

My  
I E I G I A I E I  
Child arrived just the other day he came to the world in the usual way but there were  
I E I G I A I E I  
Planes to catch and bills to pay he learned to walk while I was away he was  
I D A/C# I Bm /A I G Bm/F# I E I  
Talking 'for I knew it and as he grew he said I'm gonna be like you dad you  
I G Bm/F# II: E :II  
Know I'm gonna be like you and the

I E I D I G I A I  
Cat's in the cradle and the silver spoon little boy blue and the man in the moon  
I E I D I G Bm/F# I E I  
When you comin' home dad I don't know when we'll get to - gether then you  
I G Bm/F# II: E :II  
Know we'll have a good time then my

I E I G I A I E I  
Son turned ten just the other day he said thanks for the ball dad come on let's play can you  
I E I G I A I E I  
Teach me to throw I said not today I got a lot to do he said that's OK he  
I D A/C# I Bm /A I G Bm/F# I E I  
Walked a - way but his smile never dimmed it said I'm gonna be like him yeah you  
I G Bm/F# II: E :II  
Know I'm gonna be like him and the

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I G Bm/F# II: E :II  
Know we'll have a good time then well he

I E I G I A I E I  
Came from college just the other day so much like a man I just had to say son I'm  
I E I G I A I E I  
Proud of you can you sit for a while he shook his head and he said with a smile what I'd  
I D A/C# I Bm /A I G Bm/F# II: E :II  
Really like dad is to borrow the car keys see you later can I have them please and the

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I G Bm/F# II: E :II  
Know we'll have a good time then I've

I E I G I A I E I  
Long since retired my son's moved away I called him up just the other day I said I'd  
I E I G I A I E I  
Like to see you if you don't mind he said I'd love to dad if I could find the time my  
I D A/C# I Bm /A I G Bm/F# I E I  
New job's a hassle & the kids have the flu but it's sure nice talkin' to you dad it's  
I G Bm/F# II: E :II  
Sure nice talkin' to you and as I

I D A/C# I Bm /A I G Bm/F# I E I  
Hung up the phone it oc - curred to me he'd grown up just like me my  
I G Bm/F# II: E :II  
Boy was just like me

I E I D I G I A I  
Cat's in the cradle and the silver spoon little boy blue and the man in the moon  
I E I D I G Bm/F# I E I  
When you comin' home dad I don't know when we'll get to - gether then you  
I G Bm/F# II: E :II  
Know we'll have a good time then