

Written by Mel Street and released by him on his album of the same name in 1972. Other notable cover versions include those made by Geroge Jones in 1974, Rune Rudberg in 2019 and Lorrie Morgan in 2009.

Lyrics

Her fingers feel so gentle with her hand in mine
Her hair feels like silk on my arm
Her lips tell me so tenderly she's mine alone
Until we part tonight and she goes home
Borrowed angel belongs to someone else
I love my borrowed angel, I just can't help myself
That ring on her finger don't belong to me
But she loves me and I know she'll save some borrowed time for me
I wish that I could have her more than just one tonight
We can't go on like this, it isn't right
When that lonesome feeling comes, comes knocking on my door
I'll call my borrowed angel to ease the pain once more
Borrowed angel belongs to someone else
I love my borrowed angel I just can't help myself
That ring on her finger don't belong to me
But she loves me and I know she'll save some borrowed time for me, yes she loves me and I
know she'll save some borrowed time for me