My Way

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And now the end is near
And so I face the final curtain
My friend, I'll say it clear
I'll state my case of which I'm certain

I've lived a life that's full
I traveled each and every highway
And more, much more than this
I did it my way

Regrets, I've had a few
But than again, too few to mention
I did what I had to do
And saw it through without exemption

I've planned each charted course Each careful step along the byway And more, much more than this I did it my way

Yes there were times, I'm sure you knew When I bit off more than I could chew But through it all when there was doubt I ate it up and spit it out

I faced it all and I stood tall And did it my way

I've loved, I've laughed and cried
I had my feel, my share of losing
And now as tears subside
I find it all so amusing

To think I did all that
And may I say, not in a shy way
Oh no, oh no, not me
I did it my way

For what is a man, what has he got? If not himself, than he has naught To say the things he truly feels And not the words of one who kneels

The record shows, I took the blows And did it my way