

I Don't Wanna Grow Up

(Written by Tom Waits and Kathleen Brennan, 1992. Recorded by Tom Waits 1992, & the Ramones 1995.)

(G)When I'm lyin' in my bed at night, (D)I don't wanna grow (G)up

(G)Nothin' ever seems to turn out right, (D)I don't wanna grow (G)up

(Em)How do you move in a (B)world of fog

That's (C)always changing (D)things

(Em)Makes me wish that (B)I could be a (C)dog(D)

(G)When I see the price that you pay, (D)I don't wanna grow (G)up

(G)I don't ever wanna be that way, (D)I don't wanna grow (G)up

(Em)Seems like folks turn (B)into things, that they'd (C)never (D)want

(Em)The only thing to (B)live for, is to(C)day.(D)

I'm gonna (G)put a hole in my TV set, (D)I don't wanna grow (G)up

(G)Open up the medicine chest, And (D)I don't wanna grow (G)up

(Em)I don't wanna have to (B)shout it out

(Em)I don't want my (B)hair to fall out

(Em)I don't wanna be (B)filled with doubt

(Em)I don't wanna be a (B)good boy scout

(Em)I don't wanna have to (B)learn to count

(Em)I don't wanna have the (B)biggest amount,

No, (C)I don't (D)wanna grow (G)up

(G)Well when I see my parents fight, (D)I don't wanna grow (G)up

(G)They all go out and drinking all night, and (D)I don't wanna grow (G)up

(Em)I'd rather stay here (B)in my room

(Em)Nothin' out there but (B)sad and gloom

(Em)I don't wanna live in a (B)big old Tomb on (C)Grand (D)Street

(G)When I see the 5 o'clock news, (D)I don't wanna grow (G)up

(G)Comb their hair and shine their shoes, (D)I don't wanna grow (G)up

(Em)Stay around in my (B)old hometown

(Em)I don't wanna put no (B)money down

(Em)I don't wanna get me a (B)big old loan

(Em)Work them fingers (B)to the bone

(Em)I don't wanna float a (B)broom

(Em)Fall in love and get (B)married then boom

(Em)How the hell did I (B)get here so soon,

No, (C)I don't (D)wanna grow (G)up

