²"Walk On The Wild Side"

(Lou Reed)

Intro [two basses; 4X]:

C F C

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I [electric] -9-----------9slide14---------17slide9---|

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II [acoustic] -8-----------8slide1-----------1slide8---|

Verse 1:

C F

Holly came from Miami, FLA

C F

Hitchhiked her way across the USA

C / D

Plucked her eyebrows on the way

F / D

Shaved her legs and then he was a she

She says

C F

Hey babe, take a walk on the wild side

C F

Said hey honey, take a walk on the wild side

Verse 2:

Candy came from out on the island

In the backroom she was everybody's darling

But she never lost her head

Even when she was giving head

She says

Hey babe, take a walk on the wild side

Said hey, babe, take a walk on the wild side

And the colored girls go

C F [L.R. 2X; colored girls 2X]

Do do-do do-do do-do-do-do Do do-do do-do do-do-do-do

Dooo...

Verse 3:

Little Joe never once gave it away

Everybody had to pay and pay

A hustle here and a hustle there

New York City is the place where

They say

Hey babe, take a walk on the wild side

Said hey Joe, take a walk on the wild side

Verse 4:

Sugar Plum Fairy came and hit the streets

Looking for soul food and a place to eat

Went to the Apollo, you should have seen him go, go go

They said

Hey Sugar, take a walk on the wild side

I said hey babe, take a walk on the wild side

All right... huh

Verse 5:

Jackie is just speeding away

Thought she was James Dean for a day

Then I guess she had to crash

Valium would have helped that fast

She said

Hey babe, take a walk on the wild side

I said hey honey, take a walk on the wild side

And the colored girls say

C F [L.R. 2X; colored girls 4X]

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Dooo...