Birthday Boy

Pet Shop Boys

Birthday boy

Can't explain

Christmas eve

He's born againOn the line

A broken train

Going nowhere

Endless rainBirthday boy

So afraid

Plays the machines

In the arcadeOh baby, do you remember

He's been through all this before?

Spent the summer

Getting nowhere

Taking all of the blame

For the city

Calculating

From pain comes pityChristmas eve

A time of joy

If you believe

In birthday boyThis time around

It's all a mistake

Is he deluded

Or just a fake? Oh baby, do you remember

He's been through all this before?

Spent the summer

Getting nowhere

Taking all of the blame

For the city

Calculating

From pain comes pityIf you knew his name

Would you feel the same?

If you knew his name?Birthday boy

Stands apart

As the drama's

About to startA quick betrayal

A speedy trial

As before

Complete denialOh baby do you remember

He's been through all this before?

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