

Love Conquers All: The Heroides & More Concerning Love in the Ancient World

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she is worth the dOwnfall of troy
and in order to reMain with him, beginning a war seems small.
for each other, death is Not to be feared.
she walts
and at lAst, he returns.

with love for him, her Voice resounds
but with love for hImself, he desires his likeness.
her feet fly, she Never lingers
and too late to Catch her, he wears her instead.
he wanders, slck for having looked back, for having lost her
and she wanders, denied life and love by the acTions of her lover.

another day she cAnnot go without a peek
and though angry, Man forgives wife.
borne of love, she a statue nO longer
and he Rejoices in her life.