

# Apple Tree

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I used to sit in a big apple tree  
Welcome the sun as he shone down on me  
Watch the fruit ripen, smell the land grow  
Felt the fall rains get colder and turn into snow

And then in the summer, I'd walk through the trees  
Roll up my trousers way over my knees  
Waded a stream 'til the rocks hurt my feet  
The water was cool, and the summer was sweet

Autumn got lonely when harvest came 'round  
Green leaves turned golden and fell to the ground  
Clear nights got colder, with the stars bright above  
And in the winter, I first fell in love

She loved me truly 'til winter passed by  
Left without warning and never said why  
Maybe she's lonely, needs me somewhere  
Maybe by summer, I won't even care