

# If I Were Jackie

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If I had married JFK  
I would have lost my mind  
'Cause everybody seemed to know  
How he spent his leisure time  
Well I guess that things were different then  
A wife just turned her head  
But do you think she cried  
When the president didn't make it home to bed  
How did she survive  
That kind of life

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She kept on facing forward and she held her head up high  
Even when she smelled a strange perfume  
She stood there by his side  
She'd smile and she would wave  
Like she had grown accustomed to  
The picture of perfection like a debutante would do  
Did she ever ask him  
Where the hell have you been

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Well, I guess it's easy to sit here today and say what I would do  
Yeah, but we'll probably never know  
If it was her weakness or strength  
That covered up the truth

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