Stars litter the sky
The moon is shining high

This soft, September night
Two lovers creep out of sight

A maiden dressed in white With copper hair

Restless for adventure She don't care

That the wolf is in disguise She's been ensnared

He got the devil in his eyes & stylish flair

He shoves her to the ground Her soul begins to drown

A sky full of eyes where the stars should be A sky full of eyes watching silently

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You've become a woman now

The weight of the cradle has broken the bough You've become a woman now

Mama woke me up at dawn
She helped me get my best dress on

She braided flowers in my hair So sweet was the summer air

I'm to meet my groom down by the sea A perfect stranger to correct me  $\label{eq:correct} \mbox{ }$ 

The judges arrive in pairs of 3 Don't be scared, just relax & breathe

Good girls hold real still Surrender your free will

They cracked the crown To pluck the pearl

Here, on the jagged edge Of the world

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Standing on the welfare line My daughter clinging to my side

I see the faith in her eyes
I whisper, baby we'll be just fine

I'll get a good job
& we'll find a new place

I'll work real hard
& we'll make our escape

I promise you I will get us through Together we will bloom

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