Elephant

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This has got to die This has got to stop This has got to lie down Someone else on top

You can keep me pinned
It's easier to tease
But you can't paint an elephant
Quite as good as she

And she may cry like a baby And she may drive me Crazy 'Cause I am lately lonely

So why d'you have to lie?
I take it I'm your crutch
The pillow in your pillow case
It's easier to touch

And when you think you've sinned Do you fall upon your knees? And do you sit within your picture? Do you still forget the breeze?

And she may rise, if I sing you down And she may wisely cling to the ground Cause I'm lately horny So why would she take me horny?

What's the point of this song? Or even singing? You've already gone, why am I clinging? Well I could throw it out, and I could live without And I could do it all for you I could be strong Tell me if you want me to lie 'Cause this has got to die

This has got to stop
This has got to lie down, down
With someone else on top

You can both keep me pinned 'Cause it's easier to tease But you can't make me happy Quite as good as me

Well you know that's a lie