

Wicked Medley

The Wizard and I

When I meet the Wizard
Once I prove my worth
And then I meet the Wizard
What I've waited for since, since birth
And with all his Wizard wisdom
By my looks, he shan't be blinded
Do you think the Wizard is dumb?
Or like Munchkins, so small-minded?
No, he'll say to me, "I see who you truly are,"
A girl on whom I can rely
And that's how we'll begin
The Wizard and I

Once I'm with the Wizard
My whole life will change
Once you're with the Wizard
No one thinks you're strange
No father is not proud of you
No sister acts ashamed
And all of Oz has to love you
When by the Wizard, you're acclaimed
And this gift or this curse
I have inside
Maybe at last, I'll know why
When we are hand in hand
The Wizard and I

And one day, he'll say to me, "Elphaba,
A girl who is so superior
Shouldn't a girl, who's so good inside
Have a matching exterior?
And since folks here, to an absurd degree
Seem fixated on your verdigris,
Would it be all right by you
If I de-greenify you?"

Popular

You Will Be.....

Popular!

You're gonna be popular!

I'll teach you the proper ploys

When you talk to boys

Little ways to flirt and flounce

Ooh!

I'll show you what shoes to wear!

How to fix your hair!

Everything that really counts to be

Popular!

I'll help you be popular!

You'll hang with the right cohorts

You'll be good at sports

Know the slang you've got to know

So let's start

'Cause you've got an awfully long way to go!

Don't be offended by my frank analysis

Think of it as personality dialysis

Now that I've chosen to become a

Pal, a sister and advisor

There's nobody wiser!

Not when it comes to

Popular!

I know about popular

And with an assist from me

To be who you'll be

Instead of dreary who you were

Well, are

There's nothing that can stop you

From becoming popu-ler... lar

La la, la la!

We're gonna make you pop-you-lar!

When I see depressing creatures
With unprepossessing features
I remind them on their own behalf
To think of
Celebrated heads of state
Or specially great communicators!
Did they have brains or knowledge?
Don't make me laugh!

They were popular!
Please!
It's all about popular
It's not about aptitude
It's the way you're viewed
So it's very shrewd to be
Very very popular
Like me!

Defying Gravity

Something has changed within me
Something is not the same
I'm through with playing by the rules of someone else's game
Too late for second-guessing
Too late to go back to sleep
It's time to trust my instincts, close my eyes and leap

It's time to try defying gravity
I think I'll try defying gravity
And you can't pull me down

Can't I make you understand
You're having delusions of grandeur?

I'm through accepting limits
'Cause someone says they're so
Some things I cannot change, but 'til I try, I'll never know
Too long I've been afraid of
Losing love, I guess I've lost
Well, if that's love, it comes at much too high a cost

I'd sooner buy defying gravity
Kiss me goodbye, I'm defying gravity
And you can't pull me down

So if you care to find me
Look to the western sky
As someone told me lately, "Everyone deserves the chance to fly"
And if I'm flying solo
At least I'm flying free
To those who ground me, take a message back from me

Tell them how I am defying gravity
I'm flying high, defying gravity
And soon, I'll match them in renown
And nobody in all of Oz
No wizard that there is or was
Is ever gonna bring me down
Bring me down!
Oh!