

## **The Foolishness of the Lazy**

(Proverbs 6:6-11)

Did you ever look at an ant hill,  
And wonder how it was made?  
Surely not by lying around,  
And drinking lemonade in the shade.

Now look here you lazy fella,  
Pay attention to the ant and see.  
Learn from its example,  
Then a good and wise worker you'll be.

The ant has no supervisor,  
No boss to say do this or go there!  
It gathers its food in the summer,  
Storing supplies for the winter's cool air.

So how long will you lie there lazy fella,  
With folded arms and feet propped up high?  
When will you wake up and realize,  
Hard times are just about nigh.

Look out and beware of your folly,  
Your laziness will overtake you one day.  
You'll find yourself alone and so hungry,  
In the cold and the rain with no place to stay!

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