

## **Randy Newman**

# **"Big Hat, No Cattle"**

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Since I was a child  
I've tried to be what I'm not  
I've lied and I've enjoyed it all my life  
I lied to my dear mother  
to my sisters and my brother  
and now I'm lying to my children and my wife  
Big Hat, no cattle  
Big head, no brain  
Big snake, no rattle  
I forever remain  
big hat, no cattle  
I knew from the start  
Big boat, no paddle  
Big belly, no heart

Can't remember why I do it,  
Oh, maybe I can.  
An honest man these days is hard to find.  
I only know we're living in an unforgiving land.  
And a little lie can buy some real big piece of mind.

Oftimes I wondered what might I have become,  
Had I but buckled down and really tried.  
But when it came down to the wire  
I called my family to my side  
Stood up straight, threw my head back and I lied,  
lied,lied

Big hat, no cattle  
Big shoes, well you know...  
Big horse, no saddle  
He goes wherever I go

Big hat, no cattle  
Right from the start  
Big guns, no battle  
Big belly, no heart

When it came down to the wire  
I called my little family to my side  
Stood up straight, threw my head back and I lied,  
lied,lied

lied, lied, lied

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I forever remain  
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