

## **Loudon Wainwright Iii "Tonya's Twirls"**

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You knew she was in trouble  
When you saw her bodyguard  
When you saw those two together  
You knew it wasn't hard  
To see that she was different not just one of the girls  
With their gliding and their sliding  
And their pirouettes and twirls

Then it turned out that she smoked and drank  
& posed practically nude & she didn't smile all of the  
time  
She got angry & was crude  
No she wasn't goody two-skates Like all the other girls  
With their grinning and their spinning  
And their winning little twirls

And her childhood was unhappy, her mom was really  
weird  
Her husband liked to hit her but it was poverty she  
feared  
She grew up in a trailer park not like most other girls  
With their gliding & their sliding  
& their whirling little twirls

Yes they all look like princesses like Barbies to the core  
But she was your parents' worst nightmare  
The slut who moved next door  
From the wrong side of the tracks  
She liked the boys more than the girls  
With their gliding & their sliding  
& their girlish dainty twirls

And it seemed like she was lying  
About what she didn't know  
& then she started crying in the media side show  
In practice she kept falling down more than the other  
girls  
With their gliding & their sliding  
& their picture perfect twirls

And they almost towed her truck away  
The whole thing was a drag

Forget about Campbell's soup and Reebok  
Wheaties or the flag  
Ah, there'll be books she'll make some money  
That's what they're after all these girls  
With their selling kiss & telling & their twisted little  
twirls

So play the national anthem stand up proud & tall  
Oh we hope that ours don't stumble & that theirs slip &  
fall  
Remember Olga Korbut what happens to these girls  
With their triple flips & axels & somersaults & twirls

Ice used to be a nice thing when you laced up figure  
skates  
Now it's a thing to win a medal on for the United States  
But once there were no lutzs axels pirouettes or twirls  
Just giddy slipping sliding laughing happy little girls

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