Were the letters and youthful poems of Edward de Vere, 17th Earl of Oxford, written in the lexical vocabulary of Shakespeare? [Part 3 of 3]

In the following pages, the lexical vocabulary of Oxford's sixteen youthful poems is reprinted in full. Words not found in the twenty-volume *Oxford English Dictionary* are marked "NFD", while words not found in Shakespeare are marked "NFS". Shakespeare rare words are marked "SRW", followed by a number indicating the number of times the word occurs in Shakespeare according to Bartlett's *Concordance* and Schmidt's *Lexicon*. Proper nouns and foreign words found in Oxford's poetry vocabulary have been omitted, except where the proper noun or foreign word in question has its own entry in the *Oxford English Dictionary*. Words found in Oxford's prose vocabulary as well as in the vocabulary of his youthful poems are marked with an asterisk, a total of approximately 500 words.
[deserve] deserves 1 (v.) *
desire 13 (sb.) *
desire 1 (v.) desireth 1 *
desired 1 (ppl.a.) SRW4
despair 1 (sb.) *
despairing 1 (ppl.a.) SRW3
despise 1 (v.)
despite 2 (sb.)
device 1 (sb.) *
devise 1 (v.) *
devoid 1 (a.) SRW1
dew 1 (sb.)
die 5 (v.) dies 1 *
diligence 1 (sb.) * SRW11
[discharge] discharging 1 (v.) *
disdain 2 (sb.)
[discain] disdained 1 (v.)
display 1 (sb.) NFS
displease 1 (v.) *
distrain 1 (v.) SRW2
distress 2 (sb.)
do 14 (v.) did 11 done 1 doth 23 *
dole 1 (a.) NFD, NFS
doleful 4 (a.) SRW6
[dolour] dolours 1 (sb.) SRW11
double 1 (a.) *
doubtful 1 (a.) *
down 1 (adv.) *
[draw] drawn 1 (v.) *
drink 2 (v.) *
drive 1 (v.) *
[draw] drawn 1 (v.) *
drone 2 (sb.) SRW7
drown 1 (v.) drowned 1
due 1 (sb.)
due 1 (a.) *
dwell 1 (v.) dwells 1 dwelt 1 *
dwelling-place 1 (sb.) SRW2
each 3 (a.)
earnest 1 (sb.)
earth 6 (sb.) *
ethly 1 (a.) *
ease 1 (sb.)
[ebb] ebbs 1 (v.) SRW12
echo 1 (sb.) SRW8
either 1 (a.) *
[draw] drawn 1 (v.) *
end 2 (sb.) *
end 1 (v.) *
endless 1 (a.) SRW11
endure 2 (v.) *
enjoy 1 (v.) enjoying 1 *
ten 1 (v.)
equal 1 (a.) *
estate 2 (sb.) *
estim 1 (v.) *
even 1 (adv.) *
evered 3 (adv.) *
every 3 (a.) *
exceed 1 (v.) *
express 1 (v.) *
eye 3 (sb.) eyes 3 eyne 1 *
face 6 (sb.) *
fail 1 (v.) *
fain 1 (adv.) *
faint 1 (a.)
fair 5 (a.) *
faith 1 (sb.)
fall 4 (v.) falls 2 *
fame 1 (sb.)
far 2 (adv.) *
fare 1 (sb.) SRW2
fast 1 (adv.) *
fate 2 (sb.)
fault 1 (sb.) *
favour 4 (sb.) *
feel 1 (sb.) fears 2 *
feast 2 (v.) feeling 1
feigned 1 (ppl.a.) SRW7
fertile 1 (a.)
field 1 (sb.)
fifteen 1 (num.a.) *
fight 1 (v.)
fill 1 (v.) *
fine 3 (v.) findest 1 found 3 *
fine 1 (sb.)
fine 1 (a.) finest 1
fire 1 (sb.)
firm 1 (a.) *
first 3 (adv.) *
fish 1 (sb.)
[fit] fits 1 (sb.)
[flame] flames 1 (sb.)
flee 2 (v.) fled 1
flight 1 (sb.)
flock 1 (v.) SRW5
flood 1 (sb.)
flow 2 (v.)
[flower] flowers 2 (sb.)
fly 1 (v.) *
foe 3 (sb.)
follow 1 (v.) *
food 1 (sb.)
for 14 (prep.) *
for 9 (conj.) *
force 3 (sb.) *
[force] forceth 1 (v.) *
forlorn 1 (a.)
[forsake] forsaken 1 (v.) *
forsaken 3 (ppl.a.) SRW4
forth 3 (adv.) *
[fatun] fortunes 1 (sb.) *
forward 1 (adv.) *
foul 1 (a.) *
fowl 1 (sb.)
fowling 1 (sb.) NFS
frame 2 (v.) framed 1
free 1 (a.) *
freewill 1 (sb.) SRW1
fresh 1 (a.)
fret 1 (v.)
friend 2 (sb.) *
from 9 (prep.) *
front 1 (sb.)
[front] froward 1 (a.)

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lend 1 (v.) *
less 1 (a.) *
less 3 (adv.) *
let 6 (v.) *
life 6 (sb.) *
light 2 (sb.) *
light 1 (a.) *
like 1 (v.) *
like 1 (adv.) *
lily 1 (sb.) *
lily-white 1 (a.) SRW1
line 1 (sb.) *
lingering 1 (vbl.sb.) NFS
live 5 (v.) *
lively 1 (a.) SRW1
lo 4 (int.)
loathsome 1 (a.) *
[lodge] lodged 1 (v.)
lofty 1 (a.)
long 2 (a.) *
long 3 (adv.) *
[look] looks 1 (sb.)
look 2 (v.) looks 1 *
lord 1 (sb.) *
lordly 1 (a.) SRW7
lose 2 (v.) lost 1 *
loss 3 (sb.) *
love 19 (sb.) loves 1 *
love 3 (v.) loves 1 loveth 1
[lover] lovers’ 1 (sb.)
low 1 (adv.) *
luck 2 (sb.)
lurk 1 (v.) lurks 1
make 2 (v.) made 5 makes 3 making 1 *
malcontent 1 (sb.) SRW4
malice 1 (sb.)
man 9 (sb.) men 3 *
manchet 1 (sb.) NFS
many 1 (a.) *
mason 1 (sb.) SRW3
mastiff 1 (sb.) SRW4
May 1 (sb.) *
may 3 (v.) might 2 *
[maze] mazed 1 (v.) SRW1
mazed 1 (ppl.a.) SRW2
me 30 (pers.pron.) *
[mead] meads 1 (sb.)
mean 3 (v.) *
meant 1 (v.) *
meaning 1 (vbl.sb.) *
measure 1 (sb.)
meat 1 (sb.)
[meet] met 1 (v.)
melt 1 (v.)
messenger 1 (sb.) *
might 1 (sb.)
mind 8 (sb.) *
mine 6 (poss.pron.) *
mirth 1 (sb.)
mischief 1 (sb.) *
mishap 1 (sb.) SRW5
miss 2 (v.) *
[mix] mixed 1 (v.) SRW10
moan 1 (sb.)
moan 2 (v.) SRW2
more 2 (a.) *
more 6 (adv.) *
morning 2 (sb.) *
mortal 1 (a.)
most 3 (a.) *
most 8 (adv.) *
mount 1 (v.) *
mourning 3 (ppl.a.)
move 1 (v.) *
much 1 (adv.) *
muse 1 (sb.) muses 1 *
muse 2 (v.)
must 6 (v.) *
my 69 (poss.a.) *
myself 4 (pron.) *
[nail] nails 1 (sb.)
name 3 (sb.) *
nay 1 (sb.)
near 1 (adv.) *
need 1 (sb.) *
needs 1 (adv.) *
[net] nets 2 (sb.)
ever 3 (adv.) *
night 2 (sb.) *
nine 1 (num.a.) *
no 10 (a.) *
no 6 (adv.) *
noble 2 (a.) *
none 1 (a.) *
none 2 (pron.) *
nor 8 (conj.) *
not 16 (adv.) *
nought 1 (sb.)
now 5 (adv.) *
nurse 1 (sb.)
O 1 (int.)
obscure 1 (a.) SRW11
obtain 1 (v.) *
of 56 (prep.)
ofttimes 1 (adv.) SRW1
on 19 (prep.) *
one 1 (adv.) *
one 4 (num.a.) *
one 1 (pron.) *
only 2 (a.) *
[oppress] oppressed 2 (v.) *
or 14 (conj.) *
[other] others’ 1 (a.) *
other 2 (pron.) others 6 *
out 1 (adv.) *
over 3 (prep.) *
oversight 1 (sb.)
pain 12 (sb.) pains 2 *
pain 1 (v.)
pale 1 (a.)
paper 1 (sb.) *
passion 1 (sb.)
past 1 (prep.) *
patience 1 (sb.) *
patient 1 (a.)
pay 1 (v.) *