

# King Rat

## Modest Mouse

Well!  
Well!  
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We spun like birds on fire right down towards the residence and I  
I took all that I desired, even crooks have to pay the rent  
We swam like rats on fire right, right down the reservoir  
We took all that we could carry but we tried to carry more

And you know you know you know it all went wrong  
And you know you know you know it was all wrong

We choked on street tap water well I'm gonna have to try the real thing  
I took your laugh by the collar and it knew not to swing  
Anytime I tried an honest job well the till had a hole and ha-ha  
We laughed about payin' rent 'cause the county jails they're free

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And you know you know you know it was all wrong

Deep water, deep water  
Senseless denial  
I went down like a rag doll as you would, child  
Deep water, deep water  
Senseless denial  
I went down like a rag doll as you would, child

Oh, lucky lucky lucky lucky me again  
I said it looks like I've got to use my feet again  
Well I just spent my last one-hundred dollars  
God I'll pay my bill again

Oh, I don't care  
Oh, how I just don't care

Deep water, deep water  
Senseless denial  
I went down like a rag doll shaken and shy  
Deep water, deep water  
Senseless denial  
I went down like a rag doll rat of a child

Well king rat has me on his list again  
I can never be on the fence again  
I found out it's all loud  
Open like an organ and it  
talk, talk, talk, talk again  
he promised me that when I cheated him  
But I could open my eye well...  
lucky, lucky, lucky, lucky, lucky,  
lucky, lucky, lucky, lucky, lucky me again

Deep water, deep water  
Senseless denial  
I got fed like a fish, full of open smiles  
Deep water, deep water

Senseless denial  
I got fed like a fish on the cardboard smiles

Well Well...  
What do you have to say for yourself?  
I said, well well  
Well?  
I said well, well, well, well!

Lucky, lucky, lucky, lucky me again.  
I hardly knew I should use my feet again  
What do you have to say for yourself?  
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