

THE  
SECOND BOOKE  
of Songs or Ayres

*IOHN DOWLAND*

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VII. Then sit thee downe and say thy *Nunc demittis*.

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With *De profundis*, *Credo* and *Te Deum*,  
Chant *Miserere*, for what now so fit is,  
As that, or this, *Paratum est cor meum*,  
O that thy Saint would take in worth thy heart,  
Thou canst not please hir with a better part.