Margery's dreaming of the middle of the day
Tiyuri to win
Perfect Dozen to place
money is the matter
that's been on her mind
time ticks by her
one race at a time
She's tryin' to be a good girl
And give 'em what they want
But Margery's dreaming of horses

Lookin' at a green sky
Sun like a red eye
Bright blue horses
are the fortune she lives by
She's tired and lonely
Scared and depressed
Her visions of one day
go racing the next
She's trying to be a good girl
And give 'em what they want
But Margery's dreaming of horses

Margie doesn't say anything all the way home So afraid she'll awake to find she's all alone

Margery's wingspan's all feathers and coke cans, and TV dinners and letters she won't send, and Every race night is shot through with sunlight Trying to hit the big one one last time tonight for... Drunken fathers and stupid mothers and Boys who can't tell one girl from another So she takes her pills Careful and round One of these days she's gonna throw the whole bottle down But she's trying to be a good girl And give 'em what they want But Margery's dreaming of... Trying to be a good girl And give 'em what they want But Margery's dreaming of... horses