

Ramblin' Jack Elliot

"St. James Infirmary"

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If I were a carpenter and you were a lady
Would you marry me anyway, would you have my baby
If a tinker were my trade, would you still find me
Carrying the pots I made, following behind me

Save my love for sorrow
Save my love for lonely
I've given you my tomorrow
Love me only

If I worked my hands in wood, would you still love me
You answer me quick, "Tim, I could, I'd put you above
me."
If I were a miller at a mill wheel grinding
Would you miss your colored blouse, your soft shoes
shining

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