

Jersey Girl by Tom Waits

Intro: Play the single notes D F# A D F# A, A C# E A C# E etc.

Intro D Dsus4 D

(D) A
I got no time for the corner boys
D
Down in the street making all that noise
A
Or the girls out on the avenue
D (Dsus4, D)
'Cause tonight I wanna be with you
G
Tonight I'm gonna take that ride
D
Across the river to the Jersey side
A
Take my baby to the carnival
D (Dsus4, D)
And I'll take her on all the rides
G
'Cause down the shore everything's all right
D
You and me baby on a Saturday night
A
You know all my dreams come true
D (Dsus4, D)
When I'm walking down the street with you

Chorus

G
Sha la la la la la la
D
Sha la la la la la la la
A
Sha la la la la la la
D (Dsus4 D)
Sha la la la I'm in love with a Jersey girl
G
Sha la la la la la la
D
Sha la la la la la la la
A
Sha la la la la la la
D Dsus4 D
Sha la la la

G
You know she thrills me with all her charms
D
When I'm wrapped up in my baby's arms
A
My little girl gives me everything
D
I know that some day she'll wear my ring
G
So don't bother me man I ain't got no time
D
I'm on the way to see that girl of mine
A
'Cause nothing matters in this whole wide world
D (Dsus4,D)
When you're in love with a Jersey girl

Chorus

G
I see you on the street and you look so tired
D
I know that job you got leaves you so uninspired
A
When I come by to take you out to eat
D
You're lyin' all dressed up on the bed....baby fast asleep
G
Go in the bathroom and put your makeup on
D
We're gonna take that little brat of yours and drop
A
her off at your mom's
D (Dsus4,D)
I know a place where the dancing's free
D (Dsus4,D)
Now baby won't you come with me
G
'Cause down the shore everything's all right
D
You and your baby on a Saturday night
A
Nothing matters in this whole wide world
D (Dsus4,D)
When you're in love with a Jersey girl

Chorus