

Perry Como

"The Rose Tattoo"

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He wore the rose tattoo,
To prove his love was true . . .
But hearts can lie, so why deny,
That roses fade and love can die . . .

She'll wait her whole life through,
Like fools an' dreamer's do . . .
She'll go on caring for one who's wearing,
The rose . . . the rose tattoo . . .

< instrumental verse >
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Music by Harry Warren
with lyrics by Jack Brooks, 1955

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