Last Of The Great Romantics

Prefab Sprout

Here comes the last of the great romantics Faithful and true, believing in you Regardless of the things you do

Here comes the last of the great romantics Feet planted wide, defying the tide Come on Gatsby, stand aside

People see me walking down the street And I hear them saying 'here he comes' That boy makes a banquet from A table of crumbs...

He hears romantic music in Unanswered phones In the angry slamming of a door, And the girl that he's mad about Does not care any more

Here comes the last of the great romantics Defying the tide. Come on Gatsby, stand aside

Here comes the last of the great romantics Not foolish, not grand, taking a stand Out of touch? No, in command!

So people, never ridicule the lovesick fool Or say he's only carrying a torch In his hands it's a flamethrower And his judgement is scorched

Here comes the last of the great romantics Not tortured, not wracked. Illusions intact Undiscouraged by the facts

Here comes the last of the great romantics Feet planted wide, defying the tide Come on Gatsby, stand aside

Here comes the last of the great romantics