

# Ode'min Giizis

(Anishinaabe - "Strawberry Moon")

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*Phonetic pronunciation:*

O-day Min Gee zis Ahmbay Ohma *(Strawberry moon, come here)*

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Ahmbay Ohma, Ahmbay Ohma

There'll be no more frost, by the strawberry moon,  
We'll take our first swim, on a cool night in June,  
And all that is sweet, and **all** that is kind,  
Will **grow** like a heart, from the end of a vine.

O-day Min Gee zis Ahmbay Ohma ...

Neee-chee waaga-naag, Nidin-away

*(Friends, family)*

Neesh-eemay guy-eh Nimo-say

*(Younger siblings and older*

*siblings)* Been-di-gayg, oh Been-di-gayg

*(Everyone come in)*

Been-di-gayg, oh-oh Been-di-gayg

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