## Martha's Madman

## **Manfred Mann's Earth Band**

Martha has a madman Standing hidden in the shadows He's got a long curved Turkish dagger With a bejeweled handle

He's tellin' her the world is full of freaks and geeks and simp les and he's

Hiding like a leprechaun under stones and in the ripples In the pool of time she thought she knew it, but someone threw a stone into it

Which breaks up the surface and it's makin' her nervous and it's true

What can she do, yes it's true

What can she do

Martha yes I guess you'll have to wait around, another thousand years

Martha's gettin' nervous as she wanders Through his valley Where the shadows always frightening And the whispers tell her stories