[[Verse 1]](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics%22%20%5Cl%20%22note-2138422)
[I heard you on the wireless back in '52
Lying awake, intent at tuning in on you
If I was young it didn't stop you coming through](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-2172471)

[Oh-a oh](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-4496316)

[They took the credit for your second symphony
Rewritten by machine on new technology
And now I understand the problems you can see](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-2493502)

[Pre-Chorus 1]
Oh-a oh
[I met your children](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-2497216)
Oh-a oh
[What did you tell them?](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-2711575)

[Chorus 1]
[Video killed the radio star
Video killed the radio star](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-2172475)
[Pictures came and broke your heart](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-2472329)
Oh-a-a-a oh

[Verse 2]
[And now we meet in an abandoned studio
We hear the playback and it seems so long ago
And you remember the jingles used to go](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-2172468)

[Pre-Chorus 2]
[Oh-a oh
You were the first one
Oh-a oh
You were the last one](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-5132953)

[Chorus 2]
Video killed the radio star
Video killed the radio star
[In my mind and in my car
We can't rewind we've gone too far](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-6733007)

Oh-a-a-oh oh
Oh-a-a-oh oh

[Chorus 3]
Video killed the radio star
Video killed the radio star
In my mind and in my car
We can't rewind we've gone to far
Pictures came and broke your heart
[Put the blame on](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-13092810) [VTR](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-2172483)

[Bridge]
[You are a radio star
You are a radio star](https://genius.com/Buggles-video-killed-the-radio-star-lyrics#note-3372097)