

## Shy of the Moon

The Wallflowers

Pretty little girl on the side of the road  
Yellow hair in a yellow bow  
Little thumb sticking in the exit lane  
Two packs of smokes and a candy cane

With women hips and baby lips  
A hallelujah book in the back of a pillow-slip  
If she gets out of here too soon  
She'll run fast by the shy of the moon

If she's been havin' the same old dreams  
Of lullabies and pale blue skies  
Fallen asleep beneath the stars  
Orion aims and shoots his arrows oh so far

Aims 'em hard  
He shoots the moon and takes her as his own reward  
If she's gonna see those stars too soon  
She'll run fast by the shy of the moon

If she found out so long ago  
That she wants more than all she knows  
The river ends right as she goes  
Water breaks and she's gone down in the undertow

She's below, but i'll stand tall and hold up high my mistletoe  
She's gonna shine just like brand new  
She'll take my hand and we'll run by the shy of the moon