He scrapes the dirt from his nails with a stick. He makes a big pile in a pail on the sink. Who was he?
Oh, I'll never tell.
He has not got a thing left to sell.
Ooh, the remnants of Percy Bass.

He glued the newspaper to the wall.

Skeleton closets are down the hall.

Nobody knows him like I do.

I remember when there were,

I remember when there were things he could do.

Some things are not made to last.

Ooh, the remnants of Percy Bass.

Some things are things like this:

He could catch a rabbit with one hand.

He could build a castle out of sand. He was

A handsome man.

He gave a tender kiss.

Nobody knows about the fancy shows you starred in When you were seventeen.
I'll never tell about your secret life
To a magazine.

I can remember when you were the shallow hero. It was so long ago when you were Everybody's shining star. You were a daydream.

But now,
He needs someone to hold his hand.
Nothing has quite worked out how he had planned.
I try to help him how I can.
But he has forgotten,
He has forgotten who I am.

Remember,

Some things are not made to last. Ooo, the remnants of Percy Bass. Some things are not made to last. Ooo, the remnants of Percy Bass.