

**1648**

**UPON JULIA'S CLOTHES**

**Robert Herrick**

*Herrick, Robert (1591-1674) - English poet best known for his love lyrics and pastoral verses. A clergyman, he lost his parish (it was later restored) because of Royalist sympathies. A follower of Ben Jonson, or one of the "sons of Ben," Herrick published only one volume of verse in his lifetime. Upon Julia's Clothes (1648) - One of Herrick's short verses. Opening lines: When as in silks my Julia goes, / Then, then (me thinks) how sweetly flowes ...*

## **UPON JULIAS CLOTHES**

When as in silks my Julia goes, Then, then (me thinks) how sweetly flowes The liquefaction of her clothes.

Next, when I cast mine eyes and see That brave Vibration each way free; O how that glittering taketh me!

**THE END**