The Dreaded Spoon (Commentary)

Ricky Skaggs

Here we go to the Tasty Freeze
Or maybe Dairy Queen
If so, then better lock the glove
There's something in there the old man loves
To break it out with a muffled shout

A shout of glee and it comes out The dreaded spoon, the dreaded spoon Lord help us, it's the dreaded spoonWell, hide your cookies and hide your cakes

What he giveths, away he takes

He keep on scoopin' till you taste just great

So better not turn your head awayIt's gone, gone, gone

They're gone, gone, gone

To the dreaded spoonSays he doesn't want a thing

He's not hungry, he says with a tiny wink

We come back with a big ol' cone

And he makes his move and we all moan

Wearing out your ice cream cake

Spilling sprinkles in his wakeThe dreaded spoon, the dreaded spoon Lord help us, the dreaded spoonWell, hide your cakes and Sunday pies

Apple fritters and curly fries

Nuts and cherries piled so high

Just one swipe and it's say goodbyeYes, bye, bye, bye

They're gone, gone, gone

Gone, gone, gone

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