Elephant

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This has got to die
I said, this has got to stop
This has got to lie down
With someone else on topYou can keep me pinned
It's easier to tease
But you can't paint an elephant
Quite as good as sheAnd she may cry like a baby
And she may drive me crazy

'Cause I, I'm lately lonelySo why'd you have to lie?

I take it I'm your crutch

The pillow in your pillow case

It's easier to touchAnd when you think you're safe

You fall upon your knees

But you sit within your picture

You still forget the breezeAnd she may rise if I sing you down

And she may wisely cling to the ground

'Cause I, I'm lately horny

So why would she take me horny? What's the point of this song?

Or even singing?

You've already gone

Why am I clinging? Well I could throw it out

And I could live without

And I could do it all for you

I could be strong

Tell me if you want me to lie

'Cause this has got to dieI said, this has got to stop

This has got to lie down, down

With someone else on topWell, you can both keep me pinned

'Cause it's easier to tease

But you can't make me happy

Quite as good as me

Well, you know that's a lie

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