## Flight of the Earls



Oh fear not, fear not, gentle ghost,

Your sons shall turn untrue;

Though fain to fly your lovely coast,

They leave their hearts with you.

As slowly into distance dim Your shadow sinks and dies, So o'er the ocean's utmost rim Another realm shall rise. New hills shall swell, new vales expand, New rivers winding flow; But could we for a foster land Your mother love forego?