The Who, Miss Simpson

Yeah, outside the house Mr. Simpson announced That Sally couldn't go to the meeting He went on cleaning his blue Rolls Royce And she ran inside a-weeping

She got to her room and tears splashed the picture Of her new messiah She picked up a book of her father's life And threw it on the fire

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Deep down in her heart
That she and Tommy were worlds apart
But her mother said "Never mind
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What you'll be"

The theme of the sermon was "Come Unto Me And Love Will Find a Way" But Sally decided to ignore her dad And sneak out anyway

She spent all afternoon getting ready And decided she'd try to touch him Maybe he'd see that she was free And talk to her this Sunday

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She arrived by six and the place was swinging To gospel music by nine Group after group appeared on the stage And Sally just sat there crying

She bit her nails looking pretty as a picture Right in the very front row Then a DJ wearing a blazer with a badge Went on and said "Here we go!"

The crowd went crazy
As Tommy hit the stage
Little Sally got lost as the police bossed
The crowd back in a rage

Soon the atmosphere was cooler And Tommy gave a lesson Sally just had to let him know she loved him And leapt up on the rostrum

She ran across stage to the spotlit figure And touched him on the face Tommy whirled around as a uniformed man Threw her off the stage

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Her cheek hit a chair and blood trickled down Mingling with her tears Tommy carried on preaching And his voice filled Sally's ears

She caught his eye and she had to try
But he couldn't see through the light
Her face was gashed and the ambulance men
Had to carry her out that night

The crowd went crazy
As Tommy left the stage
Little Sally was lost
For the price of a touch
And a gash across her face
Oooooh!

Sixteen stitches put her right and her dad said "Don't say I didn't warn ya!" Sally got married to a rock musician She met in California

Tommy always talks about the day The disciples all went wild Sally still carries a scar on her cheek To remind her of his smile

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