

# Clark Gable

## The Postal Service

I was waiting for a cross-town train in the London underground when it struck me  
That I've been waiting since birth to find a love that would look and sound like a movie  
So I changed my plans and rented a camera and a van and then I called you  
"I need you to pretend that we are in love again" and you agreed to

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And I want life in every word to the extent that it's absurd

I greased the lens and framed the shot using a friend as my stand-in  
The script it called for rain but it was clear that day so we faked it  
The marker snapped and I yelled "quiet on the set" and then called "action!"  
And I kissed you in a style that Clark Gable would have admired (I thought it classic)

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I know you're wise beyond your years, but do you ever get the fear  
That your perfect verse is just a lie you tell yourself to help you get b

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