

# Shaftesbury Avenue

## Momus

I think you're wailing for someone  
And I think he's not going to show  
And there's this little place round the corner  
Wanna go?Uptown  
Charcoal and braziers  
Where the traffic is crazier  
Where the people are racier  
And the stage door is unlitUptown  
I'm going up there just as I am  
Going to dance down the roofs of the traffic jam  
'Cause I've got something that's itching me  
And here's where I'm going to scratch itAppearing in the West End:  
Tottenham Hotspurs with Rolex handshakes  
And crocodile sunlans  
JAPs and prunes, cops and robbers  
Touts with faces like the phantom of the opera  
Chinatown pimps and handshake whores  
And Tackhead caps at the Asloria doors  
Foetus in the dish, falcon down the pan  
Feasts in the dustbin  
Gerrard Street girl watch as I go  
My hungry blue eyes below your window  
If I could just speak Cantonese  
You could be my best friend  
(Appearing in the West End)There's some greal entertainment lined up for me on BBC1  
But meet me on Shahesbury Avenue  
Operating for fun (looking for a good time)  
Sophisticated sister, so much better at life than me  
Meet me on Shaftesbury Avenue  
Dance with me  
Talk to me  
Make love with me  
Make me somebodyUptown  
Walking all night all alone  
Through the entertainment zone  
Searching for sweet oblivion  
Till the bitter end  
Nothing comes to him who waits  
No free lunches, no dinner dates

Got to take your chance at a back door dance  
With a very special friend Appearing in the West End:  
Streatham princesses in sherbert stilettos  
And matt black toy boys who act like heroes  
Businessman sleaze, whips made of liquorice  
No sex please: we're British  
Council house tarts in cocktail bars  
Looking for a boyfriend  
XR 3 sunroofs open on the night  
Bragging Kiss FM rapper's delight  
Gerrard Street girl watch as I go  
My hungry blue eyes below your window  
If I could just speak Vietnamese  
You could be my best friend  
Appearing in the West End There's some great entertainment lined up for me  
On BBC 1  
But meet me on Shaftesbury Avenue  
Operating for fun (looking for a good time)  
Sophisticated sister, so much better at life than me  
Meet me on Shaftesbury Avenue  
Dance with me  
Talk to me  
Make love with me Make me somebody

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