

# The Great Pretender

## Freddie Mercury

Oh yes, I'm the great pretender  
Pretending I'm doing well  
My need is such, I pretend too much  
I'm lonely but no one can tell Oh yes, I'm the great pretender  
Adrift in a world of my own  
I play the game but to my real shame  
You've left me to dream all alone Too real is this feeling of make-believe  
Too real when I feel what my heart can't conceal Oh yes, I'm the great pretender  
Just laughing and gay like a clown  
I seem to be what I'm not, you see  
I'm wearing my heart like a crown  
Pretending that you're still around Too real when I feel what my heart can't conceal Oh yes, I'm the great  
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