

The Thunderous, who sang the Titan bound  
As thou the Titan victor ; the benign  
Spirit of Plato ; Job ; and Judah's crowned  
Singer and seer divine ;  
Omar ; the Tuscan ; Milton vast and strong ;  
And Shakspeare, captain of the host of Song.

## XXVII

Back from the underworld of whelming change  
To the wide-glittering beach thy body came ;  
And thou didst contemplate with wonder strange  
And curious regard thy kindred flame,  
Fed sweet with frankincense and wine and salt,  
With fierce purgation search thee, soon resolving  
Thee to the elements of the airy vault  
And the far spheres revolving,  
The common waters, the familiar woods,  
And the great hills' inviolate solitudes.

## XXVIII

Thy close companions there officiated  
With solemn mourning and with mindful tears ;—  
The pained, imperious wanderer unmated  
Who voiced the wrath of those rebellious years ;