

## Rasputina "The Donner Party"

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The similarities and situation  
Between the Donner party and the colonial pilgrims  
Is both appalling, frightening, and incomplete

In both cases, you'll find one  
A fairly large group of ill prepared green horns  
Pitting themselves against nature and each other  
Two, an insufficient willingness to endure  
The very real hardships of frontiers  
And three coincidental misfortune at every turn  
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Disasters of both camps were initially  
Brought about by departure, delay and desert, inertia  
Which caused our heroes to begin their journeys  
At absolutely retarded times weather wise

If fantasy is the refuge of a frightened man  
And a castle in the air is a safe harbor for a foolish few  
Just imagine living in a hut buried twelve feet below the  
snow

With the sight and smell of the scattered carcasses  
Of loved ones at your feet  
It is the lay of the land, just another day  
I would like to propose that cannibalism was indeed  
rampant  
Among America's earliest settlers the pilgrims  
Who?  
The pilgrims

For what does settler imply, if not the willingness to  
settle?  
To settle for a meal of human flesh if my thoughts on  
the subject  
Are to be believed  
In conclusion, spread the word of this  
Look to the night sky, and hark back to our forefathers'  
shortcomings  
And your own  
As you cut your meat and lay the groundwork for a new  
tomorrow

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