

## EVERGREEN

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The orange light in the cemetery  
made me slow and made me stop  
I hoped to find a way inside  
after passing the entrance that I knew  
so I turned away and wound around  
and found myself climbing the hill  
to where the light was particularly mellow

It's the eighteenth of November  
and finally cold enough for the leaves to die and fall  
but I marvel at how the leaves  
on some trees still remain green  
while the sun falls just low enough  
to let me see  
and let me go

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