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The gold that's found in fairy hill or at the rainbow's end,
Or laid in hoard by long-dead king, or in the dragon's den,
Of old did cast a mighty spell upon the minds of men
That made them search for treasure hidden deep beyond their ken.

But I am smitten by another and a sharper dart:
A beauty more than can be fashioned by the goldsmith's art.
I must forsake the search for gold; from now on, for my part,
I seek the golden love that lives within my lady's heart.