

# Carmen

## Spike Jones & His City Slickers

Darling, darling, doesn't have a problem  
Lying to herself cause her liquor's top shelf  
It's alarming honestly how charming she can be  
Fooling everyone, tell 'em hun she's having fun

She says you don't want to be like me  
Don't wanna see all the things I've seen  
I'm dying, i'm dying

She says you don't want to get this way  
Famous, and dumb at her age

Lying, I'm lying

The boys, the girls, they all like Carmen  
She gives them butterflies, bats her cartoon eyes  
She laughs like god, her mind's like a diamond

Buy her tonight  
she's still shining

Like Carmen, like Carmen.

Carmen, Carmen, staying up til morning  
Only seventeen, but she walks the streets so mean

It's alarming truly how disarming you can be  
Eating soft ice cream, coney island queen

She says you don't want to be like me  
Working for fun, gettin' high for free  
I'm dying, i'm dying

She says you don't want to get this way  
Street walking at night, and a star by day  
It's tiring, tiring

The boys, the girls, they all like Carmen  
She gives them butterflies, bats her cartoon eyes  
She laughs like god, her mind's like a diamond

Buy her tonight  
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Like Carmen, like Carmen.

Baby's all dressed up, with nowhere to go  
That's the little story of the girl you know  
Relying on the kindness of strangers  
Tying cherry knots smiling doing party favours  
Put your red dress on, put your lipstick on  
Sing your song, song, now, the camera's on

And you're alive again  
Mon amour, je sais que tu m'aimes aussi  
Tu as besoin de moi, tu as besoin de moi dans ta vie  
Tu ne peux vivre sans moi  
Et je mourrai sans toi, je tuerais pour toi  
The boys, the girls, they all like carmen  
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She laughs like god, her mind's like a diamond  
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