

## Josie Escalido

Casey Donahew Band

Josie Escalido  
She lived south of the border  
In a church her granddaddy's daddy built  
A Little catholic mission  
Where she spent her days wishing  
That he would come along and she'd be saved

Jimmy was an outlaw  
An outcast from the bad lands  
He rode a horse as black as his heart  
Stayed hopped up on mezcal  
Chased whiskey with saloon gals  
But he never could get Josie off his mind

He said meet me after midnight  
I'll be riding hot and fast  
And our love is like a slow dance  
I'm just trying to make it last  
And I'm laying down my six guns  
And surrendering my heart  
It'll be rosary and sangria  
Tequila and the cross  
Outlaws, angels and the lost

Jimmy married Josie  
In that little mountain chapel  
He made a vow to Josie and the God  
He'd turn from his wicked ways  
And leave behind his outlaw days  
And pray for forgiveness from his sins

But the past is like a storm  
That crashes in from the north  
Rode south with the posse set on death  
Blood all over Jimmy's hands and  
Josie lying in the desert sand  
With a bullet that tore Jimmy's heart in two

And he screamed meet me after midnight  
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When you're searching for the devil  
Turns out he's not hard to find  
He rides a horse as black as his heart  
Hell and fire with two six gun  
A black horse on a dead and run  
When he rode into the range he just can't be done

Jimmy buried Josie  
In the ashes of that chapel

Left the rangers lying in the sun  
Rode out toward the bad lands  
And maybe God will understand  
That sometimes even angels will get lost

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