

1) (mostly unharmed)

Our bedraggled scare-  
crow looks as if he must have  
drank too much rum last  
night and was washed out to sea  
(returning (mostly unharmed)  
in the morning, thank goodness).

## 2) Driving My Bed Around the Old Neighborhood

Last night I had to  
drive my bed around the old  
neighborhood a few  
more times, waving to every-  
one as I passed, before I  
could finally get to sleep.

### 3) The Hometown Mainstreet of Your Dreams

Ravens asleep in  
every tree, up and down the  
hometown Mainstreet of  
your dreams, the wind ruffling the  
odd feather and leaf as it  
slips stealthily through it all.

#### 4) New Moon

How many drinks do  
we have to offer and how  
many promises  
do we have to make to the  
new moon to finally get  
them to completely disrobe?

## 5) One Day Closer

Every day the world  
is one day closer to a  
time when there will be  
nobody left in it who  
ever knew you or your name.

OK. There you go. Night-night.