

# The Believer

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You can point and laugh  
I'm sure he's used to that  
Using faith like an acrobat 'til the net breaks  
He won't get upset  
That though we've never met

I know everything he's said 'cause a friend once told me:  
He's got hellfire in his eyes  
There is madness behind the lies  
He would burn us all alive just to prove his point

God save the believer we mistake for a deceiver

'cause it makes us feel better.

The time has come and gone  
To say what's right and wrong  
People like him don't belong 'cause we're all OK  
You'd better write him off  
without a second thought  
Thinking just leads to getting caught in the traps he sets, like:

Who is that on his knees?  
It's that daring young man from the flying trapeze  
Crying "Father, Father, help me please" Well good luck, pal, you're gonna need it