

Black Roses

Sloppy Seconds

So you were late
But you never told me you were
 You didn't want to say
Till you were sureBut that song and dance
 Won't work no more
 Because you got no rhythm
To save your soulI don't care how much it hurts, so you can tell it
 To the Roman Catholic Church
 I don't run away from my mistakes
But this is one, honey, that I didn't makeAnd I can't catch you
 And I can't get you
But I can't let you catch meOh no, you can't catch me
 And you never will
 So you can plant black roses
In your window sillI'll be free and you'll be suicidal
 While you press black roses
In your family BibleSo now it's all, left up to your discretion
 And you can spill your guts
 In your next confession
 Lift your eyes up to the sky
Give 'em ten Hail Marys for one white lieYour mother always said
 I would bring you down
 If she could only see you now
 Clinging tight to your rosary
 Saying, "This wasn't how
It was supposed to be"Forget about a snow white
 Wedding gown
 And you can toss black roses
In a hole in the groundRoses are red, roses are black
 Tell your mother what you did
And give her a heart attackSomeday when I'm cold and dead
 You're gonna find black roses
 By your hospital bed

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