

## Stephen Duffy "Mr. 20th Century Man"

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Come over to my garden, let's listen to the trees  
Swaying to the rhythm set up by the breeze  
I'd like to play you new songs that I wrote on my knees  
And if you'd like to live here then we can cut some keys

The clothes you wore, you had to change  
For you were getting bored  
In studied rags, do slip straps show  
Now you can't be ignored

Mister twentieth century man  
You don't have to pretend that everything won't end  
Mister twentieth century man  
Say goodbye to your shoes, turn off the news

Mister twentieth century man, it's over  
Who'll miss the twentieth century man?

Haven't I been lucky? I've been allowed to sing  
Fooled them when they bought me I didn't sell a thing  
I want to make you happy I want this song to bring  
All the love in this world the last tulips of spring

A way to live, a way to go  
These things I can not find  
But when I think I'm all played out  
A song will come to mind

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