

## Kitty Wells "The Third Man"

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### THE THIRD MAN

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Last night I dreamed I took a walk up Calvary's lonely  
hill  
The things I saw with my own eyes could not have been  
more real  
I saw upon three crosses three men in agony  
Two cried out for mercy and the third man he looked at  
me  
And oh the hurt in this man's eyes that just broke my  
heart in two  
It seemed I could hear him say son I'm doing this for  
you  
I knelt beneath the third man's cross and slowly  
bowed my head  
I reached out to touch his feet and it stained my hand's  
with red  
And when I heard him cry in pain I raised my eyes to  
see  
The blood spilled from the third man's side and some  
of it spilled on me  
The third man wore a crown of thorns spikes held him  
to the tree

And I heard him say oh my God my God why hast Thou  
forsaken me  
And there within a mighty crowd the ones who mocked  
him cried  
King save Thyself if thou art King and then the third  
man died  
Suddenly I heard the thunder roll I saw the lightning  
pierce the sky  
The third man was still hanging there and I began to  
cry  
I saw the boulders fall and heard the breaking of the  
ground  
Then I awoke and though I dreamed I touched my  
cheek and found  
My eyes were wet where I had cried a dream I wished I  
knew

I still can hear the third man say I'm doing this for you

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