

ARCHETYPAL HERO

C#m E B C#m A E G#
He will always make the grade --- he will never be afraid --- he's a personal crusade for liberty
A E G# C#m A B C#m
He's a cowboy with a gun --- a prisoner on the run --- and he's everything you wanted him to be

C#m E B C#m A E G#
He is brave and he is clever --- he'll conquer each endeavour --- and he's the silent man who never gives his name
A E G# C#m A B C#m
In a cape and a sombrero --- and a Spanish bandolero --- he's the archetypal hero just the same

A E
HE IS HOLLYWOOD'S IDEAL --- WITH EYES OF POLISHED STEEL
A E G#7
AND HE LOOKS SO VERY REAL IN EVERY FRAME
A E G#7 C#m A B C#m
IN A CAPE AND A SOMBRERO --- AND A SPANISH BANDOLERO --- HE'S THE ARCHETYPAL HERO JUST THE SAME

(INSTRUMENTAL VERSE)

C#m E B C#m A E G#
He's a master of deceit --- and a psychopathic cheat --- but there's no one who can beat him at his game
A E G# C#m A B C#m
As cruel as a pharaoh --- and as arrogant as Nero --- he's the archetypal hero just the same

A E
AND HE'S STANDING THERE SO BOLD --- SO CALM AND SELF-CONTROLLED
A E G#7
WHILE THE BLOOD IS RUNNING COLD WITHIN HIS VEINS
A E G#7 C#m A B C#m
AS CRUEL AS A PHARAOH --- AND AS ARROGANT AS NERO --- HE'S THE ARCHETYPAL HERO JUST THE SAME

(INSTRUMENTAL VERSE)

C#m E B C#m A E G#
He's always right on cue --- and he knows just what to do --- and he's never less than ruthless with his aim
A E G# C#m A B C#m
In Rio de Janeiro --- or at twenty below zero --- he's the archetypal hero just the same

A E
AND WE HUNGER JUST TO SEE HIM --- AND WE WISH THAT WE COULD BE HIM
A E G#7
WE WISH THAT WE WERE FREE TO BE SO VAIN
A E G#7 C#m A B C#m
IN RIO DE JANEIRO --- OR AT TWENTY BELOW ZERO --- HE'S THE ARCHETYPAL HERO JUST THE SAME