

**Aberfan: To remember David**

**Black wet pouring hills  
Black cold rolling thunder  
Black cold trying wills  
Black wet takes asunder**

**Black wet mucky mouths  
Black cold stilled breath  
Black cold still youth  
Black wet veiled death**

**Black mams' bellies gnawing  
Black cold coal-sealed eyes  
Black miners' hands clawing  
Black frozen future dies**

**Black tips kissing skies  
Black flowing black blood  
Black silhouetted 'dozer cries:  
Father staunching the flood**

**Black wet dawning morning  
Black cold cruel Fate  
Black cold unheeded warning  
Black whitewashed, sorry State**

**Black cold price paid  
Black wet black gold  
Black cold children laid  
Black those grown old**

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