

Skateaway

Dire Straits

Intro: Eb G# C# Eb G# C# G#
Eb G# C# Eb G# C# G#

Eb G#
I seen a girl on a one-way corridor
C# Eb G# C#6 G#
Stealing down a wrong way street
Eb G# C#
For all the world like an urban toreador
Eb G# C#
She had the wheels on - on her feet
G# Eb C#
Well the cars do the usual dances
Eb G# C#6
Same old cruise and the kerbside crawl
G# Eb G# C#
But the rollergirl she s taking chances
Eb G# C# G#
They just love to see her take them all

Bb G#
No fears alone at night
Fm/B G#
She s sailing through the crowd
Bb C#
In her ears the phones are so tight
G# Bb Eb/G Bb
And the music s playing loud

Eb G#
Hallelujah
C# Eb G# C#6 G#
Here she comes queen rollerball
Eb C#
Enchante what can I say
Eb G# C#
I don t care at all
G# Eb G# C#
You know she used to have to wait around
Eb G# C#6 G#
She used to be the lonely one
Eb G# C#
But now that she can skate around the town
Eb G# C# G#
She s the only one only one

Bb G#

No fears alone at night

Fm/B

G#

She s sailing through the crowd

Bb

C#

In her ears the phones are so tight

C#

Eb

And the music s playing loud

C#

Eb

G#sus4 G#

G#sus4

She get s rock n roll

G#

G#

Cm7

G#/D

A rock n roll station

Fm

Fm/D G#/B

And a rock n roll dream

C#

G#/B

She s making movies

Bbm

G#/D

On location

G#

Eb

She don t know what it means

G#

G#/B

But the music make her wanna be the story

Eb

Fm

And the story was whatever was the song what it was

C#

G#/B

Rollergirl

Bbm

Don t worry

G#/D

Eb7

D.J. play the movies

Fm

Fm/D

C#

All night long

G#

All night long

G# C#

She tortures taxi drivers just for fun

Eb

G# C#6 G#

She like to read their lips

Eb

G# C#

Says: Toro, toro, taxi - see ya tomorrow my son

Eb

G# C#6

G#

She just let a big truck graze her hip

Eb

G# C#

She got her own world in the city - yeah!

Eb

G# C#6

G#

you can t intrude on her, no - no, no

Eb

G# C#

She got her own world in the city

Eb

G# C#6

G#

Cos the city s bein so rude to her

Bb **G#**
 No fears alone at night
Fm/B **G#**
 She s sailing through the crowd
Bb **C#**
 In her ears the phones are so tight
C# **Eb**
 And the music s playing loud

C# **Eb** **G#sus4** **G#** **G#sus4**
 She get s rock n roll
G# **G#** **Cm7** **G#/D**
 A rock n roll station
Fm **Fm/D** **G#/B**
 And a rock n roll dream
C# **G#/B**
 She s making movies
Bbm **G#/D**
 On location
G# **Eb**
 She don t know what it means

G# **G#/B**
 But the music make her wanna be the story
Eb **Fm**
 And the story was whatever was the song what it was
C# **G#/B**
 Rollergirl
Bbm
 Don t worry
G#/D **Eb7**
 D.J. play the movies
Fm **Fm/D** **C#**
 All night long
G#
 All night long

C#
 Slippin and a-slidin
Eb **G#** **C#6** **G#**
 Yeah, life s a roller ball
Eb **G#** **C#**
 Slippin and a-slidin
Eb **G#** **C#6** **G#** **Eb** **G#** **C#**
 Skateaway - that s all

Eb **G#** **C#6** **G#**
 Skateaway
Eb **G#** **C#** **Eb** **G#** **C#6** **G#**
 Shala shalay, hey hey, skateaway
Eb **G#** **C#** **Eb** **G#** **C#6** **G#**
 Now shala shalay, skateaway
Eb **G#** **C#**

She s singin shala shalay, hey hey

Eb G# C#6 G#

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