

# Diamonds Are A Girl's Best Friend

*Marilyn Monroe*

*<optional, might be just piano instrumental intro>*

The French are glad to die for love  
They delight in fighting duels  
But I prefer a man who lives  
And gives expensive jewels...

**All:** A kiss on the hand may be quite continental  
But diamonds are a girl's best friend  
A kiss may be grand, but it won't pay the rental  
On your humble flat  
Or help you at the automat

Men grow cold, as girls grow old  
And we all lose our charms in the end  
But square-cut or pear-shaped  
These rocks don't lose their shape  
Diamonds are a girl's best friend

*<Optional – spoken loudly>*

(Tiffany's! Cartier! Black Starr! Frost Gorham!  
Talk to me Harry Winston  
Tell me all about it!)

There may come a time when a lass needs a lawyer  
But diamonds are a girl's best friend  
There may come a time when a hard-boiled employer  
Thinks you're awful nice  
But get that ice or else no dice

He's your guy, when stocks are high  
But beware when they start to descend  
It's then that those louses  
Go back to their spouses  
Diamonds are a girl's best friend!

*<half tempo, big finish>*

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