

BIOLOGY BOB: THE ART OF SONG WRITING FOR THE LIFE SCIENCES

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"I'M A FROG"

OH, I'M A FROG I LIKE TO HOP AROUND YES, I'M A FROG NO ONE CAN HOLD ME DOWN
AND WHEN THE SUN GOES DOWN, YOU CAN HEAR THAT FAMILIAR SOUND
IT ECHOES THROUGH THE NIGHT AND INTO THE TOWN

CHORUS: OH, I'M A FROG I'M A FROG

OH, I'M A FROG I MIGHT LOOK PRETTY SAD BUT, I'M A FROG I'M HAPPY ON MY PAD
WHEN I WAS A YOUNGER TAD, I BREATHED THROUGH LITTLE GILLS
NOW I'VE GOT LUNGS THAT'S HOW I GET MY THRILLS

CHORUS

SOME PEOPLE THEY LIKE TO EAT ME
OTHERS THEY LIKE TO DISSECT ME
WHY DON'T THEY LEAVE ME ALONE?
A POND IS WHERE I BELONG
IF THEY WOULD LET ME LEAD MY OWN LIFE,
THEN I MIGHT STAY ALIVE
I'M A FROG

OH, I'M A FROG I LIKE TO EAT BIG BUGS YES, I'M A FROG I CATCH THEM WITH MY TONGUE
I MIGHT HAVE SOFT MOIST SKIN AND A THREE-CHAMBERED HEART
BUT I CAN DO MY THING WITHOUT COMING APART

CHORUS



The Anatomy of a Song

Musical Introduction

1st Verse

2nd Verse

Chorus

3rd Verse

Chorus

Bridge

Chorus

Chorus

Variations: Some songs have a transition between verses and choruses and/or instrumental breaks.



“PARASITES”



DON'T GO WALKING BAREFOOT IN A BARNYARD YOU MAY GET A PARASITIC WORM
IT'LL CRAWL IN BETWEEN YOUR TOE NAILS AND INTO YOUR BLOODSTREAM
THEN YOU'LL GET SO SICK YOU'LL WANT TO SCREAM YOU'LL WISH IT WAS A REAL BAD DREAM

STAY AWAY FROM RAW BEEF, PORK, AND FISH MAKE SURE YOUR MOM SERVES YOU A WELL COOKED
DISH

TAPEWORMS MAY LOOK COOL BUT THEY'RE NO FUN AT ALL
AND LIVER FLUKES MAY KEEP YOU FROM THE MALL YOU'LL FEEL LIKE YOU'VE HIT A BIG BRICK WALL

CHORUS: PARASITES OH! PARASITES
THEY'LL MAKE YOU ITCH THEY'LL MAKE YOU SQUIRM
YOUR TUMMY HURTS YOUR EYES THEY BURN OH! PARASITES

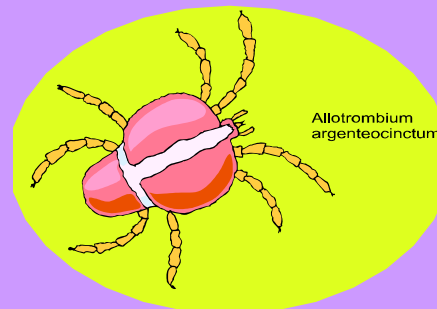
YOU BETTER WATCH OUT WHEN YOU TRAVEL OVERSEAS YOU COULD RETURN WITH AN UNFAMILIAR
DISEASE

THAT INSECT BITE ON YOUR FACE STARTS TO MOVE AROUND
THE DOCTOR CUTS A SLIT LOOK WHAT HE'S FOUND? HE PULLS IT OUT AND SAYS IT'S ROUND

CHORUS

NEMATODES, FLATWORMS, FUNGI
FLEAS AND TICKS, EAR MITES, HEAD LICE

CHORUS



"PINK PIG BLUES"

YOU KNOW I'M A PIG
I LIKE TO ROLL AROUND IN THE MUD

YOU KNOW I'M A PIG
I LIKE TO ROLL AROUND IN THE MUD
AND WHEN I FALL DOWN I MAKE A REAL BIG THUD

I'VE GOT A FUNNY NOSE
AND PEOPLE CALL IT A SNOUT

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AND PEOPLE CALL IT A SNOUT
AND IF YOU SQUEEZE ME, I SQUEAL BECAUSE I CAN'T SHOUT

CHORUS: AND I GO OINK OINK OINK OINK OINK OINK OINK OINK!
OINK OINK OINK OINK OINK OINK OINK OINK!
AND NO MATTER WHAT I DO
I'VE STILL GOT THE PINK PIG BLUES

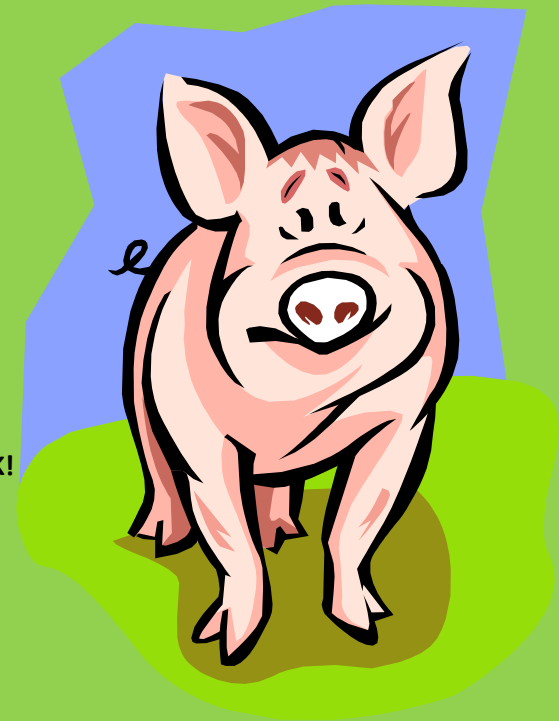
I'VE GOT SHORT FAT LEGS
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WELL, I AIN'T NOBODY'S BACON
BUT THEN ONLY TIME WILL TELL

CHORUS

AND HERE COMES THE FARMER HE'S GOT A BUCKET OF SLOP
HE'S GONNA FEED ME I'LL EAT AND I WON'T STOP
AND THEN I'LL GET REAL DIRTY BUT REALLY I'M QUITE CLEAN
I'M JUST A ROLY- POLY GRUNTIN' SNORTIN' EATING MACHINE

CHORUS



“CONSERVATION (ALGAL DREAMS)”

I DREAM OF ALGAE EACH AND EVERYDAY
ESPECIALLY ALL THE BLUE-GREENS AND THE REDS WHAT CAN I SAY?
THE WORLD NEEDS ALL OF THEM BALANCED ON THE SCALES
IF OUT OF WACK THE EARTH BECOMES POLLUTED AND SO FRAIL

DINOSAURS AND ALL THE PLANTS INCLUDING ALGAE TOO
PLAYED A ROLL IN MAKING ALL THE OIL AND GAS WE USE
USING AND ABUSING THE WHIRLWIND CATCHES HOLD
ENERGY THAT ONCE WAS STORED IS NOW BOUGHT AND SOLD

SMELL THE AIR IS IT CLEAN? CLEAR, COOL WATER IT SEEMS
FOREST GREEN OR IS IT GONE? ALGAL BLOOM IT'S SO WRONG

CHORUS: STAND UP LET SCIENCE BE YOUR CREED
DON'T GIVE IN TO PROFIT AND TO GREED
SURVIVAL IS PLANET EARTH'S DECREE
CONSERVATION IS WHAT SHE REALLY NEEDS
WHAT SHE NEEDS ALGAL DREAMS

CONSER----VATION CONSER----VATION CONSER----ATION CONSER----VATION

BREAK

(MISSING VERSE)

TASTE YOUR FOOD IS IT GOOD SKY SO BLUE IT SHOULD
WATERFALL FLOWING FREE OIL AND COAL LET THEM BE

CHORUS CHORUS CHORUS

