Jimmy Buffett, Lage Nom Ai

Nordstrom was a simple man Who had some non-conformist plan To save his ass

Every night he danced alone And blotted out the monotone That was his past

He packs his bag of mysteries And leaves the lonely memories Where they belong

They came and went so easily This rising tide identity Sings like a song Let's sing

Lage Nom Ai Nom Ai When you know that life is just a game Lage Nom Ai Nom Ai (Oh!) He's the man who gave up his own name

In the roll of the cosmic dice You win one heart and lose it twice Before you know

Love is fine until you taste This melancholy bouillabaisse Called letting go

Lage Nom Ai Nom Ai When you know that life is just a game Lage Nom Ai Nom Ai (Hey!) He's the man who gave up his own name

He moved on up to old Beantown And summered on the Vineyard Sound To pass the day (day ay ay oh)

Island hopping Crab Key bound Tendin' bar he thinks he's found A better way (ay ay ay oh)

Now we're back where we belong Without a clue and still without A master plan (ay ay ay oh)

Incident or accident
It all depends on if you're meant
To understand (ay ay ay oh)

Lage Nom Ai Nom Ai
When you know that life is just a game
Lage Nom Ai Nom Ai
He's the man who gave up his own name
He's the man who gave up his own name

[Spoken:] eah, 'ol Nordstrom's gone. Checked out. Readin' the wrong kind of books...listenin' to that wild Caribbean music. He wiped himself out of his own computer. He's the man who gave up his own name. He's gone.