

**Christlike  
The Roches**

[Intro]

**F C F C**

[Verse]

**F C F C**  
He wants to be Christlike, never be jealous

**F C F C**  
So he lets her go on about the other fellas

**Cm7 F Bb Gm7**  
But the animal in him awakes with a growl

**Em A7 D**  
And a skin em cannibal scowl

**Dm G F C F C Em**  
Skin em cannibal scowl\_\_\_

[Verse]

**G C G C**  
And a swing from the trees with his teeth like a chainsaw

**Am D7 Gm Bb**  
Come near me I ll rake off your face with one paw\_\_\_

**Eb Bb**  
Watch me now, I m beating my chest like a robber

**Gm Dm D7 C D7 G C D7 G**  
Who steals from my meat as I rend and slobber

[Verse]

**F C F C**  
He sits in the plaza in tunic and sandals

**F C F C**  
Watching her bent over buying the candles

**Cm7 F Bb Gm7**  
And he thinks he d like to take her from behind

**Em A7 D**  
Would the Scribes and the Pharisees mind?

**Dm G F C F C Em**  
Scribes and the Pharisees mind\_\_\_

[Verse]

**G C G C**  
A woman approached me all bent and repentant

**Am D7 Gm Bb**  
I blessed her and sent her wherever she went\_\_\_

**Eb Bb**  
Will these followers ever stop dogging me now

**Gm Dm D7 C D7 G C D7 G**  
That I ve thrown off this stone and got loose somehow?

[Verse]

**F C F C**  
A life that you try to put into a grave  
**F C F C**  
Comes back every Easter to haunt you and save  
**Cm7 F Bb Gm7**  
But my nature is wounded and bloodied and hung  
**Em A7 D**  
From a cross for my sins and the sins of everyone  
**Dm G F C F C Em**  
Oh, those sins of everyone\_\_\_

[Verse]

**G C G C**  
I m jealous, goddamn it, I m Christ and I m jealous  
**Am D7 Gm Bb**  
And angry and sad and, oh father, please tell us  
**Eb Bb**  
I m human and god and I m animal too  
**Gm Dm D7 C**  
As I listen to her going on about you

[Outro]

**C D7 G C D7 G C D7 G C**