

## Jeff Buckley "Farewell Angelina"

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(b. dylan)

From wfmu's 1993 compilation they came, they played,  
they blocked the driveway. this song was originally  
performed by bob dylan and joan baez.

Farewell angelina  
The bells of the crown  
Are being stolen by bandits  
I must follow the sound  
The triangle tingles  
And the trumpets play slow  
Farewell angelina  
The sky is on fire  
And I must go.

There's no need for anger  
There's no need for blame  
There's nothing to prove  
Ev'rything's still the same  
Just a table standing empty  
By the edge of the sea  
Farewell angelina  
The sky is trembling  
And I must leave.

The jacks and the queens  
Have forsaked the courtyard  
Fifty-two gypsies  
Now file past the gaurds  
In the space where the deuce  
And the ace once ran wild  
Farewell angelina  
The sky is folding  
I'll see you in a while.

See the cross-eyed pirates sitting  
Perched in the sun  
Shooting tin cans  
With a sawed-off shotgun  
And the neighbors they clap  
And they cheer with each blast  
Farewell angelina

The sky's changing color  
And I must leave fast.

King kong, little elves  
On the rooftops they dance  
Valentino-type tangos  
While the make-up man's hands  
Shut the eyes of the dead  
Not to embarrass anyone  
Farewell angelina  
The sky is embarrassed  
And I must be gone.

The machine guns are roaring  
The puppets heave rocks  
The fiends nail time bombs  
To the hands of the clocks  
Call me any name you like  
I will never deny it  
Farewell angelina  
I must go where it's quiet.

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