Grace For Saints And Ramblers

Iron & Wine

But it all came down to you and I

But it all came down to you and IThere were banged-up heads, stealing first base

Underneath the table so we never say grace

Falling out of bed for the workday week

There was kissing in the cracks of the flash flood streetThere were budding blossoms, blaring Johnny Rotten

Chewed up and swallowed by the profit they were trying to follow

Picked too green and we paid no tax

On our quick, romantic cul-de-sacsBut it all came down to you and I

But it all came down to you and IThere were crashed-out cars in our barcode clothes

They were rubbing on each other, rubbing ghost on ghost

There were jumped-up punks and the Jesus freaks

Weaving in and out of trouble, wrapping round and round a leashThere were sleepless dreamers, doomsday preachers

The message and the messenger, the gun beneath the register

The sweet gum tree by the tough drunk tank

We could never give enough to the bad blood bankThere were hopeless sinners, sweepstake winners

They danced with the farmer's daughter,

Capered with the corporate lawyersBut it all came down to you and I

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But it all came down to you and IThere was laughing in the light, sugar in the shade

There were back-stab handshakes made on faith

We were never out of time, and we never entertained

Anybody say the habit of the wind was gonna change There were misled misfits, teething biscuits

Fountains full of penny wishes, potties full of pretty fishes

Side by side with the birds and bees

And we never said grace, never ever took a kneeThere were saints and ramblers, movie stars handlers

High above the aviary, underneath the cemeteryAnd we never wondered why

Cause the sun was in our eyes

There was seed for the field

There was grease for the wheelWe were drinking with the luminaries,

Eating with the missionariesBut it all came down to you and I

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