

## Cowboys and Astronauts

What were your favourite toys?  
I never had the choice  
Tied up and waiting to be saved  
I played the Indian squaw  
You stayed outside the law  
And imagined yourself being brave

You filled your frontier fort  
With cowboys and astronauts  
And left me outside while you played  
Your mum gave you such what for  
Wounded and saddle sore  
You finally came to my aid

You and I kissed first time  
In the meadows where we once played  
The sun turned shy in the evening sky  
And cast long shadows where we lay  
Mmmm-mmmm-mmmm, long shadows where we lay

The night that Dodge City called  
Your family were so appalled  
And everything was thrown in the air  
The stars burnt like tiny flames  
I tried to learn all their names  
You were too long at the fair

Now you and I will rest our eyes  
On soft pillows, home at last  
And put aside what may arise  
In long shadows from the past  
Mmmm-mmmm-mmmm, long shadows from the past

Boys and girls come out to play  
The moon does shine as bright as day

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