

King of the Silver Screen

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By day I'm a workin' man,
Layin' bricks or layin' pipe.
I don't stand out in a crowd;
Just look like one of the guys.

Little do they know,
When I'm alone in bed at night,
I become the King of the Silver Screen. I stare at the ceiling there;

I know where I belong.
I two step with Fred Astaire or
Fighting old King Kong.
I can be any hero at all;
Zorro or Don Juan.

I know I'm the King of the Silver Screen. Hollywood movies keep flashin' across my mind.
I could've been Valentino if I was born in another time. I might be solving a case or swinging from a tree.

Share a joke with Crosby and Hope;
We're such good friends, you see.

Even dazzle the Academy with my versatility.
'Cause I'm the King of the Silver Screen. Hollywood movies keep flashin' across my mind.

I could've been Errol Flynn
If I was born in another time. I could've been a star.
I could've been a star.
I could've played that part.
But Hollywood movies keep flashin' before my eyes.
I could've been Greta Garbo
If I was born in another time. I wake the very next day
Go on back to work.

I'm just a face in a crowd;
Another average jerk.

And all the guys on the building site look at me flirt.
Because I'm the Queen of the Silver. Yes, I'm the Queen of the Silver Screen.

I admit it to all my fellow workers.
I don't care any more. I'm tired of closets.
I'm gonna eat my makeup for lunch today.
Just stop hittin' me again. All right guys?
I'm going to Hollywood to be a starlet.
I know I'm 240 pounds and play center
For the Detroit Lions.

I don't care any more.
I like makeup and dresses and Hollywood.

I'll make somebody a great little wife.
"Frankly, Scarlet, I don't give a damn."

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