Liza with a "Z"

Liza Minnelli

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'Cause Lisa with an 'S' goes 'ssnozz'

It's 'Z' instead of 'S', 'Lie' instead of 'Lee'

It's simple as can be, see, LizaI'll do it again

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It's simple as can be, see, LizaNow, if my name were Ada

I'd be Ada, even backwards I'd be Ada

Or if my name were Ruth

Then I'd be Ruth because with Ruth what can you do?

Or Sally, or Margaret or Ginger or Faye

But when you're a Liza you always have to sayNo, it's Liza with 'Z' not Lisa with an 'S'

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It's simple as can be, see, LizaAh, and that is only half of it

There's another way they treat me cruelly

How often I remember someone saying

"There she goes, Lisa Minooli"

Or Minolli or Miniola or Minili Minnilii

So is it a wonder? I very often cryIt's M I double N, then E double L I

You double up the N, that's not me

Then E double L end it with an I

That's the way you say Minnelli

Liza Minnelli, it's Italian

Blame it on papa, what can I do? Every Sandra who's a Saandra

Every Mary who's really Maree

Every Joan who is a Joanne

Has got to agree with me when I'm announced

I don't mind being pommeled or trampled or trounced

But it does drive you bats to be Miss, mispronouncedIt's Liza with 'Z' not Lisa with a 'S'

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Liza Minnelli, it's easy, it's easy

See it's Leezy, no, Liza

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