

## Other People's Lives

Don Johnson

Where the grass is always greener  
where the grass don't grow  
you'll see everything in colour `till you see it close.  
Everybody else's street looks like it's painted gold  
Don't it always go that way?

Suzy wanted money to spend  
wanted some rich older man  
to take her from the world she was living in  
to the world on the other side.  
Suzy was bored with her life  
wanted something more to do with her  
nights

She said: Someday I'm just gonna pack it up  
and leave this all behind!

She wanted a piece of paradise  
She wanted a change of scene

She wanted to live the privileged life and nothing in-between.

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when you're standing on the other side  
Other people's lives.

Johnny was tired of working all day  
working where the pennies for pay

He said: Anybody's life in the world  
has gotta be better than the life I got.  
Johnny had big things in mind  
had big dreams just burning inside

He said: Someday I wanna climb my way out of this  
Climb my way right to the top!

He wanted a piece of paradise  
he wanted to break away (break away)

He wanted to live the easy life  
you know what people say:

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Other people's lives always look much better  
when you're seeing them through different eyes  
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Suzy  
she's got the money to spend

married some rich older man  
gives her everything in the world she needs  
everything but love.

Johnny  
he's got the job of his dreams  
now he wonders is this what it all means ?  
You see, sometimes you can have it all and still it's not enough.

He wanted a piece of paradise  
She wanted a change of scene

but sometimes you know that paradise ain't always what it seems.

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