

Ib. No. 6. THE SEVEN VALLEYS. by FARIDUDDIN ATTAR. 3*d*.

A man of good repute who loved God saw Majnun sifting earth in the middle of the road, and said to him: "Oh Majnun! What art thou seeking thus?" "I seek Laylah." "Can a pearl so pure be found in that dust?" "I seek Laylah everywhere, in the hope of finding her one day somewhere."

This was my toil, and the reward is mine.
Of such gems the volume is full.

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