

## Richard

Billy Bragg

Richard belongs to Jayne  
And Jayne belongs to yesterday  
How can I go on  
When every alpha particle hides a neon nucleus

Neil belongs to love  
And love belongs to no man  
How can he go on  
When no-one answers the adverts in his mind?

There will be parties, there will be fun  
There will be prizes for everyone  
And hey, hey, hey, here comes Richard  
There will be ladies dressed in lace  
I just want to see her face  
When hey, hey, hey, here comes Richard

You helped me build this bed  
But you won't help me sleep in it  
When I fall between you and the wall  
Our titanic love affair sails on the morning tide

I really love you style  
Did you read it in the Look and Learn?  
How long can we go on?  
Do you think I only love you  
Because you sleep with other boys