

Leandro – Crispin's accomplice but a romantic lover at heart

Leandro shares his feelings about his love for Sylvia with his servant / co-conspirator, Crispin.

Leandro: I never thought I could fall in love like this! I never thought I was capable of love! In all my life of endless wandering, I wasn't even the one that always passes by, but the one that runs away; the land was my enemy, men were my enemies, the light of the sun was my enemy. The fruit of the byways, stolen, not offered, left barely a taste of love on my lips, and at times, after many troubled days, in the calm of the night, the serenity of the sky made me dream about something in my life that might be like that night sky that brought its peace and serenity to my soul. And, in the same way, tonight, in the enchantment of the party... it felt like a rest from my life... and I dreamt... I have dreamt! But tomorrow there'll be yet another escape by the skin of my teeth, pursued by the police, and I don't want to be found here, in the same place as her, where she will be ashamed ever to have set eyes on me.