

## Blue Velvet Dress

Missy Higgins

Standing under the Sydney Harbour Bridge  
Wearing my blue velvet dress, peach on my lips  
Holding my black guitar like without it I might break  
That's the night everything changed

Feeling your eyes behind each lens  
Smiling so well no-one knows that it's pretend  
I'd painted over every red streak down my face  
That's the night everything changed

And I'm still stuck at New Years Eve 2021  
It's killing me  
Up there in my favourite blue velvet dress  
Singing to strangers, my heart in shreds

Cos nobody knew that I'd just lost you

But holding white knuckles to the past  
Like if I squeeze tight enough, it'll change it's path  
Living like I never stepped down from that stage  
Well, it's time something changed

Cos I've been stuck at New Years Eve 2021  
And it's killing me  
Still wearing that favourite blue velvet dress  
Singing to strangers, my heart in shreds

But I'm seeing it now like I couldn't before  
Blue velvet was the colour I wore

But I don't wanna wear this damn dress anymore  
I'm zipping it down, I'm taking it off  
I'm finding a new one, something sparkling and bright  
Something for the future and not for that night

Cos I'm seeing it now  
Like I couldn't before  
That blue velvet ain't my colour no more