

## **They Might Be Giants "Metal Detector"**

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Down at the shore there's a place  
Where there's no one vacationing  
There's just the sound of the call of the wild  
Overcoming the fear of the unknown

And I've got something to help you understand  
Something waiting there beneath the sand  
My metal detector is with me all of the time  
I'm the inspector over the mine

Look past the volleyball  
(Look past the ball)  
Look past the squawking gull  
(Look past the gull)  
Ignore the mountain of discarded falderal

'Cause I've got something to make you understand  
Something hidden there underneath the land  
My metal detector is with me all of the time  
I'm the inspector over the mine  
Metal detector, watch it shine

Every seashell has a story to tell if you're listening  
But underneath every shell there's a story  
As well if you've heard, enough of the sea  
Then everything on the top will just  
Suddenly stop seeming interesting  
So listen now to the sound  
Of the things that are found underground

Don't need no volleyball  
(Don't need no volleyball)  
Don't need no squawking gull  
(Don't need no squawking gull)  
Don't need to look at any bathing beauty doll  
(Don't need to look at any doll)

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