

## Al Stewart

### "Lindy comes to town"

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Lindy flew his plane across the dark Atlantic  
Put her down near Paris and the crowds went frantic  
They raced across the field, to touch the wings and  
wheels  
And reach inside the cockpit just to see if he was real

Back in New York City people watched and waited  
The news came down the wire and they celebrated  
And in that time so brief, it was everyone's belief  
That the world had grown no bigger than a pocket  
handkerchief

When Lindy comes to town and all the bands are  
playing  
When Lindy comes to town and all the flags are waving  
Mr Coolidge he will say, it's a public holiday  
You can see them ride down Wall Street in a tickertape  
parade

I want to be there in that crown upon that bright, bright  
morning  
And I can tell the world I saw a new day dawning  
With my baby by my side in among that human tide  
I want to be right there when Lindy comes to town

Every day is better than the one before it  
If I see a raincloud then I'll just ignore it  
Everybody says it'll get much better yet  
It's 1927 and my whole life lies ahead

Gonna get myself a car and find a place to park it  
Get a little cash and put it in the market  
And on my wedding day I will turn around and say  
There never was a better time than this one anyway

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