

# Pastime With Good Company

Henry VIII

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♩ = 100

Musical score for the first system, consisting of three staves (treble, alto, and bass clefs) in 4/4 time. The tempo is marked as ♩ = 100. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are: Pas - time with good com - pan - y, I love and shall un - to\_\_ I die: Youth must have needs dal - li - ance, Of good or ill some pas - tence; Com - pan - y with hon - es - ty Is vir - tue and vice\_ to flee;

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Musical score for the second system, consisting of three staves (treble, alto, and bass clefs) in 4/4 time. The tempo is marked as ♩ = 100. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are: Gruch so will but none\_\_ de - ny, So God be pleas'd, so live\_\_ will\_ I; For Com - pan y me thinks\_\_them best All thoughts and fan - ta - sies\_to|di-gest. For Com - pan y is good\_\_ or ill, but ev - ry man hath his\_\_ free will. The

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my pas - tance, Hunt, sing, and dance, My heart\_\_\_ is set, To  
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best en - sue, the worst es - chew, My mind\_\_\_ shall be; Vir -

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