

Slit Skirts

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Please tell me if I did this right and made life easy for you guys.
There are many people all over the world who appreciate what you do
and I for one would like to help whenever possible..

SLIT SKIRTS

INTRO:

Bbm / / / | / / / / | / / / / | / / / / ||

VERSE I:

I was just thirty-four years old and I was still

Bbm

Wandering in a haze

Absus4 **Ab**

I was wondering why everyone I met seemed like they were

F#sus4 **F#**

Lost in a maze

Ebsus4 **Eb**

I don t know why I thought I should have some kind of

Bbm

Divine right to the blues

Absus4 **Ab**

It s sympathy not tears people need when they re the

F#sus4 **F#**

Front Page sad news.

Ebsus4 **Eb**

The incense burned away and the

Bb(add2)

Stench began to rise

Ebmaj7

And lovers now estranged avoided

Bb(add2)

Catching each others eyes

Ebmaj7

PRE-CHORUS I:

And girls who lost their children cursed the

Fmaj7 **Cmaj7**

Men who fit the coil

Fmaj7 **Cmaj7**

And men not fit for marriage took their

Fmaj7 **Cmaj7**

Refuge in the oil

Fmaj7 **Cmaj7**

No-one respects the flame quite like the

Gmaj7 **Dmaj7**

Fool who s badly burned

Gmaj7 **Dmaj7**

>From all this you d imagine that there

Gmaj7 **Dmaj7**

Must be something learned . . .

C11

CHORUS I

Slit skirts, Jeanie isn t wearing those

C

Slit skirts, and I don t ever wear no

F(add2)

Ripped shirts, can t pretend that growing older

Am7

Never hurts.

Bb(add2)

Knee-pants, Jeanie never wears those

C

Knee-pants, have to be so drunk to try a

F(add2)

New dance, so afraid of every little

Am7

Romance . . .

Bb(add2)

Slit skirts, slit skirts, Jeanie isn t wearing those

D

Slit skirts, slit skirts, she wouldn t dare in those

Bm

Slit skirts, slit skirts, wouldn t be seen dead in those

Gmaj7

Slit skirts

C11

Romance, romance, why aren t we thinking up

D

Romance? Why can t we drink it up

Bm

True-heart romance, just need a brief new little

Gmaj7

Romance . . .

C11

VERSE II

Let me tell you some more about myself, you know I m sitting at home
just now.

The big events of the day have passed and the late TV shows have come
on.

I m number one on the home team, but I still feel unfulfilled. A

silent voice
in a broken heart complains that I m unskilled. And I know that when
she
thinks of me, she thinks of me as him, but unlike me she don t workout
her
frustrations in the gym.

Recriminations fester and the past can never change, a woman s
expectations
run from both ends of the range.

Once she walked with untamed lovers face between her legs,
Now he s cooled and stifled and it s she who has to beg...

[Repeat VERSE I, PRE-CHORUS I & CHORUS I]

FADE

[Repeat last four lines of CHORUS I]

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