

THE XII. WONDERS OF THE WORLD

John Maynard

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The Maide

I marriage would forswear, but that I heare men tell,
That shee that dyes a mayde must lead an Ape in hell,
Therefore if fortune come I will not mocke and play,
Nor driue the bargaine on, till it be driuen away,
Titles and lands I like, yet rather fancy can,
A man that wanteth gould, then gould that wants a man.

Sir John Davies