

## XTC "Merely A Man"

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Higher, I'm a king, yes, I'm a head of state  
But I'm the kitchen, boy who'll wash your dirty plate  
I had no message and the message was  
We're all Jesus, Buddha and the Wizard of Oz

I'm merely a man and I bring nothing but love for you  
I'm merely a man and I want nothing that you can't do

And you know it's true that with logic  
And love we'll be lifting humanity higher, higher

I'm all religious figures rolled into one  
Gaddafi Duck propelled from Jimmy Swaggart's  
tommy gun  
Don't promise rainbows with some golden pot  
In fact what I can offer, I know you've already got

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I'm merely a man and I want nothing that you can't do

And you know it's true that with logic  
And love we'll have power enough  
To raise consciousness up  
And for lifting humanity higher, higher

And you know it's true, we should chase superstition  
And fear from our hearts if we're going to survive  
And take levels of sanity higher, kick it up, higher

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