

# Monarchy of Roses

## Red Hot Chili Peppers

The crimson tide is flowing through your fingers as you sleep  
The promise of a clean regime are promises we keep  
Do you like it rough I ask and are you on to task?  
The calicoes of pettibon where cultures come to clash  
Several of my best friends wear the  
colours of the crown  
And Mary wants to fill it up  
And Sherry wants to tear it all back down, girl  
The saviour of your light  
The monarchy of roses  
The monarchy of roses tonight  
The cloth between my former queen, her legendary stare  
The holy tears that I am in, the lovely cross to bear  
Several of my best friends know, the secrets of this town  
And Mary wants to raise it up  
And Sherry wants to spit it all around, girl  
The sailors of the night  
The monarchy of roses  
The monarchy of roses tonight  
Several of my best friends wear the colours of the crown  
And Mary wants to fill it up  
And Sherry wants to tear it all back down, girl  
The saviour of your light  
The monarchy of roses  
The monarchy of roses  
Hey yeah  
We all want the rose you know  
I said  
Hey yeah  
Show us love before you go  
Say I will, and then I'll say I want to  
The story of love that I will never taunt you  
Hey yeah  
We all want the rose you know  
I said  
Hey yeah  
Show us love before you go  
Say I will, and then I'll say I want to  
The story of love that I will always want you  
Hey