

# Let's Walk This Dog

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let's walk this dog  
that doesn't belong to us

let's smile like we mean it

let's belt jingles for drugs  
that make the cholesterol go away

let's show off our erections  
from viagra injections  
(even if you're a girl)

let's rewrite the code:  
if you don't quiver with anticipation  
you'll barely manage to explode

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you light up my laptop  
with your funk-ladle soul

the little spots are the big spots

let's dance the epileptic dance  
with the off-duty EMTs  
pounding scotch like we hate it

this is life:  
full, fleshy words  
moments stretched out like EEEEEK!  
a smile, a rare yellow twizzler

