We Real Cool

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Who took your measurements? From your toes to the top of your head Yea, you know

Who bought you clothes and new shoes And wrote you a book you never read

Yea, you knowWho was it, yeah, you know, we real cool

On the far side of the morning,

Who was it, yeah you know, we real cool

Now I hope youre listening, are you? Who was it you called the good shepherd,

Rounding up the kids for their meal

Who chased your shadow running out behind

Clinging to your high flying heels

Your high flying, high flying, high flying heels

Who was it, yeah you know, we real cool

On the far side of the morning, who was it

Yeah you know, we real cool

And I hope youre listening tooWho measured the distance from the planets

Right down to your big blue spinning world

And heartbeats and tears and nervous laughter

Spilling down all over you, girl

Who was it, yeah you know, we real cool

And the world keeps on turning

Who was it, yeah you know, we real cool

And I hope youre listening, are you? Sirius is 8.6 light years away

Arcturus is 37

The past is the past and its here to stay

Wikipedia is Heaven

When you dont want to remember anymore

On the far side of the morning

Who was it, yea you know, youre real cool

And I hope you hear me, and youll call

Yeah, we real cool

Yeah, we real, real cool

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