Lindy Comes to Town

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Lindy flew his plane across the dark Atlantic
Put her down near Paris and the crowds went frantic
They raced across the field, to touch the wings and wheels
And reach inside the cockpit just to see if he was real

Back in New York City people watched and waited
The news came down the wire and they celebrated
And in that time so brief, it was everyone's belief
That the world had grown no bigger than a pocket handkerchief

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Every day is better than the one before it If I see a raincloud then I'll just ignore it Everybody says it'll get much better yet It's 1927 and my whole life lies ahead

Gonna get myself a car and find a place to park it Get a little cash and put it in the market And on my wedding day I will turn around and say There never was a better time than this one anyway

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