

# Will You Dance?

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Someone is waiting over by the window  
Just beyond the stairwell someone's crying  
Drowning in the words of the prophets  
That are written for the dead and the dying  
Someone's lying, no one's buying  
Someone is dying, panic in the streets  
Can't get no relief, someone escaping  
Waiting on a line for the holy revolution  
Parading illusion someone's using, most amusing  
Will you dance? Will you dance?  
Smell of caviar and roses  
Teach your children all the poses  
How familiar are we all  
Will you dance? Will you dance?  
Light fantastic in the morning  
How romantic to be whoring  
Boring though it may be  
Who'll survive if you and I should fall?  
Someone is bleeding crimson in the night  
Strangers in the light, a sudden meeting  
Greeting one by one every life runs flashing  
Before those dashing eyes  
Will you dance? Will you dance?  
Take a chance on romance  
And a big surprise  
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