

Welcome Cyrano!

Post by "Joshua" of January 6, 2024 at 1:26 AM

That is an excellent idea! I can refer you to an old thread in which I compared Friar Laurence's Act 2, Scene 3 monologue from Romeo and Juliet to Book 5 of Lucretius;

Thread

[Romeo and Juliet \(Passages Parallel to Lucretius\)](#)

Romeo and Juliet: Act 2, Scene 3--Friar Laurence

Lucretius, Book 5: Cyril Bailey translation--various passages

The grey-eyed morn smiles on the frowning night,
Chequering the eastern clouds with streaks of light;
And fleckled darkness, like a drunkard, reels
From forth day's path and Titan's fiery wheel.

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Now, ere the sun advance his burning eye,
The day to cheer and night's dank dew to dry,
I must upfill this osier cage of ours
With baleful weeds and precious-juicèd flowers.

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