

Del Gato – Gene Clark

A D A D A

A Bm
My name is Del Gato born close to the border

D A
Of white blood and red blood I came

A Bm
I travel the saddle, I follow the cattle

D A
Down on the range where they graze

E D A
And I just ride in from a hard southwestern drive

E
My lips parched and bloody

D A
My face torn by sand storms and pride

Bm
Royalties riches and inter-bred bitches

D A
Was the brew that I drank as a child

A
So rebellious a lover

Bm
Don Juan as my cover

D A
They die-cast my type called me wild

A E D A
And I just ride in from a hard southwestern drive

E D A
The hanging tree is waiting for me to arrive

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A Bm
Structured political our children they ridicule

D A
They teach them of sins and to lie

A Bm
Their schools built by fools but by breaking their rules

D A
Like a fox I am forced now to hide

E A A
And I just ride in from a hard southwestern drive

E
My lips parched and bloody

D A
My face torn by sand storms and pride

A Bm
The peppertree spreads taking many men's heads

D A
But the one they would want most is mine

A
To the mission I go

Bm
In San Juan I kneel

D A
And I pray for the love of my life

E A A
And I just ride in from a hard southwestern drive
 E D A
The hanging tree is waiting for me to arrive

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Performed by Gene Clark and Carla Olson

Gene Clark - vocals/acoustic guitar
Carla Olson - vocals/acoustic guitar
Michael Huey - drums
Roscoe Beck - bass
Tom Junior Morgan - flute
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