

«The Fairest Image»

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The fairest image, the symbol of Perfection –
A playful look and shining eyes,
A pleasant shape created for affection
Brings up a vine of dates and ties.

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The dearest image will warm my heart a bit,
And cover with its bliss another hour.
My soul is at peace. As earlier it did,
This feeling hurries to devour.

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My soul is a-lit... Don't say goodbye.
I thank you for your kindest words!
Keep silent, praise, or scold, or cry:
Truth is what your fairness affords.

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The fairest image will disturb my state,
Pursue my conscience night and day...
I'll beg you for a single date,
And not to hear «no» I pray.