

# O Death, rock me asleep

Ann Boleyn?

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O  
My  
A-  
Fare-

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Death,                    O Death,                    rock me a-                    sleep,                    Bring                    me  
pains,                  my pains,                  who can ex-                  press?                  A-                  las,  
lone,                  a- lone                  in pri- son                  strong                  I                  wail  
well,                  fare- well,                  my plea- sures                  past!                  Wel-                  come,

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to qui- et                    Let pass my wea- ry                    guilt- less                    ghost  
they are so strong!            My do- lours will not            fer                    strength  
my des- ti- ny;                Woe worth this cru- el            hap                    that                    I  
my pres- ent                I feel my tor- ment            so                    in-                    crease

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Out of my care- ful - breast.  
My life for to pro - long.  
Must taste this mi- se - ry!  
That life can- not re - main.

Toll on, thou  
Toll on, thou  
Toll on, thou  
Cease now, thou

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pass- ing bell; Ring out my dole- ful knell;  
pass- ing bell; Ring out my dole- ful knell;  
pass- ing bell; Ring out my dole- ful knell;  
pass- ing bell; Rung is my dole- ful knell;

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Let thy sound my death tell, - Let thy  
Let thy sound my death tell, - Let thy  
Let thy sound my death tell, - Let thy  
For thou my death dost tell; - Lord, pi-

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sound my death tell,  
sound my death tell,  
sound my death tell,  
ty thou my soul!

For I must die;  
For I must die;  
For I must die;  
Death, Death, draw nigh.

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There is no re-me-dy,  
There is no re-me-dy,  
There is no re-me-dy,  
Sound my end dole-ful-ly,

For now I die,  
For now I die,  
For now I die,  
For now I die,

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for now I die, I die.  
 for now I die, I die.  
 for now I die, I die.  
 for now I die, I die.