

# Hawksley Workman, First Snow Of The Year

it's the first snow of the year  
guess it happens once a year  
it's the first snow of the year oh glory  
and dogs in the neighbourhood are going crazy  
and even all the old ones that are usually lazy  
it's the first snow of the year  
i wonder will it stay for good  
i wonder will it be here in the morning  
when i wake up to meet the day  
will the fresh white snow still around me lay  
it's the first snow of the year

i know that by february  
my thoughts on snow will be contrary  
but this is now and then is then

it's the first snow of the year  
so put the bicycles away  
and clear the walkways with a borrowed shovel  
and i heard this year was gonna be trouble  
if you thought last year was bad  
this year's supposed to be double  
but you can never ever tell  
and it's probably just as well  
take the toboggan to the nearest valley  
and night time comes just way too soon  
and you drag the thing home under a half lit moon  
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so i think we should go to bed early  
and light a candle where we lay  
stay as warm as we can stay

fill my nose up with the smell  
of the first snow of the year  
before you know the days will be getting long  
but as we hunker down a spell  
and the fire's burning well  
i like the way that we keep warm in the covers  
on the first snow of the year