

# Simple Twist of Fate

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They sat together in the park  
As the evening sky be dark  
She looked at him and he felt a spark  
Tingle to his bones, it was then he felt alone  
And wished that he'd gone straight  
Watch out for a simple twist of fate  
They walked along by the old canal  
Was so confused, I remember well  
Stopped into a strange hotel  
With a neon burning bright  
He felt the heat of the night  
It hit him like a freight train  
Moving with a simple twist of fate  
A saxophone someplace far off played  
She is walking under the arcade  
The light bust through a beat-up shade  
Where he was waking up  
She dropped a coin into the cup  
Of a blind man at the gate  
Forgot about a simple twist of fate  
He woke up and the room was bare  
He didn't see her anywhere  
He told himself that he didn't care  
Pushed the window open wide  
Felt an emptiness inside  
To which he just could not relate  
Brought on by a simple twist of fate  
He hears a ticking of the clock  
And walks along with a parrot that talks  
Hunts her down by the waterfront docks  
Where the sailors all come in  
Maybe she'll pick him out again  
Oh, how long must he wait  
One more time for a simple twist of fate  
People tell me it's a sin  
To know and feel too much within  
I still believe she was my twin  
But God, I lost the ring, she was born in spring  
But I was born too late  
Blame it on the simple twist of fate

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