

Ian Anderson, Two Short Planks

Find some way to square the circle.
Feet slipping, sliding on the level.
Connect to reason, is there anybody there?
Drum it in to me now if you dare.

Triangles by Isosceles.
Principles by Archimedes.
Amo, amas; even amat
make for one less way to skin the cat.

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They say truth comes flooding if you let it.
But what happens if I just don't get it?
I'm blissful in my sweet ignorance
and delight in my incompetence.
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