

## Roses Are Red

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A long, long time ago  
On graduation day  
You handed me your book I signed this way:  
"Roses are red, my love.  
Violets are blue.  
Sugar is sweet, my love.  
But not as sweet as you."  
We dated through high school.  
And when the big day came,  
I wrote into your book, next to my name:  
"Roses are red, my love.  
Violets are blue.  
Sugar is sweet, my love.  
But not as sweet as you."  
Then I went far away  
And you found someone new  
I read your letter dear  
And I wrote back to you:  
"Roses are red, my love.  
Violets are blue.  
Sugar is sweet, my love.  
But luck may god bless you.  
"Is that your little girl?  
She looks a lot like you.  
Someday some boy will write in her book, too.  
"Roses are red, my love.  
Violets are blue....