

## David Byrne "Smile"

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Smile when tears are falling from your eyes  
Smile like windows of the shops at night

Here - everything is as it seems  
All - the tables & the chairs seem real  
Here - paintings on the walls  
Somehow make it all so strange

So smile - to brighten up the darkest day  
Your smile - like icing on a birthday cake

Lovers - floating in a paradise  
Blue - lights flicker from a room at night  
I'm happy just to be just like one of these who smile

How we sang  
How we loved  
How we were  
& How we was  
We're not afraid anymore

I'm scared of you  
I'm scared of me  
But scary things  
Will set me free  
I'm not afraid anymore

So smile - when nothing seems to go your way  
Smiles - to take away our thoughts & cares  
Blue - like blood returning to my heart  
Fingers, Hands and every tiny part  
Every kid in every school  
Knows all you've got to do is - smile

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