

# Helheim, Nattravnens tokt

(Music: Vanargandr, Lyric: Vanargandr)

Stende i en skog av skodde  
kjenner en eim av kulde slende  
Det ventes dd i kveld  
dden over meg selv  
Her i Mrkvedens indre sal  
piner jeg meg selv i hat  
Presser sverdet dypere inn  
dypere og dypere til det fortrer mitt sinn

Nattravnens tokt vil begynne  
nr natten den vil hylle  
Svever over meg som et tegn  
p dden, mrke og Helheim  
Der hvor hundre menn ferdes  
og deres sjel og blod herdes  
Nattravnens tokt vil komme  
nr dagen er omme

Hill min dd - i skogens favn  
Mine skrik Id - kom nattens ravn  
Vandrer n som mrkets slave - glemt og fortapt

Mitt kjtt fryser til is mens min sjel vandrer  
Der man kan fle ddens bris og er blant Hels mrke slaver

Skogen ligger der glemt  
svart, dunkel og glemt  
Intet menneske her finnes  
her hvor mrke og kulde bindes  
Tken tetter skogen inne  
s ingen den vil finne  
Bare de som etter dden lengter  
og ned til Hel vil senkes

Over skogen syd for Midgard, over Mrkvedens indre sal  
Svever der en nattens ravn, som hungrer for mer drap

(English translation:)

(The raid of the nightraven)

Standing in a misty forest  
feeling a vapour of coldness  
death is awaited this night  
the death of myself  
Here in the hall of Mrkveden  
I torture myself in hate  
pushing the sword deeper into myself  
deeper and deeper until it devours my mind

The raid of the nightraven will commence  
when the night it shall praise  
It floats above me as a sign  
of death, darkness and Helheim  
there where a hundred men live  
and their souls and blood harden  
The raid of the nightraven will come  
when the day has come to an end

Hail my death - in the embracement of the forest  
My screams sounded - come raven of the night  
I am now wandering as a slave of darkness - forgotten

and lost

My flesh is freezing to ice, as my soul is wandering  
There you can feel the breeze of death, and is amongst  
the slaves of dark Hel

There the forest lies hidden  
black, obscure and forgotten  
no man is found  
where cold and darkness is bound  
The forest is enshrouded by fog  
so that no one can find it  
Only those that long for death  
and to Hel will descend

Above the wood south of Midgard  
above Mrkvedens inner hall  
a nightraven is flying  
still with a lust for death