

## Promises Like Pie-Crust

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So will I not promise you  
Keep we both our liberties  
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And of mine what can you know?

You, so warm, may once have been  
Warmer towards another one  
I, so cold, may once have seen  
Sunlight, once have felt the sun

Who shall show us if it was  
Thus indeed in time of old?  
Fades the image from the glass  
And the fortune is not told

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For lost liberty again  
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