

# Lorraine

## Linton Kwesi Johnson

Whenever it rains, I think of you  
And I always remember that day in May  
When I saw you walking in the rain  
I know not what it was nor why For usually I'm quite shy  
I ax'd your name, you smile and said, "Lorraine"  
I ax'd if I could share your umbrella  
You smiled and said, "What a cheeky little fella" Now I'm standin' in the rain in vain, Lorraine  
Hoping to see you again  
Tears fall from me eyes like rain, Lorraine  
A terrible pain in me brain, Lorraine  
You're drivin' me insane Whenever it rains, I think of you  
And I always remember that day in May  
When I saw you walking in the rain  
I know not what it was nor why For usually I'm quite shy  
But from the moment I saw you  
I knew, that I needed you in my life  
From that moment on I knew  
That I wanted you for my wife Now I'm standin' in the rain in vain, Lorraine  
Hoping to see you again  
Tears fall from me eyes like rain, Lorraine  
A terrible pain in me brain, Lorraine  
You're drivin' me insane Whenever it rains, I think of you  
And I always remember that day in May  
When I saw you walking in the rain  
I know not what it was nor why For usually I'm quite shy  
I said, "Let's go back to my place for some coffee"  
You frown and said, "Well, kiss me batty"  
I fell so ashamed, I did not even notice  
When your bus came, and went again Now I'm standin' in the rain in vain, Lorraine  
Hoping to see you again  
Tears fall from me eyes like rain, Lorraine  
A terrible pain in me brain, Lorraine  
You're drivin' me insane, Lorraine, Lorraine, Lorraine

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