Ballerina

Van Morrison

Spread your wings, come on fly awhile
Straight to my arms, little angel child
You know you only
Lonely twenty-two story blockAnd if somebody, not just anybody
Wanted to get close to you
For instance, me, baby
All you gotta do is ring a bellStep right up, step right up
And step right up, ballerina
Crowd will catch you

Fly it, sigh it, try it
Well, I may be wrongBut something deep in my heart
Tells me I'm right and I don't think so
You know I saw the writing on the wall
When you came up to me

Child, you were heading for a fallBut if it gets to you
And you feel like you just can't go on
All you gotta do is ring a bellStep right up and step right up

And step right up, just like a ballerina
Stepping lightly, alright, well, it's getting late

Yes it is, yes it isAnd this time I forget to slip into your slumber

The light is on the left side of your head

And I'm standing in your doorway

And I'm mumbling and I can't remember

The last thing that ran through my headHere come the man and he say
He say the show must go on

So all you gotta do is ring the bellAnd step right up and step right up

And step right up

Just like a ballerina, yeah, yeah

Crowd will catch you

Fly it, sight it, c'mon, die it, yeah

Just like a ballerina

Just like a, just like a ballerinaGet on up, get on up
Keep a-moving on, little bit higher, baby
You know, you know, you know, get up baby
Alright, a-keep on, a-keep on

A-keep on pushing stepping lightlyJust like a ballerina

Ooo-we baby, take off your shoes

Working on just like a ballerina

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