

## Melinda

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This is a dream Melinda  
Just a mirage, so they say  
This whole affair they all declare  
Was dreamed every step of the way  
You're a mere dream, Melinda  
Out for a gay little spin  
Telling me lies before my eyes  
of days that never have been  
There's no Melinda, they say for sure  
But don't go Melinda  
I know and you know  
That you're no mere dream, Melinda  
Gone when the dawn gleam is through  
You and I know that long ago  
before the dream there was you  
There once was you