Strong-Arm

Napalm Death

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Punishment is somehow Always due somewhere down the line Until this realisation dawns: Spare the rod and you'll arise

Spare it! Spare the rod and you'll arise

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Flurries of blows to tenuously prove that dialogue rarely makes things right Until this realisation dawns: Talk it through, gain insight

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So spare this rod and arise!