

# Let the Wind Carry Me

[Joni Mitchell](#)

Papa's faith is people  
Mama she believes in cleaning  
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Mama she's always cleaning  
Papa brought home the sugar  
Mama taught me the deeper meaning  
She don't like my kick pleat skirt  
She don't like my eyelids painted green  
She don't like me staying up late  
In my high-heeled shoes  
Living for that rock'n'roll dancing scene  
Papa says "Leave the girl alone, Mother  
She's looking like a movie queen" Mama thinks she spoiled me  
Papa knows somehow he set me free  
Mama thinks she spoiled me rotten  
She blames herself  
But papa he blesses me  
It's a rough road to travel  
Mama let go now  
It's always called for me  
Sometimes I get that feeling  
And I wanna settle  
And raise a child up with somebody  
I get that strong longing  
And I wanna settle  
And raise a child up with somebody  
But it passes like the summer  
I'm a wild seed again  
Let the wind carry me

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