

More Sweet Is That Name

Somnus' aria from the oratorio *Semele* (bass)

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More **sweet** **is** **that** **name**
[mɔː swit ɪz ðæt ne:ɪm]

Than a soft purling stream.

With pleasure repose I'll forsake,
If you'll grant me but her
To soothe me awake.

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IPA transcription is available for download.

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