

BREAKING NEWS
Beginning of Act II
GRINGOIRE'S song to Parisians

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(VERSE 1)

Don't you deny it I know you're wondering.
Whatever happened to that Gypsy girl?
Gather around. I know you've been pondering.
I got the scoop'll make your head just swirl.

(VERSE 2)

As you remember the day was a gloomy one.
Everyone gathered and the mood was loose.
There she was the beautiful Ingénue.
Seconds away from the hangman's noose.

(B SECTION)

If you want to hear more and more of the tragic details,
Then you'll have to consider my time.
I'll be happy to trade you some good information.
For a mademoiselle in her prime.

(VERSE 3)

All I recall there was a man of mystery
Swinging straight down from Heaven above.
I can tell you now, heroes in history
Are known for risking their life for love.

(B SECTION)

That's my story and I can verify every word to be true.
Rest assured that she's happier now than when she lived here with you.