There's No Business Like Show Business

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Like no business I know

Everything about it is appealing

Everything that traffic will allow

No where could you get that happy feeling

When you are stealing that extra bowThere's no people like show people

They smile when they are low

Even with a turkey that you know will fold

You may be stranded out in the cold

Still you wouldn't change it for a sack of gold

Let's go on with the showThe butcher, the baker, the grocer, the clerk

Are secretly unhappy men because

The butcher, the baker, the grocer, the clerk

Get paid for what they do but no applause

They'd gladly bid their deary jobs

Goodbye for anything theatrical and why? There's no business like show business

And I tell you it's so

Traveling through the country is so thrilling

Standing out in front on opening nights

Smiling as you watch the theater filling

And there's your billing out there in lightsThere's no people like show people

They smile when they are low

Angels come from everywhere with lots of jack

And when you lose it there's no attack

Where could you get money that you don't give back?

Let's go on with the showThere's no business like show business

Like no business I know

You get word before the show has started

That your favorite uncle died at dawn

Top of that, your pa and ma have parted

You're broken-hearted, but you go on There's no people like show people

They smile when they are low

Yesterday they told you, you would not go far

That night you open and there you are

Next day on your dressing room they've hung a star

Let's go on with the show

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