



The Eagle's Force.

From *Psalms, Songs and Sonnets*. 1611

Words by Thomas Churchyard (1520-1604)

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the flam- ing fire? Doth not the Sun daz- zle the clear- est eyes, the clear- est eyes, the



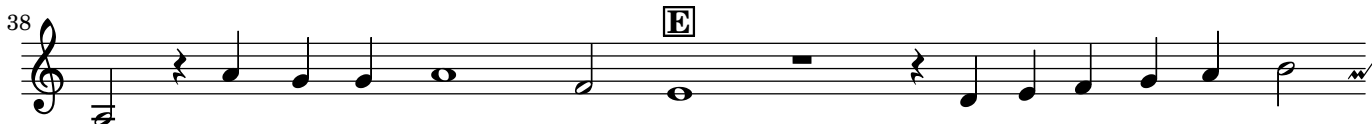
clear- est eyes? And melt the ice, and make the frost re - - tire? re - - tire? Who



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sire? The stiff- est stones are pierc- ed through with tools, are pierc- ed through with



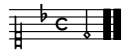
tools, are pierc- ed through with tools: the wis- est are with Prin-



ces made but fools. The wis- est are with Prin- ces made but fools, made but fools. The



wis- est are with Prin- ces made but fools, made but fools, made but fools. The fools.



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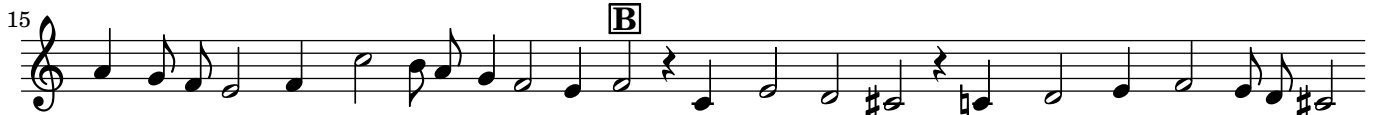
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clear-est eyes, the clear-est eyes? and melt the ice, and make the frost re - tire?



re - - tire? Who can with-stand a puis-sant King's de-sire, a puis-sant King's de-



sire, de - - - - sire? The stiff-est stones are pierc-ed through with tools, are pierc-ed



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tools, are pierc- ed through with tools, with tools: The wis- est are with



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