## Monique Whalen, Carpet Ride

I heard a story long ago and far, far away How the prince came up to her and asked if she could play She said sure, why not, My momma won't care So they played all day in that hot summer air

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How the prince came up to her and held her close
She never knew his name
Little girl, little girl beware
That other boy is gone
Just trust in your heart, let it be your guide
And go on that carpet ride

Look at her now, way up there She doesn't have a care She's flying so high; she can touch the sky Look how happy he's made her But her momma said, wait, she's too young We can't let her have her fun The prince said fine, I'll wait for years That's how much I love her

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Well, the years passed and the princess was free But where oh where could her prince be He'd gone on to find someone else To share his carpet rides

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But please, no more carpet rides
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