

# An Irishman In Chinatown

Luka Bloom

Oh the other day in Chinatown  
A place you all know well  
I was taking in the action all around  
There was people rushing everywhere  
With things to buy and sell  
There was taxis looking for someone to run down  
I was studying the walkmans in a special discount store  
When I saw her walking by  
Oh, she was unbelievably beautiful  
And I'd love the things she wore  
So there and then up to her I did fly

We could go for a walk  
We could maybe stay in  
We could have a good talk  
But then again  
I'd love to just take you for a walk down Broadway  
Or any other way  
Just yourself and meself, ah go on!

She says "I come from China"  
I says "I'm from Ireland"  
And "Isn't this a fine small world"  
So we went down to the village  
And we'd been walking hand in hand  
Admiring all the things I couldn't afford

We could go for a walk  
We could maybe stay in  
We could have a good talk  
But then again  
I'd love to just give you one small kiss  
Just a little one, ah go on!

Oh well, she brought me back to her place  
Just to drink a cup of tea  
She brought me in and made me feel at home  
It was a tiny room she lived in with another family  
But they were out and we were all alone

We could go for a walk  
We could maybe stay in  
We could have a good talk  
But then again  
I suppose we could get nice and toasty  
Watch some TV, see what happens, ah go on!

Well, I woke up on the sidewalk  
There was no one there at all  
She must have gone with Luka left behind  
And when I turned around to look for her  
She couldn't hear me call  
So the whole affair was only in me mind  
Ah ...

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