

# Old Dogs & Children & Watermelon Wine -- Tom T Hall

Capo 3rd fret

Intro - G-D-A7-D

D                    D7                    G                    Em  
 "How old do you think I am?" he said. - I said, well, I didn't know  
 A7                                    G    A7    D  
 He said, "I turned 65 - about - 11 months ago."

                         D7                    G                    Em  
 I was sittin' - in Miami pourin' blended whiskey down  
                  G                    D                    A7                    D  
 When this old gray black gentleman - was cleanin' up the lounge

                         D7                    G                    Em  
 There wasn't - anyone around 'cept this old man and me  
                  A7                                    G                    A7 D  
 The guy who ran the bar was watchin' - "Ironsides" on TV

                         D7                    G                    Em  
 Uninvited, - he sat down and opened up his mind  
                  G                    D                    A7                    D  
 On old dogs and children - and watermelon wine

                         D7                    G                    Em  
 "Ever had - a drink - of watermelon wine?" he asked  
 A7                                    G                    A7    D  
 He told me all about it - though I didn't answer back  
                          D7                    G                    Em  
 "Ain't but three things - in this world that's worth a solitary dime  
                  G                    D                    A7                    D                    B7  
 But old dogs and children and watermelon wine."

