

## 8. Chramer, gip die varwe mir

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### **(Semi-Chorus)**

Chramer, gip die varwe mir,  
die min wengel roete,  
damit ich die jungen man  
an ir dank der minnenliebe noete.  
Seht mich an,  
jungen man!  
lat mich iu gevallen!

Minnet, tugentliche man,  
minnecliche vrouwen!  
minne tuot iu hoch gemout  
unde lat iuch in hohen eren schouwen  
Seht mich an  
jungen man!  
lat mich iu gevallen!

Wol dir, werit, daz du bist  
also freudenriche!  
ich will dir sin undertan  
durch din liebe immer sicherliche.  
Seht mich an,  
jungen man!  
lat mich iu gevallen!

Shopkeeper, give me colour  
to make my cheeks red,  
so that I can make the young men  
love me, against their will.  
Look at me,  
young men!  
Let me please you!

Good men, love  
women worthy of love!  
Love ennobles your spirit  
and gives you honour.  
Look at me,  
young men!  
Let me please you!

Hail, world,  
so rich in joys!  
I will be obedient to you  
because of the pleasures you afford.  
Look at me,  
young men!  
Let me please you!