

Watching TV
Roger Waters

INTRO:

****D **Ddim5**
(repeat as necessary)

	G		Em7
We were watching TV,		Watching TV	
	G		Em7
We were watching TV,		Watching TV	

Cadd9 A7
Cadd9 A7
Cadd9 C/B A7 D

	G		Em7
In Tiananmen Square,		Lost my baby there	
	G		Em7
My yellow rose,		In her bloodstained clothes	
	Cadd9 A7		
She was a short order pastry chef			
	Cadd9 A7		
In a Dim Sum dive on the Yangtze tideway			
	Cadd9 G/B		
She had shiny hair			
	A7 D		
She was the daughter of an engineer			
	G		Em7
Won t you shed a tear,		For my yellow rose	
	G		Em7
My yellow rose,		In her bloodstained clothes	
	Cadd9 A7		
She had perfect breasts, She had high hopes			
	Cadd9 A7		
She had almond eyes,		She had yellow thighs	
	C C/B A7 D		
She was a student of philosophy			
	G G/F# Em7		
Won t you grieve with me, for my yellow rose,			
	G G/F# Em7 D		
Shed a tear,		For her bloodstained clothes	
	G G/F# Em7		
She had shiny hair,		She had perfect breasts	
	Cadd9 C/B A7 D		
She had high hopes,		She had almond eyes	
	G G/F#		
She had yellow thighs			
	Em7 D		

She was the daughter of an engineer

G

C

So get out your pistols, Get out your stones

G

C

Get out your knives, Cut them to the bone

G

G/F#

Em7

They are the lackeys of the grocer's machine

G

C

They built the dark satanic mills

G

C

That manufacture hell on earth

G

G/F#

Em7

They bought the front row seats on Calvary

C

D

They are irrelevant to me

****D**

****Ddim5**

And I grieve for my sister

People of China

Do not forget do not forget

The children who died for you

Long live the Republic

Did we do anything after this

I've a feeling we did

G

Em7

We were watching TV, Watching TV

G

Em7

We were watching TV, Watching TV

Cadd9

A7

She wore a white bandanna that said Freedom now

Cadd9

She thought the Great Wall of China

A7

Would come tumbling down

G

G/F#

She was a student

Em7

D

Her father was an engineer

G

Em7

Won't you shed a tear, For my yellow rose

G

Em7

My yellow rose, In her bloodstained clothes

Cadd9

A7

Her grandpa fought old Chiang Kai-shek

Cadd9

A7

That no-good low-down dirty rat

C

C/B

Who used to order his troops

A7

D

To fire on the women and children

Imagine that imagine that

G **Em7**

And in the spring of 48

G **Em7**

Mao Tse-tung got quite irate

G **G/F#** **Em7**

And he kicked that old dictator Chiang

D

Out of the state of China

G **Em7**

Chiang Kai-shek came down in Formosa

G **A7**

And they armed the island of Quemoy

G

And the shells were flying across the China Sea

Em7 **C** **C/B** **A7** **D**

And they turned Formosa into a shoe factory called Taiwan

G **Cadd9**

And she is different from Cro-Magnon man

G **Cadd9**

She s different from Anne Boleyn

G **G/F#** **Em7**

She is different from the Rosenbergs

D

And from the unknown Jew

G **Cadd9** **G**

She is different from the unknown Nicaraguan

Cadd9 **G** **G/F#**

Half superstar half victim

Em7 **Cadd9** **D**

She s a victor star conceptually new

G **Cadd9**

And she is different from the Dodo

G **Cadd9**

And from the Kankanbono

G **G/F#** **Em7**

She is different from the Aztec

D

And from the Cherokee

G **Cadd9**

She s everybody s sister

G **Cadd9**

She s symbolic of our failure

G **G/F#** **Em7**

She s the one in fifty million

Cadd9 **D**

Who can help us to be free

G

Because she died on TV