

Celluloid Heros by The Kinks (1972) in D

Intro D

D **A** **G** **D**
Everybody's a dreamer, and everybody's a star
F#m **Bm** **G** **A**
And everybody's in movies, it doesn't matter who you are
Bm **F#m** **G** **A**
There are stars in every city, in every house and every street
D7 **G** **A** **D**
And when you walk down Hollywood Boulevard their names are written in concrete
D **A** **G** **D**
Don't step on Greta Garbo when you walk down the Boulevard
F#m **Bm** **G** **A**
She looks so weak and fragile, that's why she tried to be so hard
Bm **F#m** **G** **A**
But they turned her into a princess and they sat her on a throne
D7 **G** **A** **D**
But she turned her back on stardom because she wanted to be alone
C **G** **D**
You can see all the stars as you walk down Hollywood Boulevard
C **G** **D**
Some that you recognize, some you never even heard of
C **G** **D**
People who worked and suffered and struggled for fame
C **G** **D**
Some who succeeded and some who suffered in vain
D **A** **G** **D**
Rudolf Valentino looks so very much alive
F#m **Bm** **G** **A**
As he looks up ladies dresses as they sadly pass him by
Bm **F#m** **G** **A**
Avoid stepping on Bela Lugosi cause he's liable to turn and bite
D7 **G** **A** **D**
But stand close to Bette Davis because hers was such a lonely life
D **A** **G** **D**
If you covered him in garbage George Sanders would still have style
F#m **Bm** **G** **A**
And if you stamped on Mickey Rooney he'd still turn around and smile
Bm **F#m** **G** **A**
But please don't tread on dearest Marilyn, cause she's not very tough
D7 **G** **A** **D**
She should have been made of iron and steel, but she was only flesh and blood

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C G D
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C G D
 People who worked and suffered and struggled for fame
C G D
 Some who succeeded and some who suffered in vain
D A G D
 Everybody's a dreamer, and everybody's a star
F#m Bm G A
 And everybody's in show biz, it doesn't matter who you are
Bm F#m G A
 And those that are successful be always on your guard
D7 G A D
 Success walks hand and hand with failure along Hollywood Boulevard
C G D (throw in a Dsus4)
 I wish my life was a nonstop Hollywood movie show,
C G D
 a fantasy world of celluloid villains and heroes
C G D C G D
 Because Celluloid heroes never feel any pain, and Celluloid Heros never really die

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C G D
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C G D
 People who worked and suffered and struggled for fame
C G D
 Some who succeeded and some who suffered in vain
C G D 2X
 La la la la La la la la
 La la la la La la la la

C G D C G D
 Oh Celluloid heroes never feel any pain, and Celluloid Heros never really die
C G D (throw in a Dsus4)
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 a fantasy world of celluloid villains and heroes
C G D C G D D*
 Because Celluloid heroes never feel any pain, and Celluloid Heros never really die.....