

## Brighter the sun seems

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Heller erscheint die Sonne,  
ihre Strahlen brechen wieder durch,  
wenn die Stürme vorbei sind  
und der weite Himmel sich klärt;  
Winter,  
des Schnees und der wilden Stürme  
[der] rauher Träger,  
macht (dass)  
die hübschen Frühlingsblumen  
unseren Augen schöner erscheinen;  
und so für das Herz,  
das gefühlt hat der Leiden Stachel,  
wie groß ist das Vergnügen,  
das die Ruhe bringen kann.

So, wie die Sonne nach Sturm heller erstrahlt  
und der weite Himmel sich klärt,  
So, wie die Frühlingsblumen nach dem strengen Winter  
umso schöner erscheinen,  
So erlaut sich das Herz an der Ruhe,  
nachdem es von Schmerz geplagt wurde.

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