

# I Can't Believe We Were Married

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We danced in the kitchen on Boxing Day  
I held you swaying in my arms to Marvin Gaye  
Our Christmas ham turned green by New Year's Eve  
We weren't hungry anyway  
Now sometimes we see each other on the street  
Maybe at a hotel or some party  
We say hello, then we have to go  
I can't believe we were married  
That we were wed

Our houses were a shambles, our love conspiracy  
Your hand was always down my pants before our guests could leave  
They didn't like our drugs, our children or our dogs  
The way we made it up each day  
Now the kids have grown we talk on the phone  
If one of them is sick or needs some money  
Our words are dry, so measured and polite  
I can't believe we were married  
That we were wed

Now maybe if I'm with someone you come into my mind  
The one I knew with your certain little cries  
You're not the only one to come rushing in  
It's like a party line

Yeah sometimes we see each other on the street  
Maybe at a concert or some party  
We say hello, talk about the show  
I can't believe we were married  
Yeah we say hello, then we have to go  
You send your regards to all my family  
And the years have changed even the sound of your name  
I can't believe we were married  
That we were wed