The Legend And The Man

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They all reach to touch him As he walks out on the stage They came to see the legend And to hear the legend sing

While the men sit there applauding Ladies love him with their eyes And he looks just like a legend should Up there in all those lights

But they don't know, after the show How fast the legend fades How he reaches for the bottle When guitars are put away

And the photograph of the love he had Fills his trembling hand
There's a lonely world of difference
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He's won all the shiny statues All the records pressed in gold But he lost what really matters What he really wanted most

And tonight in some big city
Lord, he'll drive the crowd insane
They'll feel the pleasure of his songs
But they won't feel his pain

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