

# 11. Why stays the bridegroom Alfonso Ferrabosco II

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Why stays the bride-groom to invade her, that would be a matron made,

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Good-night, whilst yet we may, good-night to you a virgin say. To-morrow rise, the

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same your mother is, and use a nobler name. Speedwell in hy-menswar, that what you are, by

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your per-fections we and all may see. see.