

Traveling Wilburys - Tweeter And The Monkey Man

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Intro: Am D Am G

[Riff Intro]

Am D Am

Am G
Tweeter and the monkey man were hard up for cash
F Am
They stayed up all night selling cocaine and hash
G
To an undercover cop who had a sister named jan
F Am
For reasons unexplained she loved the monkey man

Am G
Tweeter was a boy scout before she went to vietnam
F Am
And found out the hard way nobody gives a damn
G
They knew that they found freedom just across the jersey line
F Am
So they hopped into a stolen car took highway 99

Am Em
And the walls came down all the way to hell
D
Never saw them when theyre standing
Am
Never saw them when they fell

(play before going into the next verse)
D Am D Am

Am G
The undercover cop never liked the monkey man
F Am
Even back in childhood he wanted to see him in the can
G
Jan got married at fourteen to a rackateer named bill
F Am
She made secret calls to the monkey man from a mansion on the hill

Am G
It was out on thunder road - tweeter at the wheel
F Am
They crashed into paradise - they could hear them tires squeal
G
The undercover cop pulled up and said everyone of yous a liar
F Am
If you dont surrender now its gonna go down to the wire

Am Em
And the walls came down all the way to hell
D
Never saw them when theyre standing
Am
Never saw them when they fell

(D Am D Am)

Am G
An ambulance rolled up - a state trooper close behind
F Am
Tweeter took his gun away and messed up his mind
G
The undercover cop was left tied up to a tree
F Am
Near the souvenir stand by the old abandoned factory

Am G
Next day the undercover cop was hot in pursuit
F Am
He was taking the whole thing personal,He didnt care about the loot

Am G
Jan had told him many times it was you to me who taught
F Am
In jersey anythings legal as long as you dont get caught

Am Em
And the walls came down all the way to hell
D
Never saw them when theyre standing
Am
Never saw them when they fell

(D Am D Am)

Am G
Someplace by rahway prison they ran out of gas
F Am
The undercover cop had cornered them said boy, you didnt Think
G
that this could last
G
Jan jumped out of bed said theres someplace I gotta go
F Am
She took a gun out of the drawer and said its best if you dont know

Am G
The undercover cop was found face down in a field
F Am
The monkey man was on the river bridge using tweeter as a shield

Am G
Jan said to the monkey man Im not fooled by tweeters curl
F Am
I knew him long before he ever became a jersey girl

Am Em
And the walls came down all the way to hell
D
Never saw them when theyre standing
Am
Never saw them when they fell

(D Am D Am)

Am G
Now the town of jersey city is quieting down again
F Am
Im sitting in a gambling club called the lions den
G
The tv set been blown up, every bit of it is gone
F Am
Ever since the nightly news show that the monkey man was on

Am G
I guess Ill to to florida and get myself some sun
F Am
There aint no more opportunity here, everythings been done
G
Sometime I think of tweeter, sometime I think of jan
F Am
Sometime I dont think about nothing but the monkey man

Am Em
And the walls came down all the way to hell
D
Never saw them when theyre standing
Am
Never saw them when they fell

[Final] Am D Am

Acordes

