

# Rez Band, Players

She left me strangely, not lingering like before,  
Her face sad, but sure; I stopped her at the door,  
Made some empty promises she's heard too many times,  
I tried a little sweet talk, to cover lover's crimes.

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I remember kissing fingers wrapped in her hair,  
In that rush of emotion, did I ever really care?  
And as I saw her silhouette fading down the hall, I begged for love's mercy, talking to the wall.

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When I was a child, trying to prove I was a man, I came upon a woman who told me who I am,  
Sometimes you play the part so well, you even fool yourself,  
I need a different kind of love, from somewhere else.

True love knows to love when no one loves in return,  
Love is the teacher, and I got a lot to learn,  
Passion takes its prisoners; got to break before I burn,  
Can't be playing, playing loving games.

No use playing loving games.