Josie

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JOSIE By Kris Kristofferson From The LP.. Border Lord [Verse 1] I ve been chasin after Josie since the day I could run Even tho I didn t know it at the time C Well I followed her from Texas till she found me undone Just a jump ahead of what I d left behind [Verse 2] She was as proud of her young body as a body could be On her way to be a woman of the world And I still can see her smilin' as she gave it to me Lookin like a lonesome little girl [Chorus] Josie, is it true that you ve grown harder than your years Selling them your saddness in the street How much did you lose between the laughter & the tears C F C Gettin back the bitter for the sweet [Verse 3] Well she loved me back to livin at a time I was lost With the closest thing to love I ve ever known And she led me to some bridges I was burning to cross

Then she went & burned some bridges of her own

[Verse 4]

C F C

Now the roads a little colder every time that I leave
F C

For another empty place I ve never been

C F C

And I don t suppose it s likely that she s lookin for me
F C

But someday I ll maybe chase her down again.

[Chorus]

F C

Josie, is it true that you ve grown harder than your years

G F C

Selling them your saddness in the street

How much did you lose between the laughter & the tears

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