

# Rock & Roll Hero

Caroline's Spine

And by the light of the desk lamp  
I sat alone with my paper and crayons  
Trying to draw the things i saw in my head  
And by the sound of the crickets  
Through windows of darkness  
I tried to fit the moon in my mouth  
In my mouth...

Sometimes when i'm alone  
And out of view of my own  
I pretend i'm someone else  
Taking a look at myself  
And i wonder what i'll think then  
And i hope i'll be ok  
And i finally reach the day

When everybody sings my song  
When everybody sings my song  
When i show you my soul

By the skin of my teeth  
I got a break around seventeen  
And suddenly everyones acting so differently to me  
And by the bus i call my home  
I've seen more miles then i'll ever know  
Trying to be some kind of rock and roll hero  
Rock and roll hero...

Sometimes when i'm alone  
And out of view of my own  
I pretend i'm someone else  
Taking a look at myself  
And i know i'm still thinking  
And i know i feel ok  
Now that i've reached the day

And everybody's singing my song  
And everybody's singing my song  
And i show you my soul

And by the clock i live  
Thought i had so much more to give  
It all came to an end somehow  
But i made it the best i can  
Even became a family man  
With nothing but gold records on my wall  
On my wall  
They're on my wall...

Sometimes when i'm alone  
And out of view of my own  
I pretend i'm someone else  
Take a look back at myself  
And i wonder what i was thinking  
And i although it turned out  
I will always miss the day

When everybody sang my song  
When everybody sang my song  
When i showed you my soul