

Skateaway

Dire Straits

Intro: C# F# B C# F# B F#  
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C# F#  
I seen a girl on a one-way corridor  
B C# F# B6 F#  
Stealing down a wrong way street  
C# F# B  
For all the world like an urban toreador  
C# F# B  
She had the wheels on - on her feet  
F# C# B  
Well the cars do the usual dances  
C# F# B6  
Same old cruise and the kerbside crawl  
F# C# F# B  
But the rollergirl she s taking chances  
C# F# B F#  
They just love to see her take them all

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

C# F#  
Hallelujah  
B C# F# B6 F#  
Here she comes queen rollerball  
C# B  
Enchante what can I say  
C# F# B  
I don t care at all  
F# C# F# B  
You know she used to have to wait around  
C# F# B6 F#  
She used to be the lonely one  
C# F# B  
But now that she can skate around the town  
C# F# B F#  
She s the only one only one

G# F#

No fears alone at night

**Ebm/B** **F#**

She s sailing through the crowd

**G#** **B**

In her ears the phones are so tight

**B** **C#**

And the music s playing loud

**B** **C#** **F#sus4** **F#** **F#sus4**

She get s rock n roll

**F#** **F#** **Bbm7** **F#/D**

A rock n roll station

**Ebm** **Ebm/D** **F#/B**

And a rock n roll dream

**B** **F#/B**

She s making movies

**G#m** **F#/D**

On location

**F#** **C#**

She don t know what it means

**F#** **F#/B**

But the music make her wanna be the story

**C#** **Ebm**

And the story was whatever was the song what it was

**B** **F#/B**

Rollergirl

**G#m**

Don t worry

**F#/D** **C#7**

D.J. play the movies

**Ebm** **Ebm/D** **B**

All night long

**F#**

All night long

**F#** **B**

She tortures taxi drivers just for fun

**C#** **F#** **B6** **F#**

She like to read their lips

**C#** **F#** **B**

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

**C#** **F#** **B6** **F#**

She just let a big truck graze her hip

**C#** **F#** **B**

She got her own world in the city - yeah!

**C#** **F#** **B6** **F#**

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

**C#** **F#** **B**

She got her own world in the city

**C#** **F#** **B6** **F#**

Cos the city s bein so rude to her

**G# F#**  
 No fears alone at night  
     **Ebm/B F#**  
 She s sailing through the crowd  
**G# B**  
 In her ears the phones are so tight  
     **B C#**  
 And the music s playing loud  
  
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 She get s rock n roll  
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 A rock n roll station  
**Ebm Ebm/D F#/B**  
 And a rock n roll dream  
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 She s making movies  
**G#m F#/D**  
 On location  
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 She don t know what it means  
  
     **F# F#/B**  
 But the music make her wanna be the story  
**C# Ebm**  
 And the story was whatever was the song what it was  
**B F#/B**  
 Rollergirl  
**G#m**  
 Don t worry  
**F#/D C#7**  
 D.J. play the movies  
**Ebm Ebm/D B**  
 All night long  
     **F#**  
 All night long  
  
**B**  
 Slippin and a-slidin  
**C# F# B6 F#**  
 Yeah, life s a roller ball  
**C# F# B**  
 Slippin and a-slidin  
**C# F# B6 F# C# F# B**  
 Skateaway - that s all  
  
**C# F# B6 F#**  
 Skateaway  
**C# F# B C# F# B6 F#**  
 Shala shalay, hey hey, skateaway  
**C# F# B C# F# B6 F#**  
 Now shala shalay, skateaway  
     **C# F# B**

She s singin shala shalay, hey hey

**C# F# B6 F#**

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