

## » 99 red balloons

You and I in a little toy shop  
Buy a bag of balloons  
With the money we've got  
Set them free at the break of dawn  
'Til one by one, they were gone  
Back at base, bugs in the software  
Flash the message  
"Something's out there"  
Floating in the summer sky  
99 red balloons go by

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Floating in the summer sky  
Panic bells, it's red alert  
There's something here  
From somewhere else  
The war machine springs to life  
Opens up one eager eye  
Focusing it on the sky  
Where 99 red balloons go by

99 Decision Street  
99 ministers meet  
To worry, worry, super-scurry  
Call the troops out in a hurry  
This is what we've waited for  
This is it boys, this is war  
The president is on the line  
As 99 red balloons go by

99 Knights of the airway  
Ride super-high-tech jet fighters  
Everyone's a Silverhero  
Everyone's a Captain Kirk  
With orders to identify  
To clarify and classify  
Scramble in the summer sky  
As 99 red balloons go by

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99 dreams I have had  
In every one a red balloon  
It's all over and I'm standin' pretty  
In this dust that was a city  
If I could find a souvenir  
Just to prove the world was here  
And here is a red balloon  
I think of you and let it go