

## Holly Ontario

### Said the Whale

Holly far from home  
First time on the road  
Stops beside the lake  
And walks out onto the snow

Just eighteen years old  
First time away from home  
Discommunicates  
For the first time she's truly alone

Holly digs a hole  
And kneels as though to pray  
Reveals her shrouded phone  
She buries it in the lake

Holly far from home  
First time on the road  
Drives beside the lake  
For the first time in north Ontario