

*Bohemian Rhapsody* / by Freddie Mercury, 1974

Is this the real life - is this just fantasy -  
Caught in a landslide - no escape from reality -  
Open your eyes, look up to the skies and see -  
I'm just a poor boy, I need no sympathy -  
Because I'm easy come, easy go,  
A little high, little low,  
Anyway the wind blows, doesn't really matter to me - to me.

Mama, just killed a man,  
Put a gun against his head,  
Pulled my trigger, now he's dead.  
Mama, life had just begun,  
But now I've gone and thrown it all away -  
Mama, oooh, didn't mean to make you cry -  
If I'm not back again this time tomorrow -  
Carry on, carry on, as if nothing really matters.

Too late, my time has come,  
Sends shivers down my spine -  
Body's aching all the time,  
Goodbye everybody - I've got to go -  
Gotta leave you all behind and face the truth -  
Mama oooh - I don't want to die,  
I sometimes wish I'd never been born at all.

I see a little silhouette of a man,  
Scaramouch, scaramouch will you do the Fandango -  
Thunderbolt and lightning - very, very frightening me -  
Galileo, Galileo, Galileo, Galileo, Galileo figaro - Manifico -  
But I'm just a poor boy and nobody loves me -  
He's just a poor boy from a poor family -  
Spare him his life from this monstrosity.  
Easy come, easy go - will you let me go -  
Bismillah! No - we will not let you go - let him go  
Bismillah! We will not let you go - let him go  
Bismillah! We will not let you go - let him go  
Will not let you go - let me go  
Will not let you go - let me go  
No, no, no, no, no, no, no -  
Mama mia, mama mia, mama mia let me go -  
Beelzebub has a devil put aside for me, for me - for me.

So you think you can stone me and split in my eye -  
So you think you can love me and leave me to die -  
Oh Baby - can't do this to me baby -  
Just gotta get out - just gotta get right outta here.

Nothing really matters, anyone can see,  
Nothing really matters, nothing really matters to me,  
Anyway the wind blows.

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