



A Year In The North

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At First I Rambled, to Self Begin
The year, from Mars the head of Spring
When day & night share equal parts
And with Fiery balance Aries starts

My eyes then Fixed a Bullish gaze
On a Second creature's thick Necked graze
As in the Stuff of Beltane's feast
The Venusian Earth fed Taurus' beast

Then Mercurially the Air was changed
A Third Mutated Mind arranged
Joined Jack & Jill, the Twins on high
Armed for the summit - Gemini

Atop a Chest as we stayed a while
Sprang Fourth the tropics Homely smile
The Summer cracking Open Crabs
'Neath the Watery Moon that Cancer grabs

Then as we fell through Lughnasadh's Fix
A Fiery Lion played his tricks
The Fifth we'd seen, Pride of the Sun
In Leo's Heart, Creating fun

Halfway, Changed a Maiden's Womb
Love of Hermes harvest tome
The Sixth that Earthy Virgo spied
Practically, a Virgin bride

To Start again at equal night
A Seventh setting fell in sight
Helene's Judgement, telling tales
Of Libra's Airy Kidney Scales

But then the tale began to Sting
As Mars & Pluto mirrored Spring
The Eighth from Samhain's Scorpion
Some Sexy Secret Waters sprung

To Change again and end the Fall
I Fired Nine arrows, at a Centaur's call
Into its Thighs they Travelled thus
By Jove in Sagittarius

Controlling Ten since our quest was born
We stayed the turn of Capricorn
For Satan's Earthly Goat to please
As the Father Sprang from Winter's Knees

Then Satan, Free, Eleven times
Tried the Water bearer's crimes
But Imbolc's Air of Uranus
Pinned his Shins, Aquarius

Last Universal Winter's Thor
So Neptune's Waters, Fishes bore
Twelve Pisces Changed around my Feet
As the Ram again we rose to meet