

First Day's Light

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(to the melody of Wonderful Tonight by Eric Clapton)

It's just before daybreak
I pull myself out of bed
I open my eyes up
And think of my day ahead
And then I ask my God
Can I do it alright?
And He says yes, wrap tefillin at first day's light

I drive from my home to shul
Pick up a book to pray
Put on my tallit
And so begin my day
And I thank God
with this morning rite
Yes, I wrap tefillin at the first day's light.

I feel wonderful
because mitzvot can vitalize
and the wonder of it all
Is that we both can realize
how much I need You

Shacharit is over
It's time to catch the train
I think of my day's hard tasks
and I hope it don't rain
And then I take a breath
I know I've started right
I wrapped tefillin at the first day's light.
Yes, I wrap tefillin at the first day's light.