

MUCH MADNESS IS DIVINEST SENSE

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Much madness is divinest sense
To a discerning eye;
Much sense the starkest madness.
'T is the majority
In this, as all, prevails.
Assent, and you are sane;
Demur, — you're straightway dangerous,
And handled with a chain.

MUCH MADNESS

♩ = 72

Voice *mp*
Much mad - ness is div-

Piano *p* *mp*

Bass *p* *mp*

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Voice
- i - nest sense to a dis - cern - ing eye; Much sense the stark-est mad-ness.

Piano

Bass *mf*

14

Voice

Piano

Bass

MUCH MADNESS

20 *mf*

Voice

Much mad-ness is div-in - est sense to a dis-cern-ing eye; Much

Piano

mf

Bass

mf

25

Voice

sense the stark - est mad - ness.

Piano

Bass

32

Voice

'Tis the ma - jor - i - ty in this,

Piano

Bass

MUCH MADNESS

38 *mp*

Voice
as all, pre - vails. As - sent, and you are sane; De - mur you're

Piano
mp

Bass
mp

45 *mf* *mp*

Voice
straight way dan - ger - ous and han - dled with a chain. And han - dled

Piano
mf *mp*

Bass
mf *mp*

52 *pp*

Voice
with a chain. *pp*

Piano
pp

Bass
pp