Black Angel

Tom Robinson Band

Steve was a rebel and a boozer
The AC king of teenage cool
He was a clean-cut calculating cruiser
Broke the heart of every kid in the school
Well I never had him figured for a loser
Till one morning no-one could foresee
He fell in love with a sweet black angel
In Brixton Market SE23

I've been in South Kent, Clapham and Cleveland I've been in love and I've been deceived But I've never been a sucker like Steven Who lost sight of everything he'd achieved Well he told me on the night he was leaving (Though I found it pretty hard to believe) You'll fall in love with the sweet black angel He said I had it coming to me

I've got a friend in Borstal
I've got a friend next door
I've got a friend in my own double bed
I've got a real friend in the law

I've got a friend in Jesus
But we're just good friends you see
'Cause I'm in love with the sweet black angel
I know he's coming after me

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