

# The Scaffolders' Wife

Mark Knopfler

The scaffolders wife  
Drivin out of the yard  
With a face thats as hard  
As a scaffolders bar  
When she goes into town  
She might take the top down  
On the car  
The quick little steps  
In the stiletto boots  
And the hair with the roots  
She comes in as a rule  
To get the nails done  
And the tan for the sun  
When the kids are in school  
Dont begrudge her the Merc  
Its been nothin but work and a hard life  
Losin her looks over company books  
The scaffolders wife  
In the wicked old days  
When they went it alone  
Kept the company goin  
On a wing and a prayer  
They dont pay what they owe  
When they have the cash flow  
They dont care  
Dont begrudge her the Merc  
Its been nothin but work and a hard life  
Losin her looks over company books  
The scaffolders wife, the scaffolders wife

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