

# Uptown Ruler

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A long tall daddy  
And his common law wife  
Shuffled out of Buffalo  
The comfortable life  
Holding hands they went  
To meet their makerJust an old fella  
In his hey day suit  
Dreaming all the dreams  
About the film he'd shoot  
He said Hey you know  
I ain't no PennebakerBridge ~  
I'm leaving  
Can't keep holding on  
I'm leavingChorus ~  
I can't keep holding on  
I'm an uptown ruler  
An uptown ruler  
All my old friends are gone  
I'm an uptown ruler  
An uptown rulerCast the vote  
And dim the light  
He's been drinking Ol' Grandad  
Every night  
Where things are right  
And where the air is coolerThe Glory Days  
They came and went  
His mane it was luxuriant  
Now Ol' Grandad  
He's the uptown rulerBridgeChorusAnd on the days when time goes by  
He just hangs his head and sighs  
And on the days when time stands still  
That's the days when looks could killBridgeChorusAn uptown ruler  
An I could fool her  
I'm an uptown ruler  
An uptown ruler  
An uptown ruler  
I'm a ruler  
I'm an uptown ruler  
An uptown ruler

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