

The ANACREONTIC SONG

*as Sung at the Crown & Anchor Tavern in the Strand,
the Words by*

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The musical score is written in 4/4 time and consists of five systems of music. Each system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a bass line (bass clef). The lyrics are printed below the vocal line.

System 1:
 Treble: To A. NACREON in Hav'ns here he Got in full Glee, A few Sons of Hero - ny
 Bass: (Instrumental accompaniment)

System 2:
 Treble: sent a Pe-tition, That He their Es - pouse and Patron would be, when this
 Bass: (Instrumental accompaniment)

System 3:
 Treble: Answer ar - stv'd from the JOLEY OLDGRACIAN^r Voice Fiddle and Flute no
 Bass: (Instrumental accompaniment)

System 4:
 Treble: longer he mite I'll lend you my Name and in - spire you to lead And he -
 Bass: (Instrumental accompaniment)

System 5:
 Treble: sides I'll instruct you like me to Intwine The Myrtle of VENUS with BACCHUS's Vine
 Bass: (Instrumental accompaniment)

Chorus

And he... fides Ill instruct you like me to intwine The
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The news through OLYMPUS immediately flew;
 When OLD THUNDER just could begin himself to
 If their Murders are filled their Scheme to perfuse,
 The Devil a Goddess will fly above Stars.
 "Hark already they cry,
 "In Transport of Joy
 "Away to the Sons of ANACREON we'll fly
 "And there with good Fellowship we'll begin to intwine
 "The Myrtle of VENUS with BACCHUS'S Vine,
 "The YELLOW HAIR'D GOD and his also fifty Maids,
 "From HELICON'S Banks will incessantly flow
 "IDALIA will haull out of thousand Shades
 "And the hi furked HILL a more thofort will be
 "My Thunders no fear will,
 "Shall from do its Errand,
 "And dem'ne. Ill bring the Hingles I warrant,
 "I'll trim the young Dogs for thus darer to intwine
 The Myrtle of VENUS with BACCHUS'S Vine.

APOLLON full up, and full, Pr'y thee, who quarrel,
 "Gawbling of the Gods with my Votaries below,
 "You Thunders is useless, then thoughtless Laurel,
 Cry'd'ne suitable, witness, you know,
 "Then over each Head
 "My Laurel I'll spread
 "So my Sons from your Crookers as MEDICAL full dread,
 "While fang in their Club Room they Jovely to be
 "The Myrtle of VENUS with BACCHUS'S Vine
 Next MARSUS got up with his riddle Phila,
 And Feare with APOLLO he'd cheerfull Jovis
 "The full Tide of Harmony fill shall be his,
 "But the Song and the Catch, the Lough shall be mine
 "Then JOVE he got Jovious
 "Of their know'd Fellowship,
 Cry'd' JOVE We reher than the Truth you now tell us,
 "And Feare by OLD STYX, that they long had intwine
 The Myrtle of VENUS with BACCHUS'S Vine.

Ye Sons of ANACREON then Jovis Hand in Hand in Heart
 Profess Unanimity Friendship and Love,
 "To your's to support who's to happily please,
 You've the Sanction of Gods and the Fiat of JOVE,
 While they we agree,
 Our Teeth let it be,
 May our Club flourish happy united and Free,
 And long may the Sons of ANACREON intwine
 The Myrtle of VENUS with BACCHUS'S Vine.