

## Tom T. Hall

### "Second Handed Flower"

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(Tom T. Hall)

I was working in Miami for a day or two  
I decided I'd look up a girl that I once knew  
I bought some flowers and went to see a girl I used to  
know  
The lady at her door said she had married long ago.

Times will change and towns were changed there I was  
alone  
And suddenly I wondered would Susie be at home  
So with the flowers in my hand I walked toward her  
gate  
Someone touched me on the arm and said, "You'll  
have to wait."

Then I noticed there were people standing in the line  
And some of them were holding pretty flowers just like  
mine  
They explained that Susie had been in an awful crash  
Doctors said that she had just a little while to last.

--- Instrumental ---

When I walked into her room I felt the sense of shame  
But I heard Susie whisper. "I'm awfully glad you came."  
She had been the girl that I had always gone to see  
When someone that I cared for had been untrue to me.

I handed her the flowers and she gently kissed my  
hand  
She said, "Don't be embarrassed you know I  
understand."  
I said, "Goodbye." and as I bent to kiss her fevered  
brow  
I heard her whisper, "thank you for the second handed  
flowers..."

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