

Sérénade [se.re.nad] (Serenade)

Text by an anonymous poet of the 17th century

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Avec une si belle main,
[a.vε. ky.nə si bε.lø mɛ]
With a so beautiful hand,
(With such a beautiful hand)

Que servent tant de charmes,
Que vous devez du dieu malin,
Bien manier les armes.
Et quand cet Enfant est chagrin
Bien essuyer ses larmes.

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