

# *invocation to the north*



*The journey comes round full circle  
the longing for land.*

*The heavens and the hearth.*

*And we dig and we build and we desecrate  
And we pull and we push and we consecrate  
Holding and covering and comforting the bones  
That were laid in the ground so long ago  
And the rich brown soil and the muddy loam  
that took so many centuries of toil.*

*Still taking in the poison, still pushing up the daisies,  
Shaking the foundations and hammering the stakes,  
Bringing the shelter of chasm, cave and cavern,  
Bringing the metal and the money and the manifest,  
Bringing the spin of the birth and death song ,  
Still bringing life and death to the table,  
And the Arch, the Gabriel, Demeter, Oak and Pan,  
Pass it along the celestial chain gang.  
Guardians of the North - we call to you -  
Bring us the rhythm of the North*

# *north*

$\text{♩} = 110$

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swing style

B.

wa houm ba doum doum doum ba doum doum

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doum ba doum doum doum ba doum ba wa

A

S.

dig - gin' and dream - in' dig - gin' and dream - in'

A.

dig - gin' and dream - in' dig - gin' and dream - in'

T.

houm ba doum doum doum ba doum doum

B.

houm ba doum doum doum ba doum doum

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dig - gin' and dream - in'

[1.]

dig - gin' and dream - in'

doum ba doum doum doum ba doum ba wa

doum ba doum doum doum ba doum ba wa

9 [2.] **B**

dig - gin' and dream - in'      dig - gin' and dream - in'  
 dig - gin' and dream - in'      dig - gin' and dream - in'

doum badoum ba wa houm      badoum doum doum      badoum doum

doum      ① Wel - la way back when at the plan - et's birth.  
 ② when we're long gone un - der the ground

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dig deep down deep down to the bed - rock      dig - gin' and dream - in'  
 dig deep down deep down to the bed - rock      dig - gin' and dream - in'

dig deep down deep down to the bed - rock      doum      ba doum      doum

We pushed our hands way deep down  
 and the seas - ons they just keep on

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dig-gin' and dream-in' dig deep down deep down to the roots

dig-gin' and dream-in' dig deep down deep down to the roots

doum ba doum doum dig deep down deep down to the roots

in - to the earth well you know that

rol-ling a - round when the

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dig-gin' and dream-in' dig-gin' and dream-in' dig deep down deep

dig-gin' and dream-in' dig-gin' and dream-in' dig deep down deep

doum badoum doum doum ba doum doum dig deep down deep

good in - ten - tion is all a soul needs-

for-est is green and the frost is gone-

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down to the bed - rock dig - gin' and dream - in'  
down to the bed - rock dig - gin' and dream - in'  
8 down to the bed - rock doum ba doum doum  
and so we plant - ed the fut - ure like  
we'll be break - ing on through with our

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dig - gin' and dream - in' dig deep down deep down to the roots  
dig - gin' and dream - in' dig deep down deep down to the roots  
8 doum ba doum doum dig deep down deep down to the roots  
lit - tle seeds\_ we're gon-na ↘  
an - cest - ors' song we're gon-na ↗

26 **C**

we're keep-in' our feet on the ground  
we're keep-in' our feet on the ground  
we're keep-in' our feet on the ground

dig deep down dig deep down

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and our heads in the clouds feel-ing gra-vi - ty pull  
and our heads in the clouds feel-ing gra-vi - ty pull  
and our heads in the clouds feel-ing gra-vi - ty pull

— dig deep down dig deep down

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tra-vell-ing full cir - cle then we zip up our boots  
tra-vell-ing full cir - cle then we zip up our boots  
tra-vell-ing full cir - cle then we zip up our boots

— dig deep down dig deep down

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go-in'back to our roots                    we're gon-na lay the found-a-tion  
 go-in'back to our roots                    we're gon-na lay the found-a-tion  
 go-in'back to our roots                    we're gon-na lay the found-a-tion  
 —    dig    deep    down                            dig    deep    down

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for the next gen-er-a-tion                    1.    2.  
 for the next gen-er-a-tion                    1.    2.

45 **D**

dig-gin' and dream-in'                    dig-gin' and dream-in'                    dig-gin' and dream-in'  
 dig-gin' and dream-in'                    dig-gin' and dream-in'                    dig-gin' and dream-in'  
 houm    badoum    doum    doum    badoum    doum    doum    ba-doum    bawa

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dig - gin' and dream - in' dig - gin' and dream - in'

dig - gin' and dream - in' dig - gin' and dream - in'

houm ba doum doum doum ba doum doum

we're dig - ging for to - day\_\_\_\_\_  
we're dig - ging for our dreams\_\_\_\_\_  
we're dig - ging for the past\_\_\_\_\_

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dig - gin' and dream - in'

dig - gin' and dream - in'

doum ba doum doum doum ba doum ba wa

we're dig - ging for to - mor - - row now\_\_\_\_\_  
we're dig - ging for the lost and found\_\_\_\_\_  
we're dig - ging for the here and now\_\_\_\_\_

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dig - gin' and dream - in' dig - gin' and dream - in'

dig - gin' and dream - in' dig - gin' and dream - in'

houm ba doum doum doum ba doum doum

we're dig - ging for the moon\_\_\_\_\_

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dig - gin' and dream - in'  
dig - gin' and dream - in'  
doum ba doum doum doum ba doum ba wa  
we're dig - ging for the shape\_\_ of things\_\_ to come

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we're dig - ging for the shape  
we're dig - ging for the shape\_\_ of things  
houm ba doum doum doum ba doum doum  
we're dig - ging for the shape\_\_ of things\_\_ to come

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of things\_\_ to come we're dig - ging for the shape  
to come we're dig - ging for the shape\_\_ of things  
doum ba doum doum doum ba doum ba wa  
we're dig - ging for the shape\_\_ of things\_\_ to come

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— of things to come we're digging for the shape  
— to come we're digging for the shape of things  
houm ba doum doum doum ba doum doum  
we're digging for the shape of things to come

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— of things to come we're digging for times to come.  
— to come we're digging for times to come.  
doum ba doum doum doum we're digging for times to come.  
we're digging for times to come.