Please Don't

Please don't abuse the platform
By coming on far too strong
A little preaching's fine by me
But you go on much too long
We come here once or twice a week
So we've heard it all before
Did you never hear the saying?
That sometimes less is more?

The prayer was quite a marathon
It almost was a farce
You mentioned everyone alive
And every blade of grass
Every animal, fish and bird
The longest I had ever heard
And don't forget the earth of course
Dibley, Grubb and a pantomime horse

OK I made the last bit up
But I'd nearly lost my mind
While everyone around me
Gave watches an extra wind
Just send spiritual healing
To everything and everyone
Wouldn't that be more efficient
And get the job well done?

It's nice to hear your thinking
And you're entitled to a voice
But we'd rather hear from spirit
If we could have had the choice
Of how to spend this quarter hour
As the session winds away
Please don't abuse the platform
And let the spirits have their say