

She Was Only Seventeen
Marty Robbins

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#27 on BB Hot 100 on COLUMBIA Records
in 1958.

INTRO:

G C Am F G
Seventeen..wah-ooo-wah-ooo..and he was one year more.
G C Am F G
Seventeen..wah-ooo-wah-ooo..and he, the girl, adored.

#1.

C Am F G
She was only seventeen and he was one year more.
C Am F
She loved him with all her heart and he, the girl
G
adored.
C C7 F
But all their friends believed they were too young
Fm
to know the score..
C Am F G C
cause she was only seventeen and he was one year more.

#2.

C Am F G C
Are they old enough to know if love will last for life?
C Am F G C
Isn t he too young to be a husband, her a wife?
C C7 F Fm
Within the past I bet it s happened more than once before.
C Am F G C
When someone else was seventeen, another, one year more.

BRIDGE:

G D G
Do we have the right to question love that seems so strong?
G D G G7
As long as God has no objections there can be no wrong.

#3.

C Am F G
Let us be the first to wish them all the very best.
C Am F G
Let us hope their love is strong enough to meet the test.
C C7 F Fm
Cause like I say, I bet it s happened more than once before.

C **Am** **F** **G** **C**
When someone else was seventeen, another, one year more.

BRIDGE:

G **D** **G**
Do we have the right to question love that seems so strong?
G **D** **G** **G7**
As long as God has no objections there can be no wrong.

#4.

C **Am** **F** **G**
Let us be the first to wish them all the very best.
C **Am** **F** **G**
Let us hope their love is strong enough to meet the test.
C **C7** **F** **Fm**
Cause like I say, I bet it s happened more than once before.
C **Am** **F** **G** **C**
When someone else was seventeen, another, one year more.

OUTRO:

C **F** **G7** **C**
Wah-ooo-wah-(seventeen)..wah-wah-wah.

A fifties smash from Kraziekhat.