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LOVE IS A SICKNESS | SSA CHORUS A CAPPELLA

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SSA Chorus a cappella
Text by Samuel Daniel

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from SONG OF THE FIRST CHORUS

Love is a sickness full of woes,
All remedies refusing;
A plant that with most cutting grows,
Most barren with best using.
Why so?

More we enjoy it, more it dies;
If not enjoy'd, it sighing cries
Heigh ho!

Love is a torment of the mind,
A tempest everlasting;
And Jove hath made it of a kind
Not well, nor full nor fasting.
Why so?

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Heigh ho!

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p

SOPRANO 1
Sha bm. Sha bm. Sha bm. du wah. Sha-bm. Sha-bm. du du wah.

SOPRANO 2
p *3*
Dm bah dah du dah. Bah du du du wah. Dm bah dah du wah du du wah.

ALTO
p
Bm. ho. Bah dm. Heigh ho. Bah dm. Heigh ho. Bah dm. Heigh ho. Bah dm. Heigh

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Piano

5 *mp*
Love is a sick ness_ full_ of woes, Oh. Dm bah du

p
Dm bah du doot. Dm bah du doot. Oh, All re-me dies_ re - fu - sing. A plant that with

p
ho. bah du doot. Dm bah du doot. Dm, bah du doot. Oh. Dm bah du

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Practice tracks for this piece are available at daletrumbore.com/love-is-a-sickness.

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Oh, Oh... Why so? Why so? More we en-joy it,
most cut-ting grows, Oh... Why so? Why so? More we en-joy it,
Dm bah du Most bar-ren with best us-ing. Why so? Why so? Heigh ho. More we en-joy it,

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More it dies, If not en - joyed, it sigh-ing cries, Sha- bm. Sha- bm. Sha- bm, sick-ness.
More it dies, If not en - joyed, it sigh-ing cries, Love is a sick-ness, a sick, sick, sick-ness.
More it dies, If not en - joyed, it sigh-ing cries, Heigh ho. Bah dm. Heigh ho. Bah dm. Heigh

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mp

Sha-bm. Oh, sick - ness_ Oo... Dweet'n dah dah du - dit dah,

mp

Love is a sick ness, sick - ness_ Oo... Sha- bm. Sha- bm. Sha bm. Sick- ness...

mp

ho. Bah dm. Heigh ho. Bah dm. It cries. Ba dm. Heigh ho. Ba dm. Heigh

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mp

Dweet'n dah dah sick - ness_ Oo... *mf*

Love is a sick-ness, a sick, sick, sick-ness...

mf *p*

Sha bm. Sha bm, sick - ness_ Oo, Sha- bm. Sha- bm. Sha bm, sick- ness...

mf *p*

ho. Ba dm. Heigh ho. Ba dm. It cries, Ba dm. Heigh ho. Ba dm. Heigh

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Oh... a sick-ness, Oo... Love is a tor-ment of the mind. Dm bah du du -

Love is a sick-ness, a sick-ness, Oo... Love, bah du doot. Dm bah du doot. Dm bah du du

ho. Ba dm. Heigh ho. Oo... Love, bah du doot. Dm bah du doot. A tem-pest ev - er

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oo... bah du du dm bah du doot. Not well. Nor full, nor fast-ing. Why

Oo... And Jove hath made it of a kind... Not well. Nor full, nor fast-ing. Why

last-ing. Dm bah du du dm bah du doot. Not well, nor full, nor fast-ing. Why

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49 *mf*
 Dweet-n dah dah du dit. dah. Dweet-n dah, dah. sick - ness Oo.
mf
 Sha - bm. Sha - bm. Sha bm. Sick - ness... Sha bm. Oh, sick - ness Oo.
mp *mf*
 cries. Ba dm. Heigh ho. Ba dm. Heigh ho. Ba dm. Heigh ho. Ba dm. It

49
 Musical accompaniment for the first system, including piano and bass staves.

53 *mf* *f*
 Love is a sick-ness, a sick, sick, sick-ness... Oh, a sick - ness, Oo...
f
 Sha - bm. Sha bm. Sha bm. Sick-ness... Love is a sick-ness, a sick - ness, Oo...
f
 cries. Bah dm. Heigh ho. Bah dm. Heigh ho. Ba dm. Heigh ho. Ba dm.

53
 Musical accompaniment for the second system, including piano and bass staves.

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57 *ff* *p* *mf*

Love is a sick-ness, a sick - ness. A sick - ness. A sick - ness.

57 *ff* *p* *mf*

Love is a sick-ness, a sick - ness. A sick - ness. A sick - ness.

57 *ff* *p* *mf*

Love is a sick-ness, a sick - ness. A sick - ness, Love is a sick-ness. sick - ness.



Piano accompaniment for measures 57-61, featuring triplets and dynamic markings.

62 *ff* (Opt. divisi or solo)

Love is a sick - ness.. Oh, Love is a sick-ness full of woe...

62 *f* *ff*

Love is a sick-ness, Love is a sick - ness.. Oh, Love is a sick-ness full of woe...

62 *f* *mf* *ff*

Love is a sick, sick, sick-ness, A sick, sick - ness.. Oh, Love is a sick-ness. Heigh ho.



Piano accompaniment for measures 62-66, including triplets and dynamic markings.