If I Were Jackie

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If I had married JFK I would have lost my mind 'Cause everybody seemed to know How he spent his leisure time Well I guess that things were different then A wife just turned her head But do you think she cried When the president didn't make it home to bed How did she survive That kind of life

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She kept on facing forward and she held her head up high Even when she smelled a strange perfume She stood there by his side She'd smile and she would wave Like she had grown accustomed to The picture of perfection like a debutante would do Did she ever ask him Where the hell have you been

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Well, I guess it's easy to sit here today and say what I would do Yeah, but we'll probably never know If it was her weakness or strength That covered up the truth

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