

Walk On The Wild Side

Words & Music:
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C F6 C F6

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Holly came from Miami, FLA; hitchhiked her way across the U.S.A.

C D F D
Plucked her eyebrows on the way, shaved her legs and then he was a she

CHORUS:

C F6
She said: "Hey babe, take a walk on the wild side."

C F6
Said, "Hey honey, take a walk on the wild side."

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.

CHORUS:

BRIDGE:

And the colored girls go:

C F6
Do-do-do, do, do-do-do. Do-do-do, do, do-do-do.

C F6 C
Do-do-do, do, do-do-do. Do-do-do, do, do-do-do. Dooooo...

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

CHORUS:

Sugar Plum Fairy came & hit the streets, looking for soul food & a place to eat.
Went to the Apollo, you should have seen him go, go go.

CHORUS:

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.

CHORUS:

BRIDGE:

[OUTRO: solo over C F6 vamp]