

# Jens Lekman, A Man Walks Into A Bar

A man walks into a bar  
Orders a beer and a bowl of peanuts  
But the bar turns into a spaceship  
And the bartender gives him a hair cut  
I cant remember the end of that joke  
You once told it to me when we smoked  
On your father's expensive cigars  
All i remember is the part of a man walking into a bar

How many lovers does it take  
To put a light bulb into a socket?  
Why did Mona Lisa smile?  
I have the answer written down in my pocket.  
I just remember I laughed till i cried  
Because you told it with your funny voice  
Your southern dialect makes me rejoice  
Those special times we had  
When love was just a silly gag

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Da Vinci must have been a really funny guy  
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Summer night on a gravel road  
You told me about your childhood friend Veronica  
Who was claimed to have swallowed a toad  
And I picked up my harmonica

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A man walks into a bar  
Orders a scotch and a bottle of coke  
But the laughter is gone in his heart  
You never told me the end of the joke.