Mediaeval Baebes, All Turns To Yesterday

I have wist, sin I couthe meen That children hath by candle light Her shadewe on the wal iseen And ronne therafter all the night

Bisy aboute they han ben
To catchen it with all here might
And whom they catchen it best wolde wene
Sannest it shet out of her sight

The shadewe catchen they ne might For no lines that they couthe lay This shadewe I may likne aright To this world and yesterday

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