

## **Flatlanders**

# **"Down In The Light Of The Melon Moon"**

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Woody walked out of the cotton field  
In his head he had words that his lips concealed  
And an old airstrip where the weeds are growin'  
To a burned out bomber with the cockpit glowin'  
With the key from a room to the Skyview Motel  
He scratched words in the wing as a falling star fell

The moon sees you, the moon sees me  
The moon sees who I want to see  
I'll see you soon  
Down in the light of the melon moon  
Down in the light of the melon moon

On the other side of town and another side of life  
Down in the light of the melon moon  
Stella holds her breath and stares at the knife  
Down in the light of the melon moon  
She looks to the sky at the flash of a star  
Down in the light of the melon moon

And just sees a man and a plane and a war  
Down in the light of the melon moon  
From a drawer by the bed she opens a book  
Down in the light of the melon moon  
To a sketch on a napkin that's torn half in two

The moon sees you, the moon sees me  
The moon sees who I want to see  
I'll see you soon  
Down in the light of the melon moon  
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She doesn't feel lucky, she doesn't feel lost  
Down in the light of the melon moon  
She just feels like leavin', what ever the cost  
Down in the light of the melon moon  
Past the Skyview Motel with a man on her mind  
Down in the light of the melon moon

Half her life in the headlights the other half behind  
Down in the light of the melon moon  
Passed a military truck by a cemetery wall

Down in the light of the melon moon  
I guess good luck is better than no luck at all

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The moon sees who I want to see  
I'll see you soon

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