

# Beautiful

Belle and Sebastian

She lay in bed all night watching the morning change  
She lay in bed all night watching the colours change  
She lay in bed all night watching the colours change into green  
and gold

The doctor told her years ago that she was ill  
The doctor told her years ago to take a pill  
The doctor told her years ago that she'd go blind if she wasn't  
careful

They let Lisa go blind  
The world was at her feet and she was looking down  
They let Lisa go blind  
But everyone she knew thought she was beautiful  
Only slightly mental  
Beautiful, a bit temperamental  
Beautiful, only slightly mental  
Beautiful

She thought it would be fun to try photography  
She thought it would be fun to try pornography  
She thought it would be fun to try most anything  
She was tired of sleeping

They let Lisa go blind, let Lisa go blind, let Lisa go blind  
They let Lisa go blind  
She's looking like a queen  
But if you knew what's going on in her life  
There'd be a thousand barren mothers there to talk to her  
If you knew what's going on in her life  
There'd be two hundred troubled teenagers to sit with her  
And to talk to her  
If you knew what's going on in her life  
What's going on in her life  
What's going on in her life  
There would be a documentary on Radio 4

She made herself a pair of orthopaedic shoes  
She thought it was the answer to the fashion blues  
She made herself a pair of orthopaedic shoes  
But she walked with a limp