

Best Dress On

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You had some worries
Like the size of earth
And the weight on your shoulders
Of the universe

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You painted yourself in a corner space
Trying to lose that stigma
And the badge of shame

But everybody has a cross to bear
You were a slave to your desire
To find a better way

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I can see you dancing in the pale moonlight
And you're moving round just like a spinning top
Got your hair highlights
And got your painted nails
Got your glad rags on
And got your humour back

Yeh the purple people they can learn from you
To control a mind and make it follow through
From the darkest recess found a shining light
Built your world back up
And set your life to right

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On a blind date
Under shooting stars
Met an angel
Chosen by your fate
And that's how destiny is shaped
When you lend a helping hand

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