## The New Pornographers "Ballad Of A Comeback Kid"

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High five, look up, look alive,

As the scions of history guess another mystery Wrong (x3)

Recite your lines, and I'll quote scriptures Everything, was fine until membership lost it's privileges

Everyone in town, wanted to be around you This went on for awhile until they finally found you

Ever so careful, on the strip we cruise, crippled in someone else's shoes

Who knew? Mind you, I never had to stand, in line you did, for the ballad of a comeback kid

Watch your step as you step down from the podium, returned from the war to a hero's welcome, what's more you just had to win

Blazing new trails, waving goodbye to the audience, held captive, the crowd was inactive, it made such perfect sense

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But you won't, Kelly says she could've (x2)

Like a bat out of hell, time has come for you(x3)

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