In the Cool Cool of the Evening

Bing Crosby

In the cool, cool of the evening

Tell 'em I'll be there

In the cool, cool of the evening

Save your pappy a chairWhen the party's getting a glow on

And singin' fills the air

In the shank of the night

When the doin's are right

Well, you can tell 'em I'll be thereI like a barbecue, I like to boil a ham

And I vote for bola baste stew

What's that? I like a weenie bake

Steak and a layer cakeAnd you'll get a tummy ache too

We'll rent a tent or a teepee

Let the town crier cry, "All's well!"

And if it's RSVP, this is what I'll replyIn the cool, cool of the evening

Tell 'em we'll be there

If you need a pair of freeloaders

To fracture your affairI may even give them Pagliacci

Now stand back and give him air

If one can relax and we'll have a few yaks

And you can tell them we'll be there "Whee!" said the bumblebee

"Let's have a jubilee!"

"When?" said the prairie hen, "Soon?""Shore!" said the dinosaur.

"Where?" said the grizzly bear,

"Under the light of the moon?"

"How 'bout ya, brothe, jackass?"

Ev'ryone gaily cried,

"You comin' to the fracas?"

Over his specks he sighed, In the cool, cool of the evenin', tell 'em I'll be there. In the cool, cool of the evenin', slickum on my hair. If perchance we look a bit peeked

Remember se la guerre

If we're still on our feet

And there's something to eat

Well, you can tell them we'll be thereIn the cool, cool of the evening

Tell 'em I'll be there

In the cool, cool of the evening

Better save a chairWhen the party's getting a glow on

And singin' fills the air

If there's gas in my hack

And my laundry is backIf there's room for one more

And you need me, why sure
If you need a new face or a tenor or bass
If I can climb out of bed and put a head on my head
Well, you can tell 'em we'll be there

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