

SCENE III.

A Wood, thro' which is seen the Christian Camp.
Enter HELLENA and CLEORA in Mens Apparel

CLEORA.

Where are we, princess! whither will you wander?

HELLENA.

We've gain'd the utmost summit of the mountain.
 I hear the neigh of horses - See'st thou not
 Those lights that glimmer thro' the trees, Cleora?
 The Christian camp's before us.

CLEORA.

Righteous Allah! the Christian camp!—

HELLENA.

'Tis thither I am bound.

CLEORA.

Distraction!

HELLENA.

I am determined.

CLEORA.

Hear me, princess!

Once take the counsel of your faithful slave,
 And yet return before our flight be known.

HELLENA.

O! no, Cleora! I must ne'er return.

CLEORA.

Then in your father's empire let us seek
 Some far remote and unfrequented village;
 Where thus disguis'd, you may remain unknown
 To all, but me; till death shall end your sorrows.
 Why are you come to find new dangers here?
 Alas! I thought you only fled Amasie.