of fear [01:04:51] and for achievement offer us his ransom. [01:04:54] Therefore, Lord Constable, haste on Montjoy, [01:04:57] and let him say to England that we send to know [01:04:59] what willing ransom he will give. [01:05:01] Prince Dauphin, you shall stay with us in Rouen. [01:05:04] Not so, I do beseech Your Majesty. [01:05:06] Be patient, for you shall remain with us. [01:05:09] Now forth, Lord Constable and princes all, [01:05:12] and quickly bring us word of England's fall. [01:05:15] Aye! [01:05:30] How now, Captain Fluellen. [01:05:31] Come you from the bridge? [01:05:32] I assure you, [01:05:33] there is very excellent services committed at the bridge.

[01:05:36] Is the Duke of Exeter safe? [01:05:37] The Duke of Exeter is as magnanimous as Agamemnon [01:05:40] and a man that I love and honor with my soul and my heart [01:05:43] and my duty and my life and my living [01:05:45] and my uttermost power. [01:05:46] He is not-- God be praised and blessed--[01:05:49] any hurt in the world [01:05:50] but keeps the bridge most valiantly, [01:05:52] with excellent discipline. [01:05:55] There is an aunchient lieutenant there at the bridge. [01:05:57] I think in my very conscience now [01:05:59] he's as valiant a man as Mark Antony, [01:06:01] and he is a man of no estimation in the world, [01:06:04] but I did see him do as gallant service. [01:06:06] What do you call him? [01:06:07] He is called Aunchient Pistol. [01:06:09] I know him not. [01:06:10] Captain! [01:06:11] Here is the man. [01:06:14] I thee beseech to do me favors. [01:06:15] The Duke of Exeter doth love thee well. [01:06:17] Aye, I praise God. [01:06:18] I have merited some love at his hands. [01:06:20] Bardolph, a soldier, [01:06:21] firm and sound of heart and of buxom valor, [01:06:24] hath by cruel fate [01:06:25] and giddy Fortune's furious fickle wheel, [01:06:28] that goddess blind [01:06:29] that stands upon the rolling restless stone--[01:06:32] By your patience, Aunchient Pistol. [01:06:33] Fortune is painted blind with a muffler afore her eyes [01:06:36] to signify to you that Fortune is blind. [01:06:38] She is painted also with a wheel [01:06:40] to signify to you, which is the moral of it, [01:06:42] that she is turning and inconstant and mutability [01:06:45] and variation. [01:06:47] And her foot, look you, is fixed upon a spherical stone [01:06:49] which rolls and rolls and rolls. [01:06:53] In good truth, the poet makes [01:06:54] a most excellent description of it. [01:06:56] Fortune is an excellent moral. [01:06:58] Fortune is Bardolph's foe and frowns on him, [01:07:01] for he hath stolen a pax and hanged must be, [01:07:04] a damned death. [01:07:06] Let gallows gape for dog, [01:07:07] let man go free, [01:07:09] and let not hemp his windpipe suffocate, [01:07:11] for Exeter hath given the doom of death [01:07:14] for pax of little price. [01:07:16] Therefore, go speak. [01:07:17] The duke will hear thy voice. [01:07:18] And let not Bardolph's vital thread be cut [01:07:21] with edge of penny cord and vile reproach. [01:07:24] Speak, Captain, for his life, and I will thee requite. [01:07:28] Aunchient Pistol, I do partly understand your meaning. [01:07:32] Why, then, rejoice therefore. [01:07:35] Certainly, Aunchient, it is not a thing to rejoice at, [01:07:37] for, look you, if he were my brother, [01:07:39] I would desire the duke to use his good pleasure [01:07:41] and to put him to execution,

[01:07:42] for discipline ought to be used! [01:07:45] Die, and be damned. [01:07:49] And figo for thy friendship! [01:07:53] Why, this is an arrant counterfeit rascal. [01:07:56] I remember him now--[01:07:58] a bawd, a cutpurse! [01:08:01] I tell you what, Captain Gower. [01:08:03] I do perceive he is not the man [01:08:05] he would gladly make show to the world he is. [01:08:07] If I find a hole in his coat, [01:08:09] I will tell him my mind. [01:08:12] Hark you, the king is coming, [01:08:14] and I must speak with him from the bridge. [01:08:17] God bless Your Majesty. [01:08:18] How now, Fluellen. [01:08:19] Camest thou from the bridge? [01:08:20] Aye, so please Your Majesty. [01:08:22] The Duke of Exeter hath very gallantly [01:08:24] maintained the bridge. [01:08:25] The French is gone off, look you. [01:08:29] And there is gallant and most brave passages. [01:08:34] Marry, th' adversary [01:08:36] was have possession of the bridge. [01:08:38] But he is enforced to retire. [01:08:41] and the Duke of Exeter is master of the bridge. [01:08:46] I can tell Your Majesty, the duke is a very brave man. [01:08:48] What men have you lost, Fluellen? [01:08:50] The perdition of the adversary hath been very great--[01:08:53] well, reasonable great. [01:08:57] For my part, I think the duke hath lost never a man [01:08:59] but one that is like to be executed [01:09:01] for robbing a church, [01:09:03] one Bardolph, [01:09:04] if Your Majesty know the man. [01:09:07] His face is all bubukles [01:09:08] and whelks and knobs and flames of fire. [01:09:11] and his lips blows at his nose. [01:09:13] It is like a coal of fire, [01:09:15] sometimes blue, sometimes red, [01:09:17] but his nose is executed. [01:09:19] and his fire is out. [01:09:24] We would have all such offenders so cut off. [01:09:27] And we give express charge [01:09:28] that in our marches through the country, [01:09:30] there be nothing compelled from the villages, [01:09:32] nothing taken but paid for, [01:09:34] none of the French [01:09:35] upbraided or abused in disdainful language. [01:09:38] When lenity and cruelty play for a kingdom, [01:09:41] the gentler gamester is the soonest winner. [01:09:46] You know me by my habit. [01:09:48] Well, then, I know thee. [01:09:51] What shall I know of thee? [01:09:52] My master's mind. [01:09:55] Unfold it. [01:09:58] Thus says my king. [01:10:02] "Say thou to Harry of England [01:10:04] "though we seemed dead, we did but sleep. [01:10:08] "Advantage is a better soldier than rashness. [01:10:12] "Tell him we could have rebuked him at Harfleur,

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[01:10:15] "but that we thought not good "to bruise an injury till it were full ripe. [01:10:16] [01:10:20] "Now we speak upon our cue, and our voice is imperial. [01:10:24] "England shall repent his folly. [01:10:27] "see his weakness, and admire our sufferance. [01:10:31] "Bid him therefore consider of his ransom. [01:10:33] "which must proportion the losses we have borne, [01:10:36] "the subjects we have lost, the disgrace we have digested, [01:10:40] "which in weight to re-answer, [01:10:42] "his pettiness would bow under. "To this add defiance, [01:10:46] "and tell him, for conclusion, [01:10:47] "he hath betrayed his followers, [01:10:50] [01:10:53] whose condemnation is pronounced." [01:10:57] So far my king and master, [01:11:01] so much my office. [01:11:02] What is thy name? [01:11:05] I know thy quality. [01:11:06] Montjoy. [01:11:13] Thou dost thy office fairly. [01:11:15] Turn thee back, [01:11:16] and tell thy king I do not seek him now [01:11:18] but could be willing to march on to Calais [01:11:20] without impeachment, **[01:11:22]** for, to say the sooth, [01:11:23] though it is no wisdom to confess so much [01:11:25] unto an enemy of craft and vantage, [01:11:28] my people are with sickness much enfeebled, [01:11:31] my numbers lessened, [01:11:34] and those few I have [01:11:35] almost no better than so many French, [01:11:38] who when they were in health, I tell thee, herald, [01:11:40] I thought upon one pair of English legs [01:11:42] did march three Frenchmen. [01:11:44] Yet, forgive me, God, that I do brag thus. [01:11:48] This your air of France hath blown that vice in me. [01:11:51] I must repent. [01:11:53] Go therefore tell thy master, [01:11:55] here I am. [01:11:57] My ransom is this frail and worthless trunk, [01:12:01] my army but a weak and sickly guard. [01:12:03] Yet, God before, tell him we will come on, [01:12:06] though France himself and such another neighbor [01:12:08] stand in our way. [01:12:11] There's for thy labor, Montjoy. [01:12:13] Go, bid thy master well advise himself. [01:12:16] If we may pass, we will. [01:12:18] If we be hindered, we shall your tawny ground [01:12:20] with your red blood discolor. [01:12:22] So, Montjoy, fare you well. [01:12:30] The sum of all our answer is but this. [01:12:32] We would not seek a battle as we are, [01:12:34] nor as we are, we say we will not shun it. [01:12:38] So tell your master. [01:12:40] I shall deliver so. [01:12:45] Thanks to Your Highness. [01:12:54] I hope they will not come upon us now. [01:12:55] We are in God's hand, brother, not in theirs. [01:12:59] March to the bridge. [01:13:00] March to the bridge.

[01:13:01] It now draws toward night. [01:13:03] Beyond the river, we'll encamp ourselves, [01:13:05] and on tomorrow bid them march away. [01:13:25] Tut; I have the best armor in the world. [01:13:33] Would it were day. [01:13:42] You have an excellent armor. [01:13:44] but let my horse have his due. [01:13:46] It is the best horse of Europe. [01:13:57] Will it never be morning? [01:14:02] My Lord of Orleans [01:14:05] and my Lord High Constable, [01:14:08] you talk of horse and armor? [01:14:10] You are as well-provided of both as any prince in the world. [01:14:14] What a long night is this. [01:14:18] I will not change my horse [01:14:20] with any that treads but on four pasterns. [01:14:25] Ca. [01:14:26] ha. [01:14:28] He bounds from the earth as if his entrails were hairs. [01:14:33] Le cheval volant, the Pegasus, chez les narines de feu. [01:14:40] When I bestride him, I soar, [01:14:43] I am a hawk. [01:14:47] He trots the air. [01:14:49] The earth sings when he touches it. [01:14:51] The basest horn of his hoof is more musical [01:14:54] than the pipe of Hermes. [01:14:57] He's of the color of the nutmeg. [01:14:59] And of the heat of the ginger. [01:15:02] It is a beast for Perseus. [01:15:04] He is pure air and fire. [01:15:08] And the dull elements of earth and water [01:15:10] never appear in him, [01:15:13] but only in patient stillness when his rider mounts him. [01:15:19] He is indeed a horse, [01:15:21] and all other jades you may call beasts. [01:15:24] Indeed, my lord, [01:15:26] it is a most absolute and excellent horse. [01:15:30] It is the prince of palfreys. [01:15:32] His neigh is like the bidding of a monarch, [01:15:35] and his countenance enforces homage. [01:15:36] No more, Cousin. [01:15:42] Nay, the man hath no wit that cannot, [01:15:47] from the rising of the lark to the lodging of the lamb, [01:15:50] vary deserved praise on my palfrey. [01:15:54] It is a theme as fluent as the sea. [01:15:58] Turn the sands into eloquent tongues, [01:16:00] and my horse is an argument for them all. [01:16:02] It is a subject for a sovereign to reason on [01:16:06] and for a sovereign's sovereign to ride on [01:16:08] and for the world, familiar to us and unknown, **[01:16:12]** to lay apart their particular function [01:16:15] and wonder at him. [01:16:19] I once writ a sonnet in his praise and began thus. [01:16:25] "Wonder of nature"--[01:16:27] I have heard a sonnet begin so to one's mistress. [01:16:30] Then did they imitate that which I composed to my courser, [01:16:36] for my horse is my mistress. [01:16:45] My Lord Constable, [01:16:47] the armor I saw in your tent tonight, [01:16:51] are those stars or suns upon it?

[01:16:55] Stars, my lord. [01:16:56] Some of them will fall tomorrow, I hope. [01:16:59] Yet my sky shall not want. [01:17:02] That may be, [01:17:03] for you bear a many superfluously, [01:17:05] and 'twere more honor some were away. [01:17:07] Even as your horse bears your praises, [01:17:10] who would trot as well [01:17:11] were some of your brags dismounted. [01:17:13] Would I were able to load him with his desert. [01:17:20] Will it never be dav? [01:17:26] I will trot tomorrow a mile, [01:17:28] and my way shall be paved with English faces. [01:17:31] I will not say so, [01:17:33] for fear I should be faced out of my way. [01:17:41] Yet I would it were morning. [01:17:43] I would fain be about the ears of the English. [01:17:49] Who will go to hazard with me for 20 prisoners? [01:17:52] You must first go yourself to hazard, ere you have them. [01:17:57] 'Tis midnight. [01:17:59] I'll go arm myself. [01:18:03] The dauphin longs for morning. [01:18:07] He longs to eat the English. [01:18:10] I think he will eat all he kills. [01:18:12] By the white hand of my lady, he's a gallant prince. [01:18:15] Swear by her foot that she may tread out the oath. [01:18:17] He is simply [01:18:18] the most active gentleman of France. [01:18:20] Doing is activity, [01:18:22] and he will still be doing. [01:18:24] He never did harm that I heard of. [01:18:26] Nor will do none tomorrow. [01:18:27] He will keep that good name still. [01:18:29] I know him to be valiant. [01:18:32] I was told that by one who knows him better than you. [01:18:35] What's he? [01:18:36] Marry, he told me so himself, [01:18:39] and he said he cared not who knew it. [01:18:41] My Lord High Constable... [01:18:46] the English lie within 1,500 paces of your tents. [01:18:53] Who hath measured the ground? [01:18:55] The Lord Grandpre. [01:18:59] A most expert and valiant gentleman. [01:19:09] Would it were day! [01:19:16] Alas, poor Harry of England, [01:19:19] he longs not for the dawning as we do. [01:19:22] What a wretched and peevish fellow [01:19:25] is this King of England [01:19:26] to mope with his fat-brained followers [01:19:29] so far out of his knowledge. [01:19:31] If the English had any apprehension, [01:19:33] they would run away. [01:19:34] That they lack, for if their heads [01:19:36] had any intellectual armor, [01:19:37] they could never wear such heavy head-pieces. [01:19:41] That island of England breeds very valiant creatures. [01:19:44] Their mastiffs are of unmatchable courage. [01:19:48] Then shall we find tomorrow [01:19:49] they have only stomachs to eat and none to fight. [01:19:55] Now is it time to arm.

[01:19:59] Come, shall we about it? [01:20:02] It is now 2:00, [01:20:04] but, let me see, by 10:00, [01:20:06] we shall have each a hundred Englishmen. [01:20:16] Now entertain conjecture of a time **[01:20:18]** when creeping murmur and the poring dark [01:20:20] fills the wide vessel of the universe. [01:20:24] From camp to camp through the foul womb of night, [01:20:28] the hum of either army stilly sounds [01:20:31] that the fixed sentinels almost receive [01:20:34] the secret whispers of each other's watch. [01:20:37] Fire answers fire. [01:20:40] and through their paly flames, [01:20:41] each battle sees the other's umbered face. [01:20:45] Steed threatens steed in high and boastful neighs, piercing the night's dull ear. [01:20:48] [01:20:51] And from the tents, the armorers, [01:20:53] accomplishing the knights, [01:20:55] with busy hammers closing rivets up, [01:20:57] give dreadful note of preparation. [01:21:01] The country cocks do crow, [01:21:05] the clocks do toll, [01:21:07] and the third hour of drowsy morning name. [01:21:12] Proud of their numbers and secure in soul. [01:21:15] the confident and over-lusty French [01:21:17] do the low-rated English play at dice [01:21:20] and chide the cripple tardy-gaited Night, [01:21:23] who, like a foul and ugly witch, doth limp so tediously away. [01:21:35] The poor condemned English, like sacrifices, [01:21:38] by their watchful fires sit patiently [01:21:40] and inly ruminate the morning's danger [01:21:43] and their gesture sad, [01:21:44] investing lank-lean cheeks and warworn coats, [01:21:47] presenteth them unto the gazing moon [01:21:49] so many horrid ghosts. [01:21:52] Oh, now, who will behold [01:21:55] the royal captain of this ruined band [01:21:57] walking from watch to watch, from tent to tent, [01:22:00] let him cry, "Praise and glory on his head," [01:22:03] for forth he goes and visits all his host, [01:22:06] bids them good morrow with a modest smile [01:22:09] and calls them brothers, friends, and countrymen. [01:22:12] Upon his royal face, there is no note [01:22:14] how dread an army hath enrounded him, [01:22:16] nor doth he dedicate one jot of color [01:22:18] unto the weary and all-watched night, [01:22:21] but freshly looks and overbears attaint [01:22:24] with cheerful semblance and sweet majesty [01:22:27] that every wretch, pining and pale before, [01:22:30] beholding him plucks comfort from his looks. [01:22:34] A largess universal, like the sun, [01:22:36] his liberal eye doth give to every one, [01:22:39] thawing cold fear [01:22:40] that mean and gentle all behold, [01:22:44] as may unworthiness define, [01:22:47] a little touch of Harry in the night. [01:22:51] And so our scene must to the battle fly, [01:22:55] where--oh, for pity--[01:22:57] we shall much disgrace [01:22:59] with four or five most vile and ragged foils,

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- [01:23:02] right ill-disposed in brawl ridiculous,
- [01:23:05] the name of Agincourt.
- [01:23:08] Yet sit and see,
- [01:23:10] minding true things by what their mockeries be.

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[01:23:23]	Good morrow, Brother Bedford.
[01:23:24]	God Almighty,
[01:23:25]	there is some soul of goodness in things evil,
[01:23:27]	would men observingly distill it out,
[01:23:30]	for our bad neighbor makes us early stirrers,
[01:23:32]	which is both healthful and good husbandry.
[01:23:35]	Besides, they are our outward consciences
[01:23:38]	and preachers to us all,
[01:23:40]	admonishing that we should dress us fairly for our end.
[01:23:42]	Thus may we gather honey from the weed
[01:23:45]	and make a moral of the devil himself.
[01:23:47]	Good morrow, old Sir Thomas Erpingham.
[01:23:52]	A good soft pillow for that good white head
[01:23:54]	were better than a churlish turf of France.
[01:23:55]	Not so, my liege.
[01:23:57]	This lodging likes me better,
[01:23:58]	since I may say, "Now lie I like a king."
[01:24:03]	'Tis good for men
[01:24:04]	to love their present pains upon example,
[01:24:07]	so the spirit is eased.
[01:24:12]	Lend me thy cloak, Sir Thomas.
[01:24:15]	Brothers both, commend me to the princes in our camp.
[01:24:17]	Do my good morrow to them,
[01:24:18]	and anon desire them all to my pavilion.
[01:24:20]	We shall, my liege.
[01:24:21]	Shall I attend Your Grace?
[01:24:23]	No, my good knight.
[01:24:24]	Go with my brothers to my lords of England.
[01:24:26]	I and my bosom must debate a while,
[01:24:27]	and then I would no other company.
[01:24:30]	The Lord in heaven bless thee, noble Harry.
[01:24:35]	God-a-mercy, old heart.
[01:24:37]	Thou speakest cheerfully.
[01:25:09]	Qui va la?
[01:25:11]	A friend.
[01:25:13]	Discuss unto me, art thou officer?
[01:25:15]	Or art thou base, common, and popular?
[01:25:18]	I am a gentleman of a company.
[01:25:19]	Trailest thou the puissant pike?
[01:25:22]	Even so.
[01:25:23]	What are you?
[01:25:24]	As good a gentleman as the emperor.
[01:25:27]	Then you are a better than the king.
[01:25:28]	Ah, the king's a bawcock with a heart of gold,
[01:25:31]	a lad of life, an imp of fame,
[01:25:32]	of parents good, of fist most valiant.
[01:25:35]	I kiss his dirty shoe, and from heartstring,
[01:25:39]	I love the lovely bully.
[01:25:42]	What is thy name?
[01:25:43]	Harry le Roy.
[01:25:44]	Le Roy!
[01:25:45]	A Cornish name.
[01:25:47]	Art thou of Cornish crew?
[01:25:48]	No, I am a Welshman.
[01:25:50]	Knowest thou Fluellen?
[01:25:52]	Yes.
[01:25:53]	Tell him I'll knock his leek about his pate
[01:25:55]	upon Saint Davy's day.

[01:25:56] Do not you wear your dagger in your cap that day, [01:25:59] lest he knock that about yours. [01:26:00] Are you his friend? [01:26:03] And his kinsman too. [01:26:04] A figo for thee, then! [01:26:06] Ouch! [01:26:07] I thank you. [01:26:09] God be with you. [01:26:11] My name is Pistol called. [01:26:19] It sorts well with your fierceness. [01:26:29] Captain Fluellen. [01:26:30] Shh! [01:26:33] In the name of Jesu Christ, speak fewer. [01:26:36] It is the greatest admiration in the universal world [01:26:38] when the true and aunchient [01:26:40] prerogatives and the laws of the wars [01:26:42] is not kept. [01:26:43] If you would take [01:26:44] the pains but to examine the wars of Pompey the Great, [01:26:46] I warrant you shall find [01:26:48] there is no tiddle-taddle nor pibble-pabble [01:26:50] in Pompey's camp. [01:26:51] I warrant you, [01:26:52] you shall find the ceremonies of the wars [01:26:54] and the cares of it and the forms of it [01:26:56] and the sobriety of it and the modesty of it [01:26:59] to be otherwise. [01:27:00] Why, the enemy is very loud. [01:27:02] You hear him all night. [01:27:04] If the enemy is an ass and a fool [01:27:07] and a prating coxcomb, [01:27:09] is it meet, think you, [01:27:10] that we should also be, look you, [01:27:11] an ass and a fool and a prating coxcomb? [01:27:14] Shh! [01:27:15] Shh! [01:27:16] In your own conscience, now? [01:27:18] I will speak lower. [01:27:19] I pray you and beseech you that you will. [01:27:30] Though it appear a little out of fashion, [01:27:32] there is much care and valor in this Welshman. [01:27:39] Brother John Bates. [01:27:40] is not that the morning which breaks yonder? [01:27:43] I think it be. [01:27:45] But we have no great cause to desire the approach of it. [01:27:48] Ah, we see yonder the beginning of the day. [01:27:52] I do not think we'll ever see the end of it. [01:27:54] Who goes there? [01:27:57] A friend. [01:27:58] Under what captain serve you? [01:28:00] Under Sir Thomas Erpingham. [01:28:03] A good old commander, a most kind gentleman. [01:28:15] I pray you, [01:28:18] what thinks he of our estate? [01:28:20] Even as men wrecked upon a sand, [01:28:22] that look to be washed off the next tide. [01:28:24] He hath not told his thought to the king. [01:28:26] No, nor it is not meet he should, [01:28:29] for though I speak it to you, [01:28:30] I think the king is but a man as I am.

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[01:28:35] The violet smells to him as it doth to me. [01:28:37] The element shows to him as it doth to me. [01:28:40] All his senses have but human conditions. [01:28:42] His ceremonies laid by, [01:28:43] in his nakedness, he appears but a man. [01:28:46] And though his affections are higher mounted than ours, [01:28:49] yet, when they stoop, [01:28:50] they stoop with the like wing. [01:28:52] Therefore, when he sees reason of fears as we do, [01:28:54] his fears, out of doubt, [01:28:56] be of the same relish as ours are. [01:28:58] Yet, in reason, no man should possess him [01:29:00] with any appearance of fear, [01:29:02] lest he, by showing it, should dishearten his army. [01:29:05] He may show what outward courage he may, [01:29:06] but I believe, as cold a night as 'tis. [01:29:09] he could wish himself in the Thames up to the neck. [01:29:11] And I would he were and I by him at all adventures, [01:29:14] so we were quit here. [01:29:15] By my troth, I will speak my conscience of the king. [01:29:18] I think he would not wish himself anywhere [01:29:19] but where he is. [01:29:20] Then I would he were here alone. [01:29:22] So he's sure to be ransomed and many poor men's lives saved. [01:29:25] I dare say you love him not so ill [01:29:28] to wish him here alone, [01:29:32] howsoever you speak this to feel other men's minds. [01:29:36] Methinks I could not die anywhere so contented [01:29:38] as in the king's company, [01:29:41] his cause being just, his quarrel honorable. [01:29:44] That's more than we know. [01:29:47] Aye, or more than we should seek after, [01:29:49] for we know enough if we know we are the king's subjects. [01:29:52] If his cause be wrong, [01:29:53] our obedience to the king wipes the crime of it out of us. [01:29:56] But if the cause be not good, [01:29:58] the king himself hath a heavy reckoning to make, [01:30:01] when all those legs and arms and heads, [01:30:05] chopped off in a battle, [01:30:06] shall join together at the latter day and cry all, [01:30:09] "We died at--at such a place"--[01:30:16] some swearing, [01:30:18] some crying for a surgeon, [01:30:21] some upon their wives left poor behind them, [01:30:25] some upon the debts they owe, [01:30:27] some upon their children [01:30:31] rawly left. [01:30:36] I am afeard there are few die well [01:30:38] that die in a battle, [01:30:40] for how can they charitably dispose of anything [01:30:43] when blood is their argument? [01:30:47] Now if these men do not die well, [01:30:50] it will be a black matter [01:30:51] for the king that led them to it, [01:30:53] who to disobey were against all proportion [01:30:56] of subjection. [01:31:06] So if a son that is by his father [01:31:10] sent about merchandise [01:31:14] do sinfully miscarry upon the sea, [01:31:18] the imputation of his wickedness, by your rule,

[01:31:20] should be imposed upon his father that sent him. [01:31:24] Or if a servant under his master's command [01:31:28] transporting a sum of money [01:31:30] be assailed by robbers and die in many irreconciled iniquities, [01:31:34] you may call the business of the master [01:31:38] the author of the servant's damnation. [01:31:40] But this is not so. [01:31:42] The king is not bound to answer [01:31:43] the particular endings of his soldiers, [01:31:46] the father of his son, nor the master of his servant, [01:31:49] for they purpose not their death [01:31:51] when they purpose their services. [01:31:54] Besides, there is no king, be his cause never so spotless, [01:31:58] if it come to the arbitrament of swords, [01:32:00] can try it out with all unspotted soldiers. [01:32:03] Some peradventure have on them [01:32:04] the guilt of premeditated and contrived murder; [01:32:08] some of beguiling virgins [01:32:09] with the broken seals of perjury; [01:32:13] some making the wars their bulwark [01:32:15] that have before gored the gentle bosom of peace [01:32:18] with pillage and robbery. [01:32:21] Now, if these men have defeated the law [01:32:23] and outrun native punishment, [01:32:25] though they can outstrip men, [01:32:27] they have no wings to fly from God. [01:32:28] War is his beadle, war is his vengeance [01:32:32] so that here men are punished [01:32:34] for before-breach of the king's laws [01:32:37] in now the king's quarrel. [01:32:40] Where they feared the death, they have borne life away, [01:32:43] Where they would be safe, they perish. [01:32:49] Then if they die unprovided, [01:32:50] no more is the king guilty of their damnation [01:32:52] than he was before guilty of those impieties [01:32:54] for the which they are now visited. [01:32:56] Every subject's duty is the king's, [01:32:59] but every subject's soul is his own. [01:33:03] Therefore should every soldier in the wars [01:33:04] do as every sick man in his bed, [01:33:06] wash every mote out of his conscience; [01:33:08] and dying so, death is to him advantage; [01:33:11] or not dying, the time was blessedly lost [01:33:13] wherein such preparation was gained. [01:33:17] And in him that escapes, [01:33:19] it were not sin to think that, making God so free an offer, [01:33:23] He let him outlive that day to see His greatness [01:33:28] and to teach others how they should prepare. [01:33:33] 'Tis certain, every man that dies ill, [01:33:36] the ill upon his own head, [01:33:39] the king is not to answer for it. [01:33:41] I do not desire he should answer for me, [01:33:43] and yet I determine to fight lustily for him. [01:33:47] I myself heard the king say he would not be ransomed. [01:33:49] Aye, he said so, to make us fight cheerfully, [01:33:53] but when our throats are cut, [01:33:54] he may be ransomed and we ne'er the wiser. [01:33:56] If I live to see it. [01:33:57] I'll never trust his word after. [01:33:59] Oh, you pay him, then.

[01:34:01] Oh, that's a perilous shot out of an elder-gun [01:34:03] that a poor and a private displeasure [01:34:06] can do against a monarch. [01:34:07] You may as well go about to turn the sun to ice [01:34:11] with fanning in its face with a peacock's feather. [01:34:14] You'll never trust his word after. [01:34:16] Come, it is a foolish saying. [01:34:17] Your reproof is something too round. [01:34:19] I should be angry with you, if the time were convenient. [01:34:20] Well, let it be a quarrel between us if you live. [01:34:24] I embrace it. [01:34:26] How shall I know thee again? [01:34:28] Give me any gage of thine, and I will wear it in my bonnet. [01:34:30] If ever thou darest acknowledge it, [01:34:32] I will make it my quarrel. [01:34:33] There is my glove. [01:34:34] Give me another of thine. [01:34:37] There. [01:34:38] This will I also wear in my cap, [01:34:40] and if ever you come to me and say, after tomorrow, [01:34:42] "This is my glove," [01:34:44] by this hand, I'll take thee a box on the ear. [01:34:46] If ever I live to see it, I will challenge it. [01:34:47] Thou darest as well be hanged. [01:34:49] Well, I will do it, [01:34:50] though I take thee in the king's company! [01:34:52] Keep thy word! [01:34:56] Fare thee well. [01:34:57] Be friends, you English fools, be friends. [01:35:00] We have French quarrels enough, if you could tell how to reckon. [01:35:03] Indeed, the French may lay 20 French crowns to 1 [01:35:05] they will beat us, [01:35:06] for they bear them on their shoulders. [01:35:08] But it is no English treason to cut French crowns. [01:35:13] And tomorrow the king himself will be a clipper! [01:35:28] Upon the king. [01:35:31] Let us our lives, [01:35:34] our souls, [01:35:36] our debts, [01:35:39] our careful wives. [01:35:43] our children, [01:35:47] and our sins [01:35:50] lay on the king. [01:35:53] We must bear all. [01:35:59] Oh, hard condition, [01:36:04] twin-born with greatness, [01:36:08] subject to the breath of every fool [01:36:09] whose sense no more can feel but his own wringing. [01:36:15] What infinite heart's ease must kings neglect [01:36:17] that private men enjoy? [01:36:20] And what have kings that privates have not too [01:36:23] save ceremony, [01:36:25] save general ceremony? [01:36:30] And what art thou, [01:36:32] thou idle ceremony? [01:36:37] What kind of god art thou [01:36:38] that sufferest more of mortal griefs [01:36:39] than do thy worshippers? [01:36:41] What are thy rents? [01:36:43] What are thy comings in?

[01:36:44] Oh, ceremony, show me but thy worth. [01:36:46] What is thy soul of adoration? [01:36:48] Art thou aught else [01:36:50] but place, degree, and form [01:36:54] creating awe and fear in other men? [01:36:58] Wherein thou art less happy, being feared, [01:37:00] than they in fearing? [01:37:05] What drinkest thou oft, instead of homage sweet, [01:37:07] but poisoned flattery? [01:37:11] Oh, be sick, great greatness. [01:37:13] Bid thy ceremony give thee cure. [01:37:16] Thinkest thou the fiery fever will go out [01:37:18] with titles blown from adulation? [01:37:20] Will it... [01:37:21] give place to flexure and low bending? [01:37:26] Canst thou, when thou commandest the beggar's knee, [01:37:28] command the health of it? [01:37:31] No, thou proud dream [01:37:33] that playest so subtly with a king's repose. [01:37:38] I am a king that find thee. [01:37:43] And I know 'tis not the balm, the sceptre, and the ball; [01:37:51] the sword, the mace, the crown imperial; [01:37:59] the intertissued robe of gold and pearl; [01:38:03] the farced title running 'fore the king; [01:38:06] the throne he sits on; [01:38:08] nor the tide of pomp [01:38:09] that beats upon the high shore of this world--[01:38:13] no, not all these, [01:38:17] thrice-gorgeous ceremony. [01:38:21] Not all these, laid in bed majestical, [01:38:23] can sleep so soundly as the wretched slave, [01:38:27] who with a body filled and vacant mind [01:38:29] gets him to rest, crammed with distressful bread, [01:38:36] never sees horrid night, [01:38:40] the child of hell, [01:38:43] but, like a lackey, from the rise to set [01:38:47] sweats in the eye of Phoebus and all night sleeps in Elysium. [01:38:54] Next day after dawn [01:38:57] doth rise and help Hyperion to his horse [01:39:02] and follows so the ever-running year, [01:39:05] with profitable labor, to his grave. [01:39:12] And but for ceremony, [01:39:17] such a wretch, [01:39:19] winding up days with toil and nights with sleep, [01:39:23] had the forehand and vantage of a king. [01:39:27] The slave, a member of the country's peace, [01:39:30] enjoys it, [01:39:32] but in gross brain little wots what watch the king keeps [01:39:35] to maintain the peace, [01:39:38] whose hours the peasant best advantages. [01:39:44] My lord. [01:39:47] My lord, your nobles, jealous of your absence, [01:39:51] seek through your camp to find you. [01:39:53] Good old knight, [01:39:55] collect them all together at my tent. [01:39:58] I'll be before thee. [01:40:00] I shall do it, my lord. [01:40:07] Oh, God of battles, [01:40:10] steel my soldiers' hearts. [01:40:14] Possess them not with fear.

[01:40:21] Take from them now the sense of reckoning, [01:40:23] if the opposed numbers pluck their hearts from them. [01:40:28] Not today, oh, Lord, [01:40:31] oh, not today. [01:40:33] Think not upon the fault [01:40:34] my father made in compassing the crown. [01:40:37] I Richard's body have interred anew [01:40:41] and on it have bestowed more contrite tears [01:40:43] than from it issued forced drops of blood. [01:40:48] 500 poor I have in yearly pay, [01:40:52] who twice a day their withered hands [01:40:53] hold up toward heaven to pardon blood. [01:40:59] And I have built two chantries, [01:41:03] where the sad and solemn priests sing still for Richard's soul. [01:41:09] More would I do, [01:41:10] but all that I can do is nothing worth, [01:41:13] since that my penitence comes after all, [01:41:17] imploring pardon. [01:41:20] My liege. [01:41:23] My brother Gloucester's voice. [01:41:27] Aye. [01:41:29] I know thy errand. [01:41:32] I will go with thee. [01:41:35] The day, [01:41:37] my friends, [01:41:41] and all things stay for me. [01:41:49] The sun doth gild our armor. [01:41:51] Up, my lords. [01:41:52] Montez a cheval! [01:41:54] My horse, varlet! [01:41:55] Laquais! Ha! [01:41:57] Oh, brave spirit. [01:41:58] Via. [01:41:59] Les eaux et la terre. [01:42:00] Rien puis. [01:42:01] L'air et le feu. [01:42:03] Ciel, Cousin Orleans. [01:42:06] Now, my Lord Constable. [01:42:07] Hark, how our steeds for present service neigh. [01:42:11] Mount them and make incision in their hides [01:42:13] that their hot blood may spin in English eyes [01:42:16] and dout them with superfluous courage, ha. [01:42:19] What, will you have them weep our horses' blood? [01:42:21] How shall we, then, behold their natural tears? [01:42:24] The English are embattled, you French peers. [01:42:26] To horse, you gallant princes, straight to horse. [01:42:29] Do but behold yon poor and starved band, [01:42:32] and your fair show shall suck away their souls, [01:42:35] leaving them but the shales and husks of men. [01:42:39] There is not work enough for all our hands, [01:42:41] scarce blood enough in all their sickly veins [01:42:43] to give each naked curtal ax a stain, [01:42:45] that our French gallants shall today draw out [01:42:48] and sheathe for lack of sport. [01:42:50] If we but blow on them, [01:42:52] the vapor of our valor will o'erturn them. [01:42:54] Why do you stay so long, my lords of France? [01:42:58] Yon island carrions, desperate of their bones, [01:43:01] ill-favoredly become the morning field. [01:43:03] Their ragged curtains poorly are let loose,

[01:43:06] and our air shakes them passing scornfully. [01:43:09] The horsemen sit like fixed candlesticks [01:43:11] with torch-staves in their hand. [01:43:13] And their poor jades lob down their heads. [01:43:16] dropping the hides and hips, [01:43:18] the gum down-roping from their pale-dead eyes, [01:43:21] and in their pale dull mouths, [01:43:24] the gimmal bit lies foul with chewed grass, [01:43:27] dull and motionless. [01:43:29] And their executors, the knavish crows, [01:43:31] fly o'er them, all impatient for their hour. [01:43:34] They have said their prayers, and they stay for death. [01:43:37] Shall we go send them dinners and fresh suits [01:43:39] and give their fasting horses provender, [01:43:41] and after fight with them? [01:43:44] I stay but for my guidon. [01:43:45] Let's away. [01:43:47] The sun is high, [01:43:48] and we outwear the day. [01:43:54] Where is the king? [01:43:56] The king himself [01:43:57] is rode to view their battle. [01:44:00] Of fighting men, they have full three-score thousand. [01:44:04] There's five to one. [01:44:05] Besides, they all are fresh. [01:44:07] God's arm strike with us; 'tis a fearful odds. [01:44:11] God by you, princes all. [01:44:12] I'll to my charge. [01:44:14] If we no more meet till we meet in heaven, [01:44:15] then, joyfully, my noble Lord of Bedford, [01:44:20] my dear Lord Gloucester, [01:44:22] my good Lord Exeter, [01:44:25] and my kind kinsman, [01:44:27] warriors all, adieu. [01:44:29] Farewell, good Salisbury, [01:44:31] and good luck go with thee. [01:44:32] Farewell, kind lord. [01:44:33] Fight valiantly today. [01:44:35] Yet I do thee wrong to mind thee of it, [01:44:37] for thou art framed of the firm truth of valor. [01:44:41] He is as full of valor as of kindness, [01:44:43] princely in both. [01:44:44] Oh, that we now had here [01:44:46] but one 10,000 of those men in England [01:44:49] that do no work today. [01:44:50] What's he that wishes so? [01:44:52] My cousin Westmoreland. [01:44:57] No, my fair cousin. [01:45:00] We are marked to die, [01:45:01] we are enow to do our country loss; [01:45:04] and if to live, the fewer men, the greater share of honor. [01:45:08] God's will. [01:45:09] I pray thee, wish not one man more. [01:45:11] By Jove, I am not covetous for gold [01:45:14] nor care I who doth feed upon my cost. [01:45:16] It yearns me not if men my garments wear. [01:45:18] Such outward things dwell not in my desires. [01:45:22] But if it be a sin to covet honor, [01:45:24] I am the most offending soul alive. [01:45:27] No, faith, my coz, wish not a man from England.

[01:45:30] God's peace. [01:45:31] I would not lose so great an honor [01:45:33] as one man more, methinks, would share from me [01:45:35] for the best hope I have. [01:45:38] Oh, do not wish one more. [01:45:39] Rather proclaim it, Westmoreland, through my host, [01:45:42] that he which hath no stomach to this fight, let him depart. [01:45:44] His passport shall be made [01:45:46] and crowns for convoy put into his purse. [01:45:49] We would not die in that man's company [01:45:51] that fears his fellowship to die with us. [01:46:00] This day is called [01:46:03] the feast of Crispian. [01:46:05] He that outlives this day [01:46:07] and comes safe home [01:46:08] will stand at tiptoe when this day is named [01:46:11] and rouse him at the name of Crispian. [01:46:15] He that shall live this day [01:46:17] and see old age [01:46:18] will yearly on the vigil feast his neighbors [01:46:20] and say, "Tomorrow is Saint Crispian." [01:46:23] Then shall he strip his sleeve and show his scars [01:46:25] and say, "These wounds I had on Crispian's day." [01:46:29] Old men forget, [01:46:31] yet all shall be forgot, [01:46:32] but he'll remember with advantages [01:46:34] what feats he did that day. [01:46:37] Then shall our names, [01:46:38] familiar in his mouth as household words--[01:46:42] Harry the king, [01:46:44] Bedford and Exeter, [01:46:45] Warwick and Talbot, [01:46:49] Salisbury and Gloucester--[01:46:53] be in their flowing cups freshly remembered. [01:46:57] This story shall the good man teach his son. [01:47:03] And Crispin Crispian shall ne'er go by, [01:47:06] from this day to the ending of the world, [01:47:09] but we in it shall be remembered, [01:47:13] we few, [01:47:16] we happy few, [01:47:19] we band of brothers; [01:47:22] for he today that sheds his blood with me [01:47:25] shall be my brother. [01:47:28] Be he ne'er so vile, [01:47:29] this day shall gentle his condition. [01:47:32] And gentlemen in England now abed [01:47:34] shall think themselves accursed they were not here [01:47:37] and hold their manhoods cheap [01:47:40] whiles any speaks that fought with us [01:47:43] upon Saint Crispin's day. [01:47:47] My sovereign lord, [01:47:48] bestow yourself with speed. [01:47:49] The French are bravely in their battles set [01:47:51] and will with all expedience charge on us. [01:47:52] All things are ready if our minds be so. [01:47:55] Perish the man whose mind is backward now. [01:47:59] Thou dost not wish more help from England, coz. [01:48:02] God's will, my liege, would you and I alone, [01:48:05] without more help, could fight this royal battle. [01:48:09] Why, now thou hast unwished 5,000 men,

[01:48:12] which likes me better than to wish us one. [01:48:15] You know your places. [01:48:18] God be with you all. [01:48:22] Once more, I come to know of thee, [01:48:24] King Harry, [01:48:25] if for thy ransom thou wilt now compound, [01:48:28] before thy most assured overthrow, [01:48:30] for certainly thou art so near the gulf, [01:48:33] thou needs must be englutted. [01:48:36] Besides, in mercy, the constable desires thee [01:48:39] thou wilt mind thy followers of repentance [01:48:42] that their souls may make a peaceful and a sweet retire [01:48:47] from off these fields, where, wretches, [01:48:50] their poor bodies must lie and fester. [01:48:53] Who hath sent thee now? [01:48:55] The constable of France. [01:48:57] I pray thee, bear my former answer back. [01:48:59] Bid them achieve me and then sell my bones. [01:49:02] Good God, why should they mock poor fellows thus? [01:49:05] The man that once did sell the lion's skin [01:49:07] while the beast lived [01:49:08] was killed with hunting him. [01:49:10] A many of our bodies [01:49:11] shall no doubt find native graves, [01:49:13] upon the which, I trust, [01:49:15] shall witness live in brass of this day's work. [01:49:18] Those that leave their valiant bones in France, [01:49:21] dying like men, though buried in your dunghills, [01:49:25] they shall be famed, [01:49:27] for there, the sun shall greet them [01:49:29] and draw their honors reeking up to heaven, [01:49:31] leaving their earthly parts to choke your clime, [01:49:33] the smell whereof shall breed a plague in France. [01:49:37] Let me speak proudly. [01:49:39] Tell the constable [01:49:40] we are but warriors for the working day. [01:49:43] Our gayness and our gilt are all besmirched [01:49:45] with rainy marching in the painful field. [01:49:47] There's not a piece of feather in our host--[01:49:49] good argument, I hope, we will not fly--[01:49:53] and time hath worn us into slovenry. [01:49:55] But, by the mass, our hearts are in the trim. [01:49:58] And my poor soldiers tell me, [01:50:00] yet ere night, they'll be in fresher robes, [01:50:02] or they will pluck the gay new coats [01:50:03] o'er the French soldiers' heads [01:50:05] and turn them out of service. [01:50:06] If they do this-- as, if God please, they shall--[01:50:09] my ransom then shall soon be levied. [01:50:12] Herald, save thou thy labor. [01:50:14] Come thou no more for ransom, gentle herald, [01:50:16] for they shall have none, I swear, but these my joints, [01:50:19] which if they have as I will leave 'em them, [01:50:21] shall yield them little, tell the constable. [01:50:23] I shall, King Harry. [01:50:26] And so fare thee well. [01:50:28] Thou never shalt hear herald anymore. [01:50:39] I fear thou wilt once more come again for a ransom. [01:50:46] My lord, most humbly on my knee, [01:50:50] I beg the leading of the vaward.

[01:50:52] Take it, [01:50:54] brave York. [01:50:58] Now, soldiers, [01:51:01] march away! [01:51:04] And how thou pleasest, God, dispose the day. [01:51:21] Yield, cur! [01:51:24] Je pense que vous etes le gentilhomme de bonne qualite. [01:51:27] Art thou a gentleman? [01:51:28] What is thy name? Discuss. [01:51:30] Oh, Seigneur Dieu. [01:51:32] Oh, Signieur Dew should be a gentleman. [01:51:35] Perpend my words, Oh, Signieur Dew, and mark. [01:51:40] Oh, Signieur Dew, thou diest on point of fox, [01:51:44] except, oh, Signieur, [01:51:46] you do give to me egregious ransom. [01:51:50] Oh, prenez misericorde. [01:51:52] Ayez pitie de moi. [01:51:54] Est-il impossible d'echapper la force de ton bras. [01:51:57] Brass, cur? [01:51:59] You damned and luxurious mountain goat, [01:52:02] offerest thou me brass? [01:52:04] Oh, pardonnez-moi. [01:52:06] What sayest thou so to me? [01:52:08] A ton of moys? [01:52:10] Come hither, boy! [01:52:12] Ask me this slave in French what is his name. [01:52:16] Ecoutez? [01:52:18] Comment etes-vous appele? [01:52:21] Monsieur le Fer. [01:52:22] He says his name is Master Fer. [01:52:25] Master Fer? [01:52:26] I'll fer him, firk him, and ferret him. [01:52:27] Discuss the same in French unto him. [01:52:29] I do not know the French for fer and ferret and firk. [01:52:32] Well, bid him prepare, for I will cut his throat. [01:52:35] Que dit-il, Monsieur? [01:52:36] Il me commande a vous dire que vous faites vous pret. [01:52:41] Car ce soldat ici est dispose tout a cette heure [01:52:46] de couper votre gorge. [01:52:48] Owy, cuppele gorge, permafoy, [01:52:51] peasant, unless you give me crowns, [01:52:54] brave crowns, [01:52:55] or mangled shalt thou be by this, my sword. [01:52:59] Oh, je vous supplie, pour l'amour de Dieu, [01:53:01] me pardonner! [01:53:03] Je suis gentilhomme de bonne maison. [01:53:05] Gardez ma vie, et je vous donnerai deux cents ecus. [01:53:09] What are his words? [01:53:10] He prays for you to save his life. [01:53:12] He is a gentleman of good house. [01:53:14] And for his ransom, he will give you 200 crowns. [01:53:17] Oui, monsieur. [01:53:18] Tell him my fury will abate, [01:53:20] but I the crowns will take. [01:53:22] Petit monsieur, que dit-il? [01:53:25] Encore qu'il est contre son jurement [01:53:28] de pardonner aucun prisonnier. [01:53:31] Neanmoins, pour les ecus que vous l'avez promis, [01:53:34] il est content de vous donner la liberte, le franchisement. [01:53:40] Sur mes genoux je vous donne mille remercimens.

[01:53:45] Et je m'estime heureux que je suis tombe entre [01:53:47] les mains d'un chevalier, [01:53:49] je pense, le plus brave, vaillant, [01:53:52] et tres distingue seigneur d'Angleterre! [01:53:55] Merci, monsieur. [01:53:59] Expound unto me, boy. [01:54:01] He gives you, upon his knees, a thousand thanks. [01:54:04] And he esteems himself happy that he hath fallen [01:54:06] into the hands of one, as he thinks, [01:54:08] the most brave, valorous, [01:54:11] and thrice-worthy signieur of England. [01:54:15] As I suck blood, I will some mercy show. [01:54:20] Follow me! [01:54:22] Follow me! [01:54:23] Suivez-vous le grand capitaine. [01:54:25] Follow me! [01:54:28] I did never know so full a voice issue from so empty a heart. [01:54:32] But the saying is true, [01:54:34] "The empty vessel makes the greatest sound." [01:54:37] Bardolph and Nym had ten times more valor [01:54:39] than this roaring devil i' the old play, [01:54:41] and they are both hanged. [01:54:43] And so would this be [01:54:44] if he durst steal anything adventurously. [01:54:49] I must stay with the lackey with the luggage of our camp. [01:54:52] The French might have a good prey of us, [01:54:54] if he knew of it, [01:54:56] for there is none to guard it but boys. [01:54:58] Shame and eternal shame, nothing but shame! [01:55:02] Oh, let us die in honor. [01:55:04] Once more back again! [01:55:05] And he who will not follow Bourbon now, let him go hence, [01:55:09] and with his cap in hand, like a base pander, [01:55:12] hold the chamber door whilst by a slave. [01:55:14] no gentler than my dog, [01:55:16] his fairest daughter is contaminated. [01:55:18] Disorder, that hath spoiled us, friend us now. [01:55:21] Let us on heaps go offer up our lives. [01:55:23] We are enow yet living in the field [01:55:26] to smother up the English in our throngs [01:55:28] if any order might be thought upon. [01:55:31] Oh, the devil take order now. [01:55:32] I'll to the throng! [01:55:34] Let life be short, else shame will be too long. [01:55:55] Well have we done, thrice-valiant countrymen. [01:55:57] But all's not done. [01:55:59] Yet keep the French the field. [01:56:01] The Duke of York commends him to Your Majesty. [01:56:05] Lives he, good Uncle? [01:56:06] Thrice within this hour, I saw him down, [01:56:08] thrice up again and fighting. [01:56:09] From helmet to the spur, all blood he was. [01:56:12] In which array, brave soldier, doth he lie, larding the plain. [01:56:16] And by his bloody side, [01:56:17] yokefellow to his honor-owing wounds, [01:56:20] the noble Earl of Suffolk also lies. [01:56:23] Suffolk first died. [01:56:25] York, all haggled over, comes to him, [01:56:28] where in gore he lay insteeped, [01:56:30] takes him by the beard,

[01:56:31] and kisses the gashes [01:56:32] that bloodily did yawn upon his face. [01:56:35] He cries aloud, "Tarry, my cousin Suffolk. [01:56:37] "My soul shall thine keep company to heaven. [01:56:39] "Tarry, sweet soul, for mine, then fly abreast, [01:56:42] "as in this glorious and well-foughten field [01:56:46] we--we kept together in our chivalry." [01:56:50] Upon these words, I came and cheered him up. [01:56:54] He smiled me in the face, raught me his hand, [01:56:56] and, with a feeble grip, says, "Dear my lord, [01:56:59] commend my service to my sovereign." [01:57:04] So did he turn. [01:57:05] and over Suffolk's neck, [01:57:06] he threw his wounded arm and kissed his lips. [01:57:10] And so espoused to death, with blood, [01:57:13] he sealed a testament of noble-ending love. [01:57:18] The pretty and sweet manner of it [01:57:20] forced those waters from me which I would have stopped. [01:57:25] I had not so much of man in me, [01:57:27] and all my mother came into mine eyes [01:57:29] and gave me up to tears. [01:57:34] I blame you not, [01:57:35] for, hearing this, [01:57:36] I must perforce compound with mistful eyes, [01:57:38] or they will issue too. [01:57:42] But hark, what new alarum is this same? [01:57:45] The French have reinforced their scattered men. [01:57:47] Then every soldier kill his prisoners. [01:57:49] Give the word through. [01:57:58] Kill the poys and the luggage! [01:58:00] 'Tis expressly against the law of arms! [01:58:03] 'Tis as arrant a piece of knavery, [01:58:04] mark you now, as can be offered. [01:58:06] In your conscience, is it not? [01:58:08] 'Tis certain there's not a boy left alive. [01:58:10] And the cowardly rascals that ran from the battle [01:58:13] have done this slaughter. [01:58:15] Besides, they have burned and carried away [01:58:17] all that was in the king's tent. [01:58:19] Wherefore the king, most worthily, [01:58:21] hath caused every soldier to cut his prisoner's throat. [01:58:24] Oh, 'tis a gallant king. [01:58:27] Aye, he was born at Monmouth, Captain Gower. [01:58:32] What call you the name of the town [01:58:33] where Alexander the Pig is born? [01:58:37] Alexander the Great. [01:58:40] Why, I pray you, is pig not great? [01:58:42] The pig or the great or the huge or the mighty [01:58:44] or the magnificence? [01:58:45] It's all one reckoning, [01:58:46] save the phrase, a little variation. [01:58:49] I think Alexander the Great was born at Macedon. [01:58:52] His father was called Philip of Macedon, [01:58:54] as I take it. [01:58:56] I think it is in Macedon where Alexander is born. [01:58:59] I tell you, Captain, [01:59:00] if you look in the maps of the 'orld, [01:59:03] I warrant you shall find [01:59:04] in the situations between Macedon and Monmouth [01:59:08] that the situations, look you, is both alike.

[01:59:11] There is a river in Macedon. [01:59:13] There is also moreover a river at Monmouth, [01:59:17] the Wye at Monmouth. [01:59:20] But it is out of my brains [01:59:21] what is the name of the other river. [01:59:22] But it is all one. [01:59:24] such as my fingers is to my fingers, [01:59:26] and there is salmons--[01:59:29] mm--[01:59:31] in both. [01:59:32] Oh, shh. [01:59:34] If you mark Alexander's life well, [01:59:35] Harry of Monmouth's life [01:59:37] is come after it indifferent well, [01:59:39] for there is figures in all things. [01:59:40] Alexander, God knows and you know, [01:59:45] in his rages and his wraths [01:59:46] and his cholers and his moods and his displeasures [01:59:48] and his indignations and also being [01:59:51] a little intoxicates in his brains, [01:59:54] did, in his ales and his angers, kill his best friend, Cleitus. [01:59:58] Our king is not like him in that. [02:00:00] He never killed any of his friends. [02:00:04] It is not well done, mark you now, [02:00:06] to take the tales out of my mouth [02:00:07] ere it is made and finished. [02:00:09] I speak but in the figures and comparisons of it. [02:00:11] As Alexander did kill his friend Cleitus. [02:00:14] in his ales and in his cups, [02:00:16] so also Harry Monmouth, [02:00:17] being in his right wits and his good judgments, [02:00:20] turned away the fat knight with the great belly doublet. [02:00:23] He was full of jests and gipes and mocks and knaveries. [02:00:26] Oh, I forgot his name now. [02:00:28] Sir John Falstaff. [02:00:30] That is he. [02:00:31] I'll tell you, Captain, [02:00:32] there is good men born at Monmouth. [02:00:35] Here comes His Majesty. [02:00:59] I was not angry since I came to France [02:01:03] until this instant. [02:01:09] Take a trumpet, herald. [02:01:10] Ride thou unto the horsemen on yond hill. [02:01:12] If they will fight with us, [02:01:13] bid them come down or void the field. [02:01:16] They do offend our sight. [02:01:19] If they'll do neither, [02:01:20] we'll come to them and make them skirr away, [02:01:22] as swift as stones enforced from the old Assyrian slings. [02:01:25] Besides, we'll cut the throats of those we have, [02:01:27] and not a man of them that we shall take [02:01:29] shall taste our mercy! [02:01:31] Go and tell them so. [02:01:32] Here comes the herald of the French, my liege. [02:01:38] How now. [02:01:42] What means this, herald? [02:01:45] Comest thou again for ransom? [02:01:46] No, great king. [02:01:50] I come to thee for charitable license, [02:01:53] that we may wander o'er this bloody field

[02:01:56] to book our dead and then to bury them, [02:01:59] to sort our nobles from our common men, [02:02:03] for many of our princes-- woe the while--[02:02:07] lie drowned and soaked in mercenary blood. [02:02:10] So do our vulgar drench their peasant limbs [02:02:13] in blood of princes, [02:02:15] and their wounded steeds fret fetlock deep in gore [02:02:18] and with wild rage [02:02:19] yerk out their armed heels at their dead masters, [02:02:22] killing them twice. [02:02:25] Oh, give us leave, great king, to view the field in safety [02:02:29] and dispose of their dead bodies. [02:02:31] I tell thee truly, herald, [02:02:34] I know not if the day be ours or no, [02:02:37] for yet a many of your horsemen peer and gallop o'er the field. [02:02:42] The day is yours. [02:02:49] Praised be God, [02:02:51] and not our strength, for it. [02:03:12] What is this castle called that stands hard by? [02:03:17] They call it Agincourt. [02:03:26] Then call we this the field of Agincourt, [02:03:29] fought on the day of Crispin Crispianus. [02:03:41] Your grandfather of famous memory--[02:03:46] an't please Your Majesty--[02:03:48] and your great-uncle Edward, the Black Prince of Wales, [02:03:51] as I have read in the chronicles, [02:03:54] fought a most famous battle here in France. [02:03:57] They did, Fluellen. [02:03:59] Your Majesty says very true. [02:04:00] If Your Majesties is remembered of it, [02:04:03] the Welshmen did good service [02:04:04] in the garden where leeks did grow, [02:04:06] wearing leeks in their Monmouth caps, [02:04:08] which, Your Majesty know, to this hour [02:04:10] to be an honorable badge of the service. [02:04:12] And I do believe Your Majesty takes no scorn [02:04:15] to wear the leek upon Saint Tavy's day. [02:04:17] I wear it for a memorable honor, [02:04:19] for I am Welsh, you know, good countryman. [02:04:24] All the water in Wye cannot wash [02:04:26] the Welsh blood out of Your Majesty's body, [02:04:28] I can tell you that! [02:04:30] God bless it and preserve it [02:04:33] as long as it pleases His Grace and His Majesty too! [02:04:37] Thanks, good my countryman. [02:04:39] By Jeshu, I am Your Majesty's countryman! [02:04:44] I care not who know it! [02:04:46] I will confess it to all the 'orld! [02:04:48] I need not be ashamed of Your Majesty, praised be God, [02:04:54] as long as Your Majesty is an honest man. [02:04:57] God keep me so. [02:05:08] Our herald go with him, [02:05:09] and bring me just notice of the numbers dead [02:05:11] on both our parts. [02:05:21] Call yonder fellow hither. [02:05:27] Soldier, you must come to the king. [02:05:40] Soldier, why wearest thou that glove in thy cap? [02:05:42] Oh. [02:05:43] An't please Your Majesty, [02:05:45] it is the gage of one I should fight withal,

[02:05:48] if he be alive. [02:05:49] An Englishman? [02:05:50] An't please Your Majesty, [02:05:51] a rascal that swaggered with me last night, [02:05:53] who, if ever dare challenge this glove, [02:05:55] I have sworn to take him a box o' the ear. [02:05:57] Or if I should see my glove in his cap--[02:05:58] which he swore, as he were a soldier, [02:06:00] he would wear if alive--[02:06:01] I will strike it out soundly. [02:06:03] What think you, Captain Fluellen? [02:06:08] Is it fit this soldier keep his oath? [02:06:10] He is a villain and a craven, [02:06:12] an't please Your Majesty, in my conscience. [02:06:16] Then keep thy vow, sirrah, when thou meetest the fellow. [02:06:19] So I will, my liege, as I live. [02:06:20] Who servest thou under? [02:06:22] Under Captain Gower, my liege. [02:06:23] Call him hither to me, soldier. [02:06:24] Oh, I will, my liege. [02:06:31] Here, Fluellen. [02:06:33] Wear thou this favor for me and stick it in thy cap. [02:06:37] When Alencon and myself were down together, [02:06:39] I plucked this glove from his helm. [02:06:41] If any man challenge this, [02:06:42] he is a friend to Alencon and an enemy to our person. [02:06:45] If thou encounter any such, apprehend him, [02:06:47] an thou dost me love. [02:06:49] Your Grace does me [02:06:50] as great honors as can be desired [02:06:51] in the hearts of his subjects. [02:06:53] I fain see the man that hath but two legs [02:06:54] that shall find himself aggrieved at this glove. [02:06:57] That is all. [02:06:59] But I'd fain see it once, [02:07:00] an please God of His grace that I might see. [02:07:02] Knowest thou Gower? [02:07:04] Oh, he is my very dear friend, an please you. [02:07:06] Pray thee, go seek him, and bring him to my tent. [02:07:08] I will fetch him. [02:07:10] My Lord of Warwick and my brother Gloucester, [02:07:12] follow Fluellen closely at the heels. [02:07:16] Go you with me, Uncle Exeter. [02:07:18] I warrant it is to knight you, Captain. [02:07:20] God's will and his pleasure, Captain, [02:07:23] you must come apace to the king. [02:07:24] There is more good toward you peradventure [02:07:26] than is in your knowledge to dream of. [02:07:28] Sir, [02:07:30] know you this glove? [02:07:34] Know the glove? [02:07:36] I know a glove is a glove. [02:07:37] Hmm. [02:07:39] I know this, [02:07:40] and therefore, I challenge it! [02:07:42] 'Sblood! [02:07:43] An arrant a traitor as any is in the universal world [02:07:46] or in France or in England! [02:07:47] How now, sir! [02:07:48] You villain.

[02:07:49] Do you think I'll be forsworn? [02:07:50] Stand aside, Captain Gower! [02:07:51] I'll give his treason payment into plows, I warrant you! [02:07:53] I am no traitor! [02:07:54] That's a lie in thy throat! [02:07:55] I charge you in His Majesty's name, [02:07:56] apprehend him! [02:07:58] He's a friend of the Duke Alencon's! [02:07:59] How now, how now. [02:08:00] What's the matter? [02:08:01] My Lord of Warwick, here is a villain, [02:08:04] and a contagious treason come to light [02:08:06] as you shall desire in a summer's day. [02:08:08] Here is His Majesty. [02:08:10] How now, what's the matter? [02:08:12] My liege, here is a villain and a traitor [02:08:13] that has struck the glove [02:08:15] which Your Majesty [02:08:16] is take out of the helmet of Alencon. [02:08:18] My liege, this was my glove. [02:08:19] Here is the fellow to it, [02:08:20] and he that I gave it to in charge [02:08:21] promised to wear it in his cap. [02:08:22] I promised to strike him if he did. [02:08:23] I met this man with my glove in his cap, [02:08:24] and I have been as good as my word. [02:08:26] Your Majesty hear now, saving Your Majesty's manhood, [02:08:28] what an arrant, rascally, beggarly, lousy knave it is. [02:08:30] I hope Your Majesty will bear me witness and testament [02:08:33] and will avouchment [02:08:34] that this is the glove of Alencon [02:08:35] which Your Majesty is give me. [02:08:37] In your conscience, now. [02:08:42] Give me thy glove, soldier. [02:08:48] Look, here is the fellow of it. [02:08:58] 'Twas I, indeed, thou promisedst to strike. [02:09:01] And thou hast given me most bitter terms. [02:09:03] Let his neck answer for it, an please Your Majesty, [02:09:05] if there is any martial law in the world. [02:09:07] How canst thou make me satisfaction? [02:09:09] All offences, my lord, come from the heart. [02:09:13] Never came any from mine to offend Your Majesty. [02:09:16] It was ourself thou didst abuse. [02:09:17] Your Majesty came not like yourself. [02:09:22] You appeared to me but as a common man. [02:09:25] Witness the night, [02:09:27] your garments, your lowliness, [02:09:30] and what Your Highness suffered under that shape, [02:09:32] I beseech you take for your own fault and not mine, [02:09:37] for had you been as I took you for, [02:09:39] I made no offence. [02:09:42] Therefore, I beseech Your Highness, [02:09:45] pardon me. [02:09:50] Here, Uncle Exeter. [02:09:54] Fill this glove with crowns, [02:09:55] and give it to this fellow. [02:09:57] Keep it, fellow, [02:09:59] and wear it for an honor in thy cap [02:10:01] till I do challenge it. [02:10:03] Give him the crowns.

[02:10:06] And, Captain, you must needs be friends with him. [02:10:14] By this day and this light, [02:10:17] the fellow hath enough mettle in his belly. [02:10:21] Hold. [02:10:23] Here is, ah, 12 pence for you. [02:10:28] And I pray you to serve God [02:10:30] and keep you out of prawls [02:10:31] and prabbles and quarrels and dissensions, [02:10:34] I warrant you, it is the better for you. [02:10:36] I will none of your money. [02:10:37] Oh, come, it is with a good will. [02:10:39] It will serve to mend your shoes. [02:10:41] Come, wherefore be you so bashful, huh? [02:10:44] Your shoes is not so good. [02:10:46] 'Tis a good shilling. [02:10:48] Hmm? [02:10:49] Or I will change it. [02:10:58] Now, herald, are the dead numbered? **[02:11:00]** Here is the number of the slaughtered French. [02:11:02] What prisoners of good sort are taken, Uncle? [02:11:09] Charles, Duke of Orleans, nephew to the king. [02:11:13] John, Duke of Bourbon. [02:11:14] Lord Bouciqualt. [02:11:16] Of other lords, barons, knights, and squires, [02:11:19] full 1,500, besides common men. [02:11:28] This note doth tell me of 10,000 French [02:11:31] that in the field lie slain. [02:11:34] Princes in this number and nobles bearing banners, [02:11:38] there lie dead 126. [02:11:42] Added to these, of knights, esquires, and gallant gentlemen, **[02:11:45]** 8,400; [02:11:48] of the which, 500 were but yesterday dubbed knights; [02:11:52] so that in these 10,000 they have lost, [02:11:54] there are but 1,600 mercenaries. [02:11:57] The rest are princes, barons, lords, knights, and squires, [02:12:03] gentlemen of blood and quality. [02:12:06] The names of those their nobles that lie dead. [02:12:10] Charles Delabreth, High Constable of France. [02:12:13] Jacques of Chatillon, Admiral of France. [02:12:15] The master of the crossbows, Lord Rambures. [02:12:18] Great Master of France, the brave Sir Guichard Dolphin. [02:12:22] John, Duke of Alencon. [02:12:25] Anthony, Duke of Brabant. [02:12:27] That's the brother to the Duke of Burgundy. [02:12:30] And Edward, Duke of Bar. [02:12:33] Of lusty earls, Grandpre and Roussi. [02:12:38] Fauconbridge and Foix, [02:12:41] Beaumont and Marle. [02:12:44] Vaudemont and Lestrale. [02:12:51] Here was a royal fellowship of death. [02:12:57] Where is the number of our English dead? [02:13:10] Edward, the Duke of York. [02:13:14] The Earl of Suffolk. [02:13:18] Sir Richard Ketly. [02:13:23] Davy Gam, Esquire. [02:13:28] None else... [02:13:30] of name. [02:13:33] And of all other men but 5 and 20--[02:13:48] Oh, God, Thy arm was here. [02:13:52] And not to us, but to Thy arm alone,

[02:13:54] ascribe we all. [02:13:58] When, without stratagem, [02:14:01] but in plain shock and even play of battle, [02:14:04] was ever known so great and little loss [02:14:08] on one part and on the other? [02:14:14] Take it, God, for it is none but Thine. [02:14:18] 'Tis wonderful. [02:14:22] Come, go we in procession to the village. [02:14:24] And be it death proclaimed through our host [02:14:26] to boast of this or take that praise from God [02:14:28] which is His only. [02:14:29] Is it not lawful, an please Your Majesty, [02:14:30] to tell how many is killed? [02:14:31] Yes, Captain. [02:14:32] But with this acknowledgment, [02:14:34] that God fought for us. [02:14:35] Yes, my conscience, He did us great good. [02:14:39] Do we all holy rites. [02:14:42] Let there be sung, "Non nobis te Deum," [02:14:46] the dead with charity enclosed in clay, [02:14:50] and then to Calais [02:14:53] and to England then, [02:14:56] and where ne'er from France arrived more happy men. [02:15:01] Vouchsafe to those that have not read the story, [02:15:04] that I may prompt them. [02:15:06] And of such as have, [02:15:08] I humbly pray them to admit the excuse of time, [02:15:10] of numbers and due course of things, [02:15:12] which cannot in their huge and proper life [02:15:14] be here presented. [02:15:16] Now we bear the king toward Calais. [02:15:19] Grant him there. [02:15:20] There seen, heave him away upon your winged thoughts [02:15:23] athwart the sea. [02:15:25] Behold, the English beach pales in the flood with men, [02:15:29] with wives and boys, [02:15:30] whose shouts and claps out-voice the deep-mouthed sea, [02:15:34] which like a mighty whiffler 'fore the king [02:15:36] seems to prepare his way. [02:15:37] So let him land, and solemnly see him set on to London. [02:15:43] So swift a pace hath thought that even now [02:15:46] you may imagine him upon Blackheath, [02:15:48] where that his lords desire him [02:15:51] to have borne his bruised helmet [02:15:52] and his bended sword before him through the city. [02:15:55] He forbids it, [02:15:57] being free from vainness and self-glorious pride, [02:16:00] giving full trophy, signal, and ostent [02:16:02] quite from himself to God. [02:16:05] But now behold, [02:16:07] in the quick forge and working house of thought, [02:16:10] how London doth pour out her citizens. [02:16:13] The mayor and all his brethren in best sort, [02:16:17] like to the senators of the antique Rome [02:16:19] with the plebeians swarming at their heels, **[02:16:21]** go forth and fetch their conquering Caesar in. [02:16:24] As, by a lower but loving likelihood, [02:16:27] were now the general of our gracious empress, [02:16:29] as in good time he may, from Ireland coming, [02:16:33] bringing rebellion broached on his sword,

[02:16:36] how many would the peaceful city quit, [02:16:38] to welcome him. [02:16:40] Much more and much more cause did they this Harry. [02:16:45] Now in London place him. [02:16:47] As yet the lamentations of the French [02:16:50] invites the king of England's stay at home--[02:16:53] the emperor's coming in behalf of France [02:16:55] to order peace between them--[02:16:56] and omit all the occurrences, whatever chanced, [02:17:00] till Harry's back return again to France. [02:17:03] There must we bring him, [02:17:05] and myself have played the interim [02:17:07] by remembering you 'tis past. [02:17:10] Then brook abridgment, [02:17:11] and your eyes advance after your thoughts, [02:17:14] straight back again to France. [02:17:15] Nay, that's right. [02:17:17] But why wear you your leek today? [02:17:19] Saint Davy's day is past. [02:17:21] There is occasions and causes why and wherefore in all things. [02:17:26] I will tell you as my friend, Captain Gower. [02:17:29] The rascally, scald, beggarly, lousy, pragging knave, Pistol, [02:17:34] which you and yourself and all the world know [02:17:37] to be a man of no merits, [02:17:38] he is come to me yesterday and brings me bread and salt [02:17:43] and bids me eat my leek. [02:17:45] It was in a place [02:17:46] where I could bear no contention with him. [02:17:48] But I'll be so bold as to wear my leek in my cap [02:17:52] till I see him again, [02:17:54] and then I will tell him a little piece of my desires. [02:17:57] Here he comes, swelling like a turkey-cock. [02:18:00] 'Tis no matter for his swellings nor his turkey-cocks. [02:18:03] God bless you, Aunchient Pistol! [02:18:05] You scurvy, lousy knave, God bless you. [02:18:09] Ha! [02:18:10] Art thou bedlam? [02:18:12] Would'st thou have me fold up Parca's fatal web? [02:18:15] Hence. [02:18:16] I am qualmish at the smell of leek. [02:18:19] I beseech you heartily, scurvy, lousy knave, [02:18:22] at my requests and my petitions and my desires [02:18:24] to eat, look you, this leek, [02:18:26] because, look you, you do not love it, [02:18:28] nor your affections and your appetites [02:18:30] and your digestions does not agree with it, [02:18:33] I would desire you therefore to eat it. [02:18:36] Not for Cadwallader and all his goats. [02:18:40] Ow! [02:18:43] Ah! [02:18:44] There is one goat for you. [02:18:46] Oh! [02:18:47] Will you be so good, scald knave, as eat it? [02:18:50] Base Troyan, thou shalt die. [02:18:52] You say very true, scald knave, when God's will is. [02:18:55] I will desire you to live in the meantime [02:18:57] and eat your victuals. [02:18:59] Come, there is sauce for it. [02:19:01] Ow! [02:19:03] Bite, I pray you.

- [02:19:04] It's good for your green wound and your bloody coxcomb. [02:19:08] Must I bite? [02:19:10] Yes, certainly, out of doubt [02:19:11] and out of question too [02:19:12] and ambiguities. [02:19:14] By this leek, I will be most horribly revenged. [02:19:18] I eat--I eat, I swear! [02:19:22] Eat, I pray you. [02:19:24] Will you have some more sauce to your leek? [02:19:27] I have another leek in my pocket. [02:19:30] There's not enough leek to swear by. [02:19:32] Quiet thy cudgel! [02:19:34] Thou dost see I eat. [02:19:36] Much good do you, heartily, scald knave. [02:19:38] Oh, no, throw none away. [02:19:41] The skin is good for your broken coxcomb. [02:19:44] God be wi' you and keep you [02:19:47] and heal your pate. [02:20:09] Doth Fortune play the huswife with me now? [02:20:14] News have I that my Nell is dead i' the spital [02:20:18] of malady of France. [02:20:21] And there, my rendezvous is quite cut off. [02:20:29] Old I do wax. [02:20:32] And from my weary limbs, honor is cudgelled. [02:20:40] Well, bawd I'll turn [02:20:45] and something lean to cutpurse of quick hand. [02:20:49] To England will I steal, [02:20:53] and there, I'll steal. [02:20:56] And patches will I get unto these scars, [02:21:01] and say I got them in the Gallia wars.
- [02:21:05] Ha, ha, ha, ha, ha, ha.

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[02:21:25] Peace to this meeting, wherefore we are met. [02:21:28] Unto our brother France and to our sister, [02:21:30] health and fair time of day. [02:21:32] Joy and good wishes [02:21:34] to our most fair and princely cousin Katharine. [02:21:36] And as a branch and member of this royalty [02:21:40] by whom this great assembly is contrived, [02:21:42] we do salute you, Duke of Burgundy. [02:21:46] And princes French and peers, health to you all. [02:21:49] Right joyous are we to behold your face, [02:21:53] most worthy brother England. [02:21:54] Fairly met. [02:21:56] And so are you, princes English, every one. [02:22:01] So happy be the issue, brother England, [02:22:05] of this good day and of this gracious meeting [02:22:07] as we are now glad to behold your eyes, [02:22:11] your eyes, which hitherto have borne in them [02:22:13] against the French that met them in their bent [02:22:16] the fatal balls of murdering basilisks. [02:22:20] The venom of such looks, we fairly hope, [02:22:22] have lost their quality [02:22:23] and that this day shall change [02:22:26] all griefs and quarrels into love. [02:22:28] To cry amen to that, thus we appear. [02:22:30] You English princes all, [02:22:33] I do salute you. [02:22:37] My duty to you both, on equal love, [02:22:40] great kings of France and England. [02:22:42] That I have labored [02:22:44] with all my wits, my pains, and strong endeavors [02:22:47] to bring Your Most Imperial Majesties [02:22:49] unto this barand royal interview, [02:22:52] your mightiness on both parts best can witness. [02:22:58] Since then, my office hath so far prevailed [02:23:02] that, face to face and royal eye to eye, [02:23:04] you have congreeted, [02:23:05] let it not disgrace me [02:23:07] if I demand, before this royal view, [02:23:11] what rub or what impediment there is, [02:23:13] why that the naked, poor, and mangled peace--[02:23:18] dear nurse of arts, plenties, and joyful births--[02:23:22] should not in this best garden of the world, [02:23:26] our fertile France, [02:23:29] put up her lovely visage? [02:23:32] Alas, from France, she hath too long been chased, [02:23:37] and all her husbandry doth lie on heaps, [02:23:41] corrupting in its own fertility. [02:23:46] Her vine, the merry cheerer of the heart, [02:23:48] unpruned dies. [02:23:49] Her hedges even-pleached, [02:23:52] like prisoners wildly overgrown with hair, put forth disordered twigs. [02:23:56] [02:23:59] Her fallow leas, [02:24:01] the darnel, hemlock, and rank fumitory [02:24:03] doth root upon, [02:24:05] while that the coulter rusts [02:24:07] that should deracinate such savagery. [02:24:12] The even mead

[02:24:14] that erst brought sweetly forth [02:24:17] the freckled cowslip, burnet, and green clover, [02:24:20] wanting the scythe, all uncorrected, rank, [02:24:23] conceives by idleness, [02:24:26] and nothing teems but hateful docks, [02:24:29] rough thistles, kexes, burs, [02:24:32] losing both beauty and utility. [02:24:35] And as our vineyards, fallows, meads, and hedges, [02:24:39] defective in their natures, grow to wildness, [02:24:42] even so our houses and ourselves and children have lost [02:24:47] or do not learn for want of time [02:24:49] the sciences that should become our country [02:24:54] but grow like savages--[02:24:56] as soldiers will that nothing do but meditate on blood--[02:24:59] to swearing and stern looks, diffused attire, [02:25:05] and everything that seems unnatural, [02:25:09] which to reduce into our former favor [02:25:12] you are assembled. [02:25:14] And my speech entreats that I may know the let, [02:25:18] why gentle peace [02:25:20] should not expel these inconveniences [02:25:24] and bless us [02:25:26] with her former qualities. [02:25:29] If, Duke of Burgundy, you would the peace, [02:25:32] whose want gives growth [02:25:33] to the imperfections which you have cited, [02:25:35] you must buy that peace [02:25:37] with full accord to all our just demands. [02:25:40] whose tenors and particular effects [02:25:41] you have enscheduled briefly in your hands. [02:25:43] The king hath heard them. [02:25:45] To the which, as yet, there is no answer made. [02:25:49] Well, then, the peace, [02:25:50] which you before so urged. [02:25:52] lies in his answer. [02:25:57] I have but with a cursorary eye o'erglanced the articles. [02:26:00] Pleaseth Your Grace [02:26:02] to appoint some of your council [02:26:03] presently to sit with us once more, [02:26:05] with better heed to re-survey them, [02:26:07] and we will suddenly pass [02:26:09] our accept and peremptory answer. [02:26:12] Brother, we shall. [02:26:13] Go, Uncle Exeter and Brother Clarence [02:26:15] and you, Brother Gloucester and Warwick too. [02:26:17] Go with the king, [02:26:19] and take with you free power to ratify, augment, or alter [02:26:22] as your wisdoms best shall see advantagable for our dignity, [02:26:26] anything in or out of our demands, [02:26:28] and we'll consign thereto. [02:27:04] Will you, [02:27:05] fair sister, [02:27:06] go with the princes or stay here with us? [02:27:10] Our gracious brother, I will go with them. [02:27:12] Haply, a woman's voice may do some good [02:27:15] when articles too nicely urged be stood on. [02:27:22] Yet leave our cousin Katharine here with us. [02:27:24] She is our capital demand, [02:27:25] comprised within the fore-rank of our articles. [02:27:28] She hath good leave.

[02:27:52] Fair Katharine, and most fair, [02:27:56] will you vouchsafe to teach a soldier [02:27:59] terms such as will enter at a lady's ear [02:28:02] and plead his love suit [02:28:04] to her gentle heart? [02:28:10] Your Majesty shall at mock me. [02:28:13] I cannot speak your England. [02:28:15] Oh, fair Katharine, [02:28:16] if you will love me soundly with your French heart, [02:28:18] I will be glad to hear you confess it brokenly [02:28:20] with your English tongue. [02:28:26] Do you like me, Kate? [02:28:34] Pardonnez-moi, I cannot tell what is "like me." [02:28:38] An angel is like you, Kate, [02:28:40] and you are like an angel. [02:28:45] Que dit-il? [02:28:47] Que je suis semblable a les anges? [02:28:48] Oui, vraiment, sauf votre grace, ainsi dit-il. [02:28:51] I said so, dear Katharine, [02:28:52] and I must not blush to affirm it. [02:28:55] Oh, bon Dieu. [02:28:57] Les langues des hommes sont pleines de tromperies. [02:28:59] What says she, fair one? [02:29:01] That the tongues of men are full of deceits? [02:29:04] Oui, dat de tongues of de mans is be full of deceit. [02:29:08] That is the princess. [02:29:09] The princess is the better Englishwoman. [02:29:12] I' faith, Kate, my wooing is fit for thy understanding. [02:29:14] I'm glad thou canst speak no better English, [02:29:16] for if thou couldst, [02:29:17] thou would find me such a plain king **[02:29:19]** thou would think I'd sold my farm [02:29:20] to buy my crown. [02:29:26] I know no ways to mince it in love [02:29:28] but directly to say, "I love you." [02:29:30] Then if you urge me farther than to say, "Do you i' faith?" [02:29:33] I wear out my suit. [02:29:35] Give me your answer. [02:29:36] I' faith, do. [02:29:37] And so clap hands and a bargain. [02:29:39] How say you, lady? [02:29:44] Sauf votre honneur, me understand well. [02:29:51] Marry, if you would put me to verses [02:29:53] or to dance for your sake, Kate, [02:29:56] why, you undid me. [02:29:58] For the one, I have neither words nor measure. [02:30:01] For the other, I have no strength in measure, [02:30:05] yet a reasonable measure in strength. [02:30:07] If I could win a lady at leapfrog [02:30:08] or by vaulting into my saddle with my armor on my back, [02:30:11] under the correction of bragging be it spoke, [02:30:13] I should quickly leap into a wife. [02:30:14] Or if I might buffet for my love [02:30:17] or bound my horse for her favors, [02:30:19] I could lay on like a butcher, [02:30:21] sit like a jackanapes, never off. [02:30:25] But, before God, Kate, [02:30:26] I cannot look greenly [02:30:28] nor gasp out my eloquence, [02:30:31] nor I have no cunning in protestation,

[02:30:33] only downright oaths, [02:30:35] which I never use till urged [02:30:38] nor never break for urging. [02:30:42] If thou canst love a fellow of this temper, Kate, [02:30:44] whose face is not worth sunburning, [02:30:46] who never looks in his glass [02:30:47] for love of anything he sees there, [02:30:49] let thine eye be thy cook. [02:30:57] I speak to thee plain soldier. [02:30:59] If thou canst love me for this, take me. [02:31:02] If not, to say to thee that I shall die is true. [02:31:08] But for thy love, by the Lord, no. [02:31:12] And yet I love thee too. [02:31:14] Whilst thou livest, dear Kate, [02:31:16] take a fellow of plain and uncoined constancy, [02:31:18] for he perforce must do thee right. [02:31:20] because he hath not the gift to woo in other places. [02:31:23] These fellows of infinite tongue [02:31:25] that can rhyme themselves into ladies' favors, [02:31:27] they do always reason themselves out again. [02:31:30] What? [02:31:31] A speaker is but a prater. [02:31:34] A rhyme is but a ballad. [02:31:36] A good leg will fall. [02:31:38] A straight back will stoop. [02:31:43] A black beard will turn white. [02:31:44] A curled pate will grow bald. [02:31:48] A fair face will wither [02:31:49] and a full eye wax hollow, [02:31:52] but a good heart, Kate, [02:31:54] is the sun and moon--[02:31:56] or rather the sun and not the moon, [02:31:59] for it shines bright [02:32:01] and never changes [02:32:02] but keeps his course truly. [02:32:06] If thou would have such a one, [02:32:08] take me. [02:32:10] And take me, take a soldier. [02:32:12] Take a soldier, take a king. [02:32:14] What sayest thou, then, to my love? [02:32:19] Speak, my fair, and fairly, I pray thee. [02:32:34] Is it possible dat I should love de enemy of France? [02:32:37] No, it is not possible [02:32:39] that you should love the enemy of France, Kate. [02:32:41] But in loving me, [02:32:42] you should love the friend of France. [02:32:44] for I love France so well, [02:32:45] I will not part with a village of it. [02:32:47] I will have it all mine. [02:32:49] Kate, when France is mine [02:32:52] and I am yours, [02:32:54] then yours is France, and you are mine. [02:32:58] I cannot tell what is dat. [02:32:59] No, Kate. [02:33:03] I will tell thee in French, [02:33:05] which I am sure will hang upon my tongue [02:33:07] as a newly married wife about her husband's neck, [02:33:09] hardly to be shook off. [02:33:13] Je... [02:33:14] quand sur le possession de France...

[02:33:18] et quand vous avez le possession de moi--[02:33:24] Let me see, what then? [02:33:28] Saint Denis be my speed. [02:33:33] Donc votre est France et vous etes mienne. [02:33:37] It is as easy for me, Kate, to conquer the kingdom [02:33:39] as to speak so much more French. [02:33:40] I shall never move thee in French, Kate, [02:33:42] unless it be to laugh at me. [02:33:44] But dost thou understand thus much English? [02:33:47] Canst thou love me? [02:33:51] I cannot tell. [02:33:52] Can any of your neighbors tell, Kate? [02:33:54] I'll ask them. [02:33:55] Come, I know thou lovest me. [02:33:59] And at night, when you come into your closet, [02:34:01] you'll question this gentlewoman about me. [02:34:03] And I know, Kate, you will to her dispraise [02:34:05] those parts in me you love with your heart. [02:34:08] But, good Kate, mock me mercifully. [02:34:10] The rather, gentle princess, because I love thee cruelly. [02:34:17] If ever thou beest mine, [02:34:18] as I have a saving faith within me tells me thou shalt, [02:34:21] I get thee with scambling, [02:34:24] and thou must therefore needs prove [02:34:26] a good soldier breeder. [02:34:29] Shall not thou and I, [02:34:30] between Saint Denis and Saint George, [02:34:32] compound a boy, half French, half English, [02:34:34] who'll go to Constantinople and take the Turk by the beard? [02:34:37] Shall we not? [02:34:39] What sayest thou, my fair flower-de-luce? [02:34:43] I do not know dat. [02:34:45] No, 'tis hereafter to know but now to promise. [02:34:51] Do but now promise, Kate, you will endeavor [02:34:53] for your French part of such a boy. [02:34:56] And for my English moiety, [02:34:57] take the word of a king and a bachelor. [02:35:01] How answer you, [02:35:03] la plus belle Katherine du monde, [02:35:07] mon tres cher et divin deesse? [02:35:14] Your Majestee have false French enough [02:35:17] to deceive de most sage damoiselle [02:35:20] dat is en France. [02:35:21] Now, fie upon my false French. [02:35:22] By mine honor, in true English, I love thee, Kate. [02:35:27] By which honor I dare not swear thou lovest me, [02:35:29] yet my blood begins to flatter me that thou dost. [02:35:34] Therefore tell me, most fair Katharine, [02:35:37] will you have me? [02:35:42] Put off your maiden blushes. [02:35:44] Avouch the thoughts of your heart [02:35:45] with the looks of an empress. [02:35:47] Take me by the hand, [02:35:48] and say, "Harry of England, I am thine," [02:35:51] which word thou shalt no sooner bless mine ear withal, [02:35:54] but I shall tell thee aloud, [02:35:57] "England is thine, [02:36:001 "Ireland is thine. [02:36:03] "France is thine, [02:36:06] and Henry Plantagenet is thine."

[02:36:13] Though I speak it before his face, [02:36:15] if he be not fellow with the best king, [02:36:17] thou shalt find the best king of good fellows. [02:36:19] Come, your answer in broken music, [02:36:23] for thy voice is music and thy English broken. [02:36:28] Therefore, queen of all, Katharine, [02:36:30] break thy mind to me in broken English. [02:36:33] Wilt thou have me? [02:36:37] That is as it shall please de roi mon pere. [02:36:40] Nay, it will please him well, Kate. [02:36:43] It shall please him, Kate. [02:36:48] Den it shall also content me. [02:36:53] Upon that, I kiss your hand and call you my queen. [02:36:56] Laissez, mon seigneur, laissez, laissez! [02:37:05] Ma foi, je ne veux point [02:37:06] que vous abaissez votre grandeur en baisant la main [02:37:09] d'une de votre seigeurie indigne serviteur. [02:37:14] Excusez-moi, [02:37:16] je vous supplie, [02:37:17] mon tres-puissant seigneur. [02:37:19] Then I will kiss your lips, Kate. [02:37:20] Les dames et demoiselles [02:37:21] pour etre baisees devant leur noces, [02:37:23] il n'est pas la coutume de France. [02:37:24] Madame my interpreter, what says she? [02:37:27] Dat it is not be de fashion pour les ladies of France--[02:37:29] I cannot tell what is baiser en Anglish. [02:37:321 To kiss. [02:37:33] Your Majestee entendre bettre que moi. [02:37:35] It is not a fashion for the maids in France [02:37:37] to kiss before they are married, would she say? [02:37:39] Oui, vraiment. [02:37:43] Oh, Kate, nice customs curtsy to great kings. [02:37:49] Dear Kate, you and I [02:37:50] cannot be confined within the weak list [02:37:52] of a country's fashion. [02:37:54] We are the makers of manners, Kate. [02:37:57] The liberty that follows our places [02:37:58] stops the mouth of all findfaults... [02:38:03] as I will do yours [02:38:04] for upholding the nice fashion of your country [02:38:06] in denying me a kiss. [02:38:11] Therefore, patiently and yielding. [02:38:25] You have witchcraft in your lips, Kate. [02:38:27] There is more eloquence in a sugar touch of them [02:38:30] than in the tongues of the French council. [02:38:32] And they should sooner persuade Henry of England [02:38:34] than a general petition of monarchs. [02:38:40] Here comes your father. [02:38:43] God save Your Majesty. [02:38:45] My royal cousin, teach you our princess English? [02:38:50] I would have her learn, my fair cousin, [02:38:52] how perfectly I love her. [02:38:55] And that is good English. [02:38:59] We have consented to all terms of reason. [02:39:02] Is't so, my lords of England? [02:39:04] The king hath granted every article. [02:39:06] His daughter first and then in sequel all [02:39:10] according to their firm proposed natures. [02:39:13] Take her, fair son,

[02:39:15] and from her blood, [02:39:18] raise up issue to me [02:39:20] that the contending kingdoms of France and England, [02:39:23] whose very shores look pale with envy [02:39:26] of each other's happiness, [02:39:27] may cease their hatred. [02:39:30] And this dear conjunction [02:39:33] plant neighborhood and Christian-like accord [02:39:37] in their sweet bosoms, [02:39:39] that never war advance his bleeding sword [02:39:43] 'twixt England [02:39:46] and fair France. [02:39:50] Amen. [02:39:51] Now, welcome, Kate. [02:39:53] And bear me witness all, [02:39:55] that here I kiss her as my sovereign queen. [02:40:02] God, the best maker of all marriages, [02:40:05] combine your hearts in one, your realms in one. [02:40:09] As man and wife, being two, are one in love, [02:40:12] so be there 'twixt your kingdoms such a spousal [02:40:15] that never may ill office or fell jealousy, [02:40:18] which troubles of the bed of blessed marriage, [02:40:20] thrust in between the paction of these kingdoms [02:40:23] to make divorce of their incorporate league, [02:40:26] that English may as French, French Englishmen, [02:40:29] receive each other. [02:40:31] God speak this Amen. [02:40:331 Amen. [02:40:35] Prepare we for our marriage, [02:40:37] on which day, my Lord of Burgundy, [02:40:39] we'll take your oath, [02:40:41] and all the peers', for surety of our leagues. [02:40:44] Then shall I swear to Kate [02:40:46] and you to me. [02:40:48] And may our oaths well kept and prosperous be. [02:41:15] Thus far, with rough and all-unable pen, [02:41:18] our bending author hath pursued the story, [02:41:20] in little room confining mighty men, [02:41:25] mangling by starts the full course of their glory. [02:41:29] Small time, [02:41:30] but in that small, [02:41:31] most greatly lived this star of England. [02:41:35] Fortune made his sword, [02:41:37] by which the world's best garden he achieved [02:41:40] and of it left his son imperial lord. [02:41:42] Henry VI, in infant bands [02:41:44] crowned King Of France and England, [02:41:46] did this king succeed, [02:41:49] whose state so many had the managing [02:41:51] that they lost France and made his England bleed, [02:41:55] which oft our stage hath shown, [02:41:58] and for their sake. [02:42:00] in your fair minds, [02:42:02] let this acceptance take.