

# Leavin' Heaven

## Matthew West

Itâ€™s the news that no one hopes for  
Every parentâ€™s greatest fear  
Finding out the child you love so much  
Might not make it through the year

Now the thought of spending Christmas  
Without him just feels wrong  
Theyâ€™ve been praying for a miracle  
Now theyâ€™re praying he can just hold on

For one last Christmas, one last time  
One last season when all the world is right  
One more telling of the story  
One more verse of silent night  
Theyâ€™d give anything so he could have  
One last Christmas

Middle of September  
Still seventy degrees  
Daddy climbs up in the attic  
Brings down candles  
Hangs the lights on all the trees

Then the neighbors started asking  
And pretty soon word got around  
First it was the neighborhood  
Before too long they lit up that whole town

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Twenty-seventh of October  
His time was wearing thin  
Friends and family, even strangers  
That they didnâ€™t even know  
Brought presents in

He was weak but he was smiling  
Like there was nothing even wrong  
They said he wouldn't make it  
Looks like he got to see it after all

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