

one line over & over

turning whisper into echo
is not an art we learned overnight
but something we always knew how to do
it is every firework laced footstep
colour split into the sky
palettes of careless painters
we made canvasses of every occasion
tucked them into photo frames
in pocket sized art galleries
of something worth remembering
we replay these memories any chance we get
and on the same day every year
we let ourselves become
the cause for celebration
all it took was a bit of dedication, pride & red face paint
the rush of colour, culture, canadian
country with open arms. every dream come true
say home is always feeling like we belong
being okay with the getting lost
and finding family in each other
this one goes out to every neighbour
to all of the endless road trips
stretches of beautiful land worth exploring
to all the seasons that can't make up their minds
this is how we move
when we've found the right radio station
to tune into
the frequency of each other
the whispers now echoes of our country
one line over and over
saying this is home
this is home
this is something worth celebrating

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