WAITING FOR SANDY (Final Final Version – ha!!!)

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Verse 1

We all got to New York City, by Friday night
The moon was almost full, and casting a strange light
We bunked in at the Parker, until the morning bright
Then wandered 'round Manhattan, not thinking of our plight

Chorus:

We were all waiting for Sandy, who was heading up the coast They said she'd make it Monday, but we shouldn't give up hope Wa...wa...waiting for Sandy (repeat three more times)

Verse 2

I hitched a ride with Chuck & Chris, on a quest for magic paint Then I headed for the Village, in search of beatnik saints It was Cricket, Felicia, and the girl with no name Who sat down beside me, like nothing had changed

Chorus:

We were all waiting for Sandy, who was heading up the coast They said she'd make it by Monday, but I was chasing ghosts Wa...wa...waiting for Sandy (repeat three more times)

Verse 3

Our art show was on Sunday, at the Brooklyn Bowl Moonalice was amazing, but by six we had to roll Our flights were cancelled Monday, 'cause Sandy was in sight Ripping through New Jersey, she'd hit New York that night

Chorus:

No longer waiting for Sandy, she finally had arrived When would we make it back? Time and Delta would decide Wa...wa...waiting for Sandy (repeat three more times)

Verse 4

Evacuate the Parker, a crane dangles by a thread Threatening all below, and causing so much dread We trekked down to the Sheraton, a long and soggy line Robin got us rooms that night, our luck would change in time

Chorus:

Staten Island and in Red Hook, Sandy did her worst Before she reached Manhattan, she hit the boroughs first Wa...wa...waiting for Sandy (repeat three more times)

Verse 5

High water below 39th, subways & tunnels flood No electric power, but hands to help with love Our hearts go out to those, who stay behind and strive To pick-up all the pieces, of their shattered lives

Chorus:

We were stranded by Sandy. but we all made it back With thoughts of climate change, it's time to face the facts Wa...wa...waiting for Sandy (repeat three more times)