Ode to a Superhero

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Oh Peter Parker was pitiful
Couldn't have been any shyer
Mary Jane still wouldn't notice him
Even if his hair was on fireBut then one day he went to that science lab
That mutated spider came down
Oh, and now Peter crawls over everyone's walls
And he's swingin' all over townLa li la, li de da
La la, li le la da dumSling us a web, you're the Spider-Man

Sling us a web tonight
'Cause we're all in the mood for a hero now
And there's evil doers to fightNow Harry the rich kid's a friend of his

Who horns in on Mary Jane

But to his great surprise it seems she prefers guys
Who can kiss upside down in the rain"With great power comes great responsibility"

That's the catch phrase of old Uncle Ben
If you missed it, don't worry, they'll say the line
Again and again and againOh, la la la, di de da
La la, di di da da domNow Norman's a billionare scientist

Who never had time for his son

But then something went screwy and before you knew he
Was trying to kill everyoneAnd he's ridin' around on that glider thing
And he's throwin' that weird pumpkin bomb

Yes, he's wearin' that dumb Power Rangers mask But he's scarier without it onSling us a web, you're the Spider-Man Sling us a web tonight

'Cause you're brave and you're strong and so limber now
But where'd you come up with those tights?It's a pretty sad day at the funeral
Norman Osborn has bitten the dust

And I heard Harry's said he wants Spider-Man dead Aw, but his buddy Pete he can trustOh, and M.J. is all hot for Peter now Aw, but Peter, he just shuts her down

Mary Jane, don't you cry, you can give it a try
Again when the sequal comes 'roundOh, la la la, di de da
La la, di di da da dumSling us a web, you're the Spider-Man
Sling us a web tonight
'Cause we all sure could use us a hero now

And we think that you'll do all right

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