

No More Illusions

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Here goes everything down to the wire
I'm gonna sing like a canary on fire
And the world won't stop, but maybe you will stay
I apologize for rocking the boat
But my heart gets caught on those lumps in my throat
And these words just miss my lips somewhere along the way

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Wildcards or shadows of a doubt
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Oh baby can we live without illusions

Our long shadows cast here in the moonlight
Cross the lawn and fade from our sight
And the world beyond is turning like a wheel
Every step we take is out of the past.
Everybody says "Darling, we won't last."
But they don't know what we know or feel what we feel

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I can't pretend that the sparks are still flying
Or the ember is burning stronger
At least by now I might be getting real good at trying
Can we try a little longer?

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