

LOVE OF THE COMMON PEOPLE

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Living on free food tickets
Water in the milk from a hole in the roof
where the rain came through
What can you do?

Tears from your little sister
Crying because she doesn't have a dress without a patch
for the party to go
But you know she'll get by

'Cause she's livin' in the love of the common people
Smiles from the heart of a family man
Daddy's gonna buy you a dream to cling to
Mama's gonna love you just as much as she can
And she can

It's a good thing you don't have a bus fare
It would fall through the hole in your pocket
You'd lose it in the snow on the ground
Gotta walk into town to find a job

Tryin' to keep your hands warm
When the hole in your shoe lets the snow come through
And chill you to the bone
You'd better go home where it's warm

(Where) you can live in the love of the common people
Smiles from the heart of a family man
Daddy's gonna buy you a dream to cling to
Mama's gonna love you just as much as she can
And she can

[BREAK]

Living on a dream ain't easy
But the closer the knit, the tighter the fit
And the chills stay away
Take 'em in stride for family pride

You know that faith is your foundation
And a whole lot of love and a warm conversation.
But don't forget to pray
Makin' it strong, where you belong

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