## 99 Red Balloons

## Nena

You and I, and a little toy shop
Buy a bag of balloons with the money we've got
Set them free at the break of dawn
'Til one by one, they were goneBack at base, bugs in the software
Flash the message, "Some thing's out there"
Floating in the summer sky

Ninety-nine red balloons go byNinety-nine red balloons

Floating in the summer sky

Panic lads, it's a red alert

There's something here from somewhere elseThe war machine springs to life

Opens up one eager eye

Focusing it on the sky

Ninety-nine red balloons go byNinety-nine Decision Street

Ninety-nine ministers meet

To worry, worry, super-scurry

Call the troops out in a hurryThis is what we've waited for

This is it boys, this is war

The President is on the line

As ninety-nine red balloons go byNinety-nine knights of the air

Riding super high-tech jet fighters

Everyone's a super hero

Everyone's a Captain KirkWith orders to identify, to clarify and classify

Scrambling in the summer sky

As ninety-nine red balloons go by

Ninety-nine red balloons go byNinety-nine dreams I have had

Every one a red balloon

It's all over and I'm standin' pretty

In this dust that was a cityIf I could find a souvenir

Just to prove the world was here

And here is a red balloon

I think of you and let it go

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