

My Old School Donald Fagen, Walter Becker / Steely Dan

[F] I remember the thirty-five sweet good- [Dm] byes
[Bb] When you put me on the [C] Wolverine up to [F] Annandale
[Bb] [F] [Bb] [F]
[F] It was still September when your daddy was quite sur- [Dm] prised
[Bb] To find you with the [C] working girls in the [F] county jail [Bb]
[F] [Bb] [F]
I was [Bb] smoking with the boys upstairs
When I [C] heard about the whole affair
I said, "[Fmaj7] Oh [Dm] no - [Fmaj7] William and [Dm] Mary won't
[Bb] do"
Well I [C] did not think the [Gm] girl could be so [Dm] cruel
And I'm [C] never going [Gm] back to my old [F] school

"Solo": [C] [Dm] [Bb] [C] [Dm] [C] [Dm] [Bb] [C] [Dm]

[F] Oleanders growing outside her [Dm] door
[Bb] Soon they're gonna [C] be in bloom up in [F] Annandale [Bb]
[F] [Bb] [F]
[F] I can't stand her doing what she did be- [Dm] fore
[Bb] Living like a [C] Gypsy queen in a [F] fairy tale [Bb] [F] [Bb] [F]

Well I [Bb] hear the whistle but I can't go
I'm gonna [C] take her down to Mexico
She said, [Fmaj7] "Oh [Dm] no [Fmaj7] Guadala- [Dm] jara won't
[Bb] do"
Well I [C] did not think the [Gm] girl could be so [Dm] cruel
And I'm [C] never going [Gm] back to my old [F] school

"Solo": [C] [Dm] [Bb] [C] [Dm] [C] [Dm] [Bb] [C] [Dm]

[F] California tumbles into the [Dm] sea
[Bb] That'll be the [C] day I go back to [F] Annandale [Bb] [F] [Bb] [F]
[F] Tried to warn you about Chino and Daddy [Dm] Gee
[Bb] But I can't seem to [C] get to you through the [F] U.S. Mail
[Bb] [F] [Bb] [F]

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