

# HOTLINE BENEFIT CONCERT

*Vincent*

*Starry starry night  
Paint your palette blue and grey  
Look out on a summer's day  
with eyes that know the darkness in my soul  
Shadows on the hills  
Sketch the trees and the daffodils  
Catch the breeze and the winter chills  
in colors on the snowy linen land  
And now I understand  
what you tried to say to me  
How you suffered for your sanity  
How you tried to set them free  
They would not listen they did not know how  
Perhaps they'll listen now*

*Starry starry night  
Flaming flow'rs that brightly blaze  
Swirling clouds in amber haze  
reflect in Vincent's eyes of china blue  
Colors changing hue  
Morning fields of amber grain  
Weathered faces lined in pain  
are soothed beneath the artist's loving hand  
And now I understand  
what you tried to say to me  
How you suffered for your sanity  
How you tried to set them free  
They would not listen they did not know how  
Perhaps they'll listen now  
For they could not love you  
But still your heart was true  
And when no hope was left in sight  
on that starry starry night  
You took your life as lovers often do  
But I could have told you Vincent  
This world was never meant for  
one as beautiful as you*

*Starry starry night  
Portraits hung in empty halls  
Frameless heads on nameless walls  
with eyes that watch the world  
and can't forget  
Like strangers that you've met  
The ragged men in ragged clothes  
The silver thorn on the bloody rose  
lie crushed and broken on the virgin snow  
And now I think I know  
what you tried to say to me  
How you suffered for your sanity  
How you tried to set them free  
They would not listen they're not listening still  
Perhaps they never will*

— Don McLean



Please join us in an evening with—

# DON MCLEAN

THURSDAY, MARCH 22  
WHITING AUDITORIUM, FLINT

1 Show: 8:00 p.m.

Tickets: \$7.50, \$6.50, \$5.50

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