## **Those Were The Days**

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Once upon a time there was a tavern Where we used to raise a glass or two Remember how we laughed away the hours And think of all the great things we would do

Those were the days my friend We thought they'd never end We'd sing and dance forever and a day We'd live the life we chose Big fight and never lose For we were young and sure to have our way La la

Then the busy years went rushing by us We lost our starry notions on the way If by chance I'd see you in the tavern We'd smile at one another and we'd say

Those were the days my friend We thought they'd never end We'd sing and dance forever and a day We'd live the life we chose Big fight and never lose Those were the days Oh yes, those were the days La la

Just tonight I stood before the tavern Nothing seemed the way it used to be In the glass I saw a strange reflection Was that lonely creature really me? Through the door there came familiar laughter I saw your face and heard you call my name All my friends were older but no wiser For in our hearts the dreams are still the same

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