The Decemberists, Culling Of The Fold

Cut him up boy You've got to cut him up boy He's a wicked disgrace And he said it to your face You better cut him up boy

Take him by the teeth
Get him down on his knees
With your hands all shaking
That'll teach him how to take it

Gotta cut him up boy And how

Ply her heart with gold and silver And take your sweetheart down to the river Dash her on the paving stones It may break your heart To break her bones But someone's got to do, the culling of the fold

Cut him up girl Really cut him up girl He lives by himself in a hole in a wall, You've gotta cut him up girl

You can take him in a stitch
Dump his body in a ditch
Leave his limbs all naked
That'll teach him how to take it

Better cut him up girl And how

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Listen up boy And listen up girl It's a shallow little trench And it's giving off a stench

It's a shallow little world

Feeling down in the face Could you use a little space When the radio crackles And the inlaws cackle

You better cut him up boy And cut him up girl

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