

# What Is Our Life?

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**Cantus**  $\text{♩} = 72$   
What is our life, our life? A play of pas - si-

**Altus**  
What is our life? a play of pas - si - on, a

**Tenor**  
8 What is our life?

**Quintus**  
8 What is our life? a

**Bassus**

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- on, what is our

play of pas - si-on, what is our life,

a play of pas - si - on, of pas-si - on, what is

play of pas - si - on, a play of pas-si-on, what

What is our life? a play of pas - si-

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life, what is our life? our life? a play of pas - si -  
 what is our life, what is our life? a play of pas -  
 our life? a play of pas - si - on.  
 is our life? a play of pas-si on, what is our life? a  
 - on, what is our life, our life? a play of pas - si -

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- on. Our mirth the mu-sic of di-vi-si-on, of di-vi - si -  
 - si - on. Our mirth the mu - sic of di -  
 Our mirth the mu - sic, the mu - sic of di - vi - si-on,  
 play of pas - si - on. Our  
 - on. Our mirth the mu - sic of di-vi-si-on, of di-vi-si-on, our mirth the

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- on.  
 - vi - si - on, our mirth the mu - sic of di-vi -  
 our mirth the mu - sic of di-vi-si-on, our mirth the mu - sic  
 mirth the mu - sic of di-vi-si - on, our mirth the mu - sic of di -  
 mu - sic of di-vi - si - on,

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Our mo-ther's wombs the 'tir - ing hou - ses be,  
 - si - on.  
 of di - vi - si - on. Our mo - ther's wombs, our mo -  
 - vi - si - on. Our mo - ther's wombs, our  
 our mo - ther's wombs the 'tir - ing hou-

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where we are dress'd  
 Our mo-ther's wombs the 'tir - ing hou-ses be,  
 - ther's wombs, the 'tir - ing, the 'tir - ing hou - ses be, where  
 mo-ther's wombs the 'tir - ing hou-ses be,  
 - ses be, where we are

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for this short co - me - dy. Heav'n the ju-  
 Heav'n the ju- di - cious  
 we are dress'd, are dress'd for this short co - me-  
 where we are dress'd for this short co - me- dy, short  
 dress'd, are dress'd for this short co- me-

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- di - cious sharp spec - ta - tor is,  
 sharp spec - ta - tor is, heav'n the ju - di - cious sharp spec -  
 dy. Heav'n the ju - di - cious sharp spec - ta - tor,  
 co - me - dy. Spec - ta - tor  
 - dy. Heav'n the ju - di - cious sharp spec - ta - tor

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that sits and marks still who doth act a - miss,  
 - ta - tor is that sits and marks still who doth act a - miss,  
 spec - ta - tor is, that sits and marks, that sits and marks still  
 is, that sits and marks, that sits and marks still  
 is, that sits and marks who doth a - miss,

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that sits and marks still who doth act a -  
 that sits and marks still who doth act a - miss, still who doth act  
 who doth act a - miss, that sits and marks, marks still  
 who doth act a - miss, still who doth act a - miss, that sits and marks still  
 that sits and marks still who doth act a - miss, still

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- miss. Our graves, our graves, that hide us  
 a - miss. Our graves that hide us from the search-ing  
 who doth act a - miss. Our graves that hide us from the  
 who doth act a - miss. Our graves that hide us from the search - ing  
 who doth act a - miss. Our graves that hide, that hide us from

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from the search - ing sun are like drawn  
 sun, that hide us from the search - ing sun are like drawn  
 search - ing sun are  
 sun, from the search-ing sun, the search-ing sun are like drawn  
 the search - ing sun are like drawn cur-

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cur - tains when the play is done,  
 cur - tains when the play is done, are like drawn cur-  
 like drawn cur - tains when the play is done, when the play is  
 cur - tains, drawn cur - tains when  
 - tains when the play is done, when the play

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when the play is done, the play  
 - tains when the play is done,  
 done, when the play is done, is done, are like drawn  
 the play is done, the play is done, are like drawn  
 is done.

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is done, are like drawn cur - tains when the play is done.  
 are like drawn cur-tains when the play is done.  
 cur-tains when the play is done, the play is done. Thus march  
 cur-tains when the play is done. Thus march  
 Thus march we, play-

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Thus march we, play - ing, thus march we, play - ing,  
 Thus march we, play- ing, thus march we,  
 we, play - ing, thus march we, play - ing,  
 we, play - ing, thus march we, play - ing, thus  
 - ing, to our lat - est rest, thus march we,

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thus march we, play - ing to our lat-est  
 play - ing, thus march we, play - ing, to our lat - est  
 thus march we, play-ing, thus  
 march we, play - ing, thus march we, play-ing, to our lat-est  
 play - ing, to our lat - est rest, our lat - est rest,

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rest, thus march we, play-ing, thus march we, play - ing, to our  
 rest, our lat-est rest, thus march we, play-  
 march we, play - ing, thus march we, play - ing, to our lat - est  
 rest, thus march we, play-ing, to our lat - est  
 thus

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lat - est rest, thus march we,  
 - ing, thus march we, play-ing, to our  
 rest, thus march we, play-ing, to our lat - est rest,  
 rest, thus march we, play - ing, thus  
 march we play - ing, thus march we, play-ing, to our lat-est

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play-ing, to our lat - est rest; On - ly, we die, we  
 lat - est rest; On - ly we die in earn - est, that's  
 thus march we, play-ing, to our lat-est rest; On-ly we die in earn-est,  
 march we, play-ing, to our lat-est rest; On - ly we  
 rest; On - ly we

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die in earn - est, that's no jest, we die in earn-est, that's no jest.  
 no jest, in earn - est, that's no jest.  
 that's no jest, we die in earn-est, that's no jest.  
 die, we die in earn-est, that's no jest.  
 die in earn-est, that's no jest, no jest.