

# Shallow Grave

## I Voted for Kodos

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He never wanted it like this  
Just for once, (he'd) like to be greeted with a kiss  
But he's scared of his own home  
She never leaves him alone  
For twenty-three years he stood quietly  
While she took his manhood, and his dignity  
(but) Now the kids are all gone  
This shouldn't take very longHe dug a shallow grave  
To the earth he took his spade  
Couldn't stand for one more day  
So he dug a shallow graveHe takes breath and he says a prayer  
Raises his shovel high into the air  
He brings it down upon her head  
Just one blow and now she's dead  
Drags her body to the back door  
Leaves a trail of blood on the floor  
He bends down to close her eyes  
And then he starts to cry  
But never the less, he's glad that she's gone  
Throws her in the ground and piles the dirt on  
Goes inside to wash his face  
Feels his heart begin to raceHe dug a shallow grave  
To the earth he took his spade  
Couldn't stand for one more day  
So he dug a shallow graveStarts to realize just what he's done  
Goes into the basement, grabs his gun  
Puts the barrel to his head  
Can't believe she's really deadWhat will he tell the neighbors, when they pass by the way?  
What will he tell the children, when they come on Christmas day?  
What will he tell her parents, when they ask for their daughter?  
What will he tell the D.A. when they charge him with manslaughterHe pulls the trigger and he hears a click  
The quick solution's not always the quickest fixHe dug a shallow grave

To the earth he took his spade  
Couldn't stand for one more day  
So he dug a shallow grave  
... no reason to get excited

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