

43. Il-Qasma tax-Xoghol

Ommna n-Natura dahlet go bosk ahdar,
u sabet hafna sigar kbar gholjin
li jaghmlu biss il-hdura minghajr frotta;
“Isa,” qaltihom, “tkunux ghazzenin!”

Baghtet lill-awrikarja taqta' t-travi,
lill-fagu u l-arznu jaghmel il-ghamara,
u lill-balluta tibni l-bastimenti,
lill-qastan is-selvaġġ jonqox xi vara;
lill-qasab u lill-virgi jahdmu l-qfief,
lir-rand jaghmel kurunu f'ras l-ghorrief;
lis-sigar tač-čipress twal u gholjin
poġġiethom dritti ghassa mal-mejtin;
lil dawk imbaghad li kienu msewsa u kbar
baghtithom biex jinharqu gewwa n-nar.