

Teaching Third Grade

[rev & lr 10/93]

Lyrics: Joel Paley

Moderato

Music: Marvin Laird

Miss Thorn: 1 2 3 3 4

There's no need to wor-ry Un - knit your brow For tho' Ti - na's tak - ing this hard right now Ex -

per - i - ence tells me I'm hap - py to say She'll get o - ver her dis - ap - point - ment some

day

[Underscore]

9 10 11 12

Ab Eb7/Ab Ab Ab6add2 Eb/G

Gb6+7 Gb6 Db maj9/F Db/F Bbm7 Eb7

Ab Db/Eb Cm Db6add9 Db

Cue: "...Look at me"

13 14 15 3

Teach - ing third

$Bbm11-5$ $Eb7\flat 9$ $Eb7$

16 Rubato 17 3 18 19 3

grade Shap - ing the minds of a new gen - er - a - tion No lon - ger a -

$A\flat maj7\ add6,2$ $D\flat maj7/E\flat$ $A\flat maj9$ $D\flat maj7/E\flat$

20 21 3 22 23

fraid to get on with my life and off med - i - ca - tion Surc, I

$A\flat maj7\ add6,2$ $D\flat maj7/E\flat$ $E9/D\flat$ $E\flat9$ $E\flat m9$ $E\flat m7$ $A\flat7\flat9$

Moderate 2 24 25 26 27

went to New York to be an o - ver night sen sa - tion

$D\flat maj7$ $C7/A\flat$ $D\flat add2$ $D\flat m9$ $G\flat9\ add6$ $E9-5$

28 More than a face 29 I was a 30 win - ing com - bin - a - tion of 31 3

Ab maj7/Eb Ab+/E F m9 Bb7 add6

32 tal - ent and grace 33 34 I should - 'a packed - mace - 'cause I was 35 3 3 3

E 9 Ab maj7/Eb F m7

36 mugged, raped and robbed 37 be - fore I 38 left Penn - Sta - tion 39

Bb 9 Ab/C Ab+/Db Bb 9/D E9 add6 Eb 9 sus

39A Now I'm 39B back, Lord, 39C at the black - board teach - ing third 3

Bb m7 sus Eb Bb m7 b5 Eb Eb 7 sus

8th

39D 39E

grade. _____

E♭9sus

8^{va} _____

Cue- "Something to fall back on?" [Finger snap]

40 41

Some - thing to fall back on Sure, it works for some But

C m/A♭ E 7/G♯

42 43

I fell back and look what life's be come _____ To

8^{va} _____

A♭ maj7 E♭ m9

44 45

night I'll get co - zy, Pour wine, _____ light the ta - pers Then

(8^{va}) _____

D♭ maj9 D♭ maj7 D♭ maj9 D♭ maj7 G♭13+11

46 3 3 3 3 47 3 3 3 3 48 3 3 3 3

sit there a - lone there all night grad - ing pa - pers The pay may be stea - dy My

8va

F m9 Ab/C Ab/F Ab/Bb Bb9-5 Bb9 Db/Eb Db+ Eb/D

49 3 50 3 51 3

sun - mer's are free But do you want your daugh - ter to turn out like

(8va)

C m7 sus 4 Ab/C C m7 F13-9 Ab9/Bb C m7 sus 4 Db maj9

52 3 53 54

me - Yeah, I had something to fall back on Safe and so se - cure With

8va

Eb7 sus4 Eb7b5 Eb7 Eb7+/A Ab maj7 E7/G#

55 56 57

ve - ry few sur - pris - es in store This chee - ry de - mea - nor

(8va)

Ab maj7 Gb13+11 F7 sus4 Bbm9 B°

58 59 60

It's all a cha - rade The truth is I'm bored I hate teach - ing third

8^{va}

C m7 F7^{b9}add6 Eb7sus4/Bb C m7 Dbmaj9

Double time feel

Judy: "I wonder what's keeping Tina."

61 62 63

grade Sick of Jane and sick of Dick - ie,

E maj7 Bb(no3)

64 65

Nev - er qui - et, al - ways stick - y

Abmaj7/Bb

66 67 68

Nos - es run - ny, nos - es bleed - y, Lit - tle runs so blood - y need - y,

Db/Eb Db+/Eb

69 70 71 72

Joan hits Jan-ice with a slink-ey— Bart makes Ter-ry touch his wink-ic—

D maj7/E D maj7+/E

73 74 75 3

This one cried— and that one peed— I can't take it

E 9 G 6/E E 13

76 77 78

God, I need— Some-thing to fall

D m6/E A maj7

79 80 81 82

back on— what I've fal-len from

D m6/A A maj7

Judy: "...about Tina?"

83 84 85 86 Myrna: As

back on —————

gliss. D 6/E

D 6/A

Moderato

87 88 89 90

far as the lead in the show my dear She'll have to get o - ver not win-ning this year

A E 7/A A A6add2 E/G#

91 92 93

In - to each life rain falls I'm a - fraid Life is a bitch

E m9 5/G poco rit. D/F# rall. A/E

94 95 96

And it starts in third grade. —————

E9sus A D/E mf A