Mr. Rodriguez

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Yesterday morning, I was walking around
Me and Mr. Rodriguez on the wrong side of town
The streets were all empty and the houses all burned down
He reached in his pocket and he pulled out a crown

And he said

You're so much like me, boy Step outta your dream

Watch 'em all gather 'round, boy

It is your turn to be kingCause you are the only one You are the only oneI come from a small town near West Beverly Right under the freeway, all my brothers and me

My father was Henry, Mary Jane, Eloise They work in a coal mine from age 17 But I don't see 'em that much no more

They died one day

A king from a jester and a queen from a slaveYou are the only one You are the only one

Well you are the only one

That's for meThere's a rose in my garden that never grows
And it keeps me up at night forevermore
And what I hold in my hand I was told to never hold
So I let it goThe slave and the jester

They met in the park

A slow song in the distance and a dance through the dark
One hand to the outside, she waves in the wind
They circled for hours or what seemed to be them
She love him in the mosplight

She love him in the moonlight Soon the morning comes

Then back to the coal mine when the day is doneYou are the only one

You are the only one You are the only one For me

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