## **Boning Halls**

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Boning halls, we're talking boning halls Boning halls, talking 'bout boning halls Rich cowmen ride around the boning hall Weighing up every chop that comes across the trimming board Like kings around the cattle mart, smooth and razor sharp Scrawny auld scrag-end tenderized by stampin' in the Boning halls Boning halls Where the carcass is stripped down to the bone All the flesh gets ripped off a country Bone meal, Angel Dust T-bone steak, hormones and nitrogen And sweet gravy When the beef is on the block The knife is on the stone We've just been told the bung Was underneath the counter of the Boning hall Boning hall Where the carcass is stripped down to the bone All the flesh gets ripped off a country When the beef is over We'll be back in order Our cleavers well sharpened We'll be ready for the slaughter in the Boning hall Boning hall Where the carcass is stripped down to the bone All the flesh gets ripped off a country Boning halls, we're talking boning halls Boning halls, talking 'bout boning halls