

# Stage Fright

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Now deep in the heart of a lonely kid  
Who suffered so much for what he did  
They gave this ploughboy his fortune and fame  
Since that day he ain't been the same  
See the man with the stage fright  
Just standin' up there to give it all his might  
And he got caught in the spotlight  
But when we get to the end  
He wants to start all over again  
I've got fire water right on my breath  
And the doctor warned me I might catch a death  
Said, you can make it in your disguise  
Just never show the fear that's in your eyes  
See the man with the stage fright  
Just standin' up there to give it all his might  
He got caught in the spotlight  
But when we get to the end  
He wants to start all over again  
Now if he says that he's afraid  
Take him at his word  
And for the price that the poor boy has paid  
He gets to sing just like a bird, oh, ooh ooh ooh  
Your brow is sweatin' and your mouth gets dry  
Fancy people go driftin' by  
The moment of truth is right at hand  
Just one more nightmare you can stand  
See the man with the stage fright  
Just standin' up there to give it all his might  
And he got caught in the spotlight  
But when we get to the end  
He wants to start all over again  
You wanna try it once again  
Please don't make him stop  
Let him take it from the top  
Let him start all over again

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