

# Hank Thompson, Back Street Affair

BACK STREET AFFAIR  
(Billy Wallace - Jimmy Rule)  
'52 Forrest Hills Music

You didn't know I wasn't free when you fell in love with me  
And with all your young heart you learned to care  
It brought you shame and disgrace the world has tumbled in your place  
Because they call our love a back street affair  
They say you wrecked my home I'm a husband that's gone wrong  
They don't know the sorrow that we've had to bear  
For the one that I'm tied to was the first to prove untrue  
Now they call our love a back street affair  
And when the mist rolls away we'll be free to love some day  
And have happiness God meant for us to share  
I'd climb a mountain dear just all the world can hear  
That our love's not a back street affair