'Til The Cows Come Home

Prefab Sprout

Aren't you a skinny kid
Just like his poppa
Where's he working?
He's not working
Thin as the smile I wear
Cold as the beaches you comb
Till the cows come home

Tell the truth again
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Near to the knuckle,
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Why're you laughing?
You call that laughing?
Wearing your death's head grin
Even the fishes are thin
When the boat comes in

Things are better now
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We've education
I doff my cap to a life that lets you
Dream a poor man's dream
But he can't have his coffee with cream
Till the cows come home