

# Bakersfield

## Vic Chesnutt

well the souvenirs  
on my dusty shelf  
well I get out the Tarn-X,  
and I polish them myself  
yes, posters are falling,  
but who needs them at my age?  
well I've learned to smile,  
when all I feel is rageso I think I will go to Bakersfield  
with Gabriel and Paul  
and I will hide behind the garbage cans  
while the holy platitudes fall  
and blow the gates,  
I am coming through  
with my albatrosses and all  
and it's strategy not protocol  
yes, it's strategy, not protocol,  
that brings me here.

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