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# Richard Crashaw (c. 1613-1649)

(Son of Anglican preacher William Crashaw; educated under the patronage of Sir Henry Yelverton and Sir Randolph Carw, st. Charterhouse, then Pembroke Hall 1632, BA 1634; Peterhouse, fellow 1637, MA 1638; took degrees at Oxford, 1641; Anglican priest, refused to accept Covenant, expelled from Oxford, exile in France, turned Roman Catholic, poverty, recommended by Cowley and Henrietta Maria, secretary of a Roman cardinal, canon of Loretto, d. of a fever)

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