

# Moses

Bette Midler

Diamonds, roses, I need Moses  
To cross this sea of loneliness, part this red river of pain  
I don't necessarily buy any key to the future or happiness  
But I need a little place in the sun sometimes or I think I'll die  
And everywhere is somewhere but nowhere is  
near  
Everybody's got somebody with their wine and their beer  
But I'm a tragic figure in the corner over here  
With an empty apartment and a best friend who is queer  
Every time I see him he smiles  
And tells me how well he's walking these miles  
But he never ever asks a single thing about me  
If I died he'd hear about it eventually  
Diamonds, roses, I need Moses  
To cross this sea of loneliness  
Part this red river of pain, oh 'Cause everywhere is somewhere and nowhere is near  
Everybody's got somebody with their wine and their beer  
And I'm a tragic figure in the corner over here  
With my bills in the mailbox and some checks that won't clear this year  
Everywhere is somewhere and nowhere  
is near  
Everybody's got somebody with their wine and their beer  
So I'm just a tragic figure in the corner over here  
Who'll sleep it off 'til morning and still not know that we're  
We're all just diamonds and roses, I need Moses  
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