

Almost Famous

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Today's the day I was supposed to be famous
I was gonna have come so far
My face splashed all over the papers
I was gonna be a big, big star

I should be on your TVs right now
Staring back at you with endless charm
You should be watching me and wondering how
I stay so grounded and calm

Through all the madness that I see
There's so much sadness with these dreams

You know those people you get sick of seeing?
Well, that was gonna be me
Overexposing until I end up being
A kind of monster in your dreams

I had been planning all my intimate moments
To be uncovered on the ET news
This is a business of failing upwards
So you can never really lose

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So now I'm standing with the faceless people
And they have stripped my sheen
There's just enough of me left to measure
How big I could have been

If there's a hell it will be all these people
With nothing special to behold
They never tell you that you might need someone
Might need a hand to hold

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