

# Second Hand Rose

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Tuning: D-F#-A

Key of D

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1. Fa - ther has a bus - 'ness, strict - ly sec - ond hand, Ev - 'ry - thing from tooth - picks  
2. Each one in the fam - 'ly kicks the whole day long. Ev - 'ry - one's dis - gus - ted,

4 5 4 4 5 4 3 4 3 3 6 4

3 7 5 5 3 7 5 3 4 3 6 6

to a ba - by grand. Stuff in our a - part - ment comes from Fa - ther's store,  
Ev - 'ry - thing is wrong. Sec - ond hand - ed dog - gie, sec - ond hand - ed cat,

4 4 4 5 4 4 5 4

3 4 3 1 7 3 7 5 5 3 7 5

Ev - en things I'm wear - ing, some - one wore be - fore. It's no won - der that I feel a -  
Sec - ond hand - ed wel - come, sec - ond hand - ed mat. I think Fa - ther's head is made of

4 4 4 6+ 6 6 6 8 8 5 5 7 7

4 5 6+ 4 5 5 5 6+ 4 7 6 6 8 8 5 5 7 7

bused. I nev - er have a thing that ain't been used.  
wood. He brings home lots of stuff that ain't no good!

3 3 3 3 3 3 4 4 4 4

4 4 5 3 3 4 5 3 3 5 7 7 7 7

13 D D E7

I'm wear-ing Sec - ond hand hats, sec - ond hand clothes,  
I'm wear-ing Sec - ond hand shoes, sec - ond hand hose,

TAB: 0 3 5 | 7 6+ 6 5 | 5 6+ 6 | 1 1 | 1 1

18 A7 D

that's why they call me Sec - ond Hand Rose.  
all the girls hand me their sec - ond hand beaux.

TAB: 3 4 6 4 | 4 4 4 4 | 6 5 6+ | 5 5 | 5 5

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Ev-en our pi - an - o in the par - lor, Fa - ther bought for ten cents on the  
Ev-en my pa - ja-mas when I don 'em, have some bod - y else - 's 'nit-ials

TAB: 0 0-1-3-1 | 0-1-3-5 | 7 4 | 4 | 3-4 4 4 | 3-4 4 6

28 Bm D D D E7

dol - lar. Sec - ond hand pearls, I'm wear-ing sec - ond hand curls,  
on 'em. Sec - ond hand rings, I'm sick of sec - ond hand things,

TAB: 7 7 | 0 0 | 7 6+ 6 5 | 4 4 4 4 | 3 3 | 5 6+ 6 | 1 1 | 1 1

33 Em

I nev-er get a sin-gle thing that's new. Ev - en Jake, the  
 I nev-er get what oth-er girl - ies do. Once, when strol-ling

TAB: 3 3 4 3 5 3 4 3 5 3 4 3 3 3 4 6 4 5 4

39 Em

plum - ber, he's the man I ad - ore, Had the nerve to  
 in the Ritz, a girl got my goat. She nudged her friend and

TAB: 6 4 5 4 6 4 5 4 4 (4) 5 3 4 3

43 D D

tell me he's been mar-ried bef - ore. Ev-'ry-one knows that I'm just  
 said "Oh look, there goes my old coat!" Ev-'ry-one knows that I'm just

TAB: 5 3 4 3 5 3 4 3 4 4 7 6+ 6 5 5 0 1 3

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Sec - ond Hand Rose, from Sec - ond Av - en - ue.  
 Sec - ond Hand Rose, from Sec - ond Av - en - ue.

TAB: 5 6+ 6 3 3 3 5 4 4 4 0 0 4 4