

Hamlet

Act I Scene 3 lines 125-135

Martez Card

Water Stream

Lines 135-145 Original text

Than may be given you. In few, Ophelia,
Do not believe his vows, for they are brokers
Not of that dye which their investments show,
But mere implorators of unholy suits,
Breathing like sanctified and pious bawds,
The better to beguile. This is for all:
I would not, in plain terms, from this time forth,
Have you so slander any moment leisure,
As to give words or talk with the Lord Hamlet.
Look to 't, I charge you. Come your ways.

Do not believe his vows, for they are brokers

- To me Polonius is saying to Ophelia to not trust things that hamlet says because they are all lies and he doesn't mean anything he tells her

I would not, in plain terms, from this time forth,
Have you so slander any moment leisure,
As to give words or talk with the Lord Hamlet.

- To me Polonius is now telling Ophelia that from this point in time on that he will not allow her to talk to Hamlet because he doesn't want his daughter to be hurt by this man because he doesn't think Hamlet would want her because of his many women he can have and his stature .