

# Tom Cat Goodby

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Rosie Pearl is a big blond girl  
And she sails around like a steamboat  
Takes her time and her eyes  
They shine for Tom

Hey there Tom Cat  
Where've you been to?  
Hey there Tom Cat  
Say, where've you been to?

I'm so lonely  
I been crying  
Waiting up for you

Ya hear that!  
Ya hear that!

I got your name Tom  
I got your children  
What about the children?

Tom Cat, Tom Cat  
You old rat, you old rat  
Where've you been to?

Johnny cheated, Frankie killed him  
Johnny cheated, Frankie killed him  
Shot and killed him  
I don't blame her, I'd a done it too

Ya hear that!  
Ya hear that!

You deal and promise  
You kiss and swing low  
Foot slipping out the window

Tom Cat, Tom Cat  
You old rat, you old rat  
Where've you been to?

You know you're never gonna make a movie maker, Tom  
You know you're never gonna make a movie maker, Tom  
You know you're never gonna make a movie maker  
Always be a silly faker, Tom, Tom  
Never gonna make a movie maker, Tom  
Oh, Tom, Tom

Never gonna make a movie maker  
Never make a movie maker  
No never gonna make a movie maker  
Always be a silly faker, Tom

No, Tom, I can't go on Tom  
I can't keep pushin', and pushin'  
And pushin', and pushin' on  
Pushin' on

I quit lovin' you  
Lovin' you  
Baby, I'm going to the country  
Gonna buy me land  
I'm going to the country  
To kill my lover man

Gonna kill my lover  
Gonna kill my lover  
Gonna kill my lover man  
Gonna kill my lover man  
Gonna kill my lover man

You know Tom  
He don't care  
He don't care  
You know Tom  
Run like a chicken from the pen, baby  
What'd you say now?

Hey there Tom cat  
He walks like a tom cat  
He runs like a tom cat  
Goes fishing like a tom cat  
He cheats like a tom cat  
He lies

Can I find him?  
Can I find him?  
Can I find him?

Gonna kill him  
My lover man  
My man