

Jeannie C. Riley **"Games People Play"**

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Oh, the games people, now every night and every day
now

Never meanin' what they say, now, never sayin' what
they mean

Oh, they wile away the hours in their ivory towers
'Till they're covered up with flowers in the back of a
black limousine

Lotten, da, la, da, da, da

Lotten, da, la, da, da, da, dee

Talkin' 'bout you and me and the games people play

And we make one another cry, break a heart then we
say goodbye

Cross our hearts and we hope to die that the other
one's to blame

Neither one will ever give in, though we gaze at an
eight by ten

Thinkin' 'bout the things that might have been and it's a
dirty rotten shame

Lotten, da, la, da, da, da

People walkin' up to ya, singing glory hallelujah

And they're tryin' to sock it to ya in the name of the
Lord

They're gonna teach you how to meditate

Read your horoscope and cheat your fate

And furthermore to hell with hate, come on and get on
board

Lotten, da, la, da, da, da

Look around and tell me what you see, what's
happened to you and me?

God grant me the serenity to remember who I am

'Cause you've given up your sanity for your pride and
your vanity

Turn your back on humanity and you don't give a lot

Lotten, da, la, da, da, da

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