

# The Brothers Chastang

Bargain Music

Daddy always thought he and mom would be forever  
But mama knew it was time to leave  
Daddy sat his four little boys down and told them "My love your mama  
don't believe"  
There's one more thing that I need to tell you  
One little wish before I go  
That the insane love I feel for your mama none of you boys will ever  
know  
Bang! Bang! Daddy's dead!  
Only hope you felt no pain  
So goes the long, long tale, the tale of the Brothers Chastang

Jeremy was the oldest he was hit the hardest  
He had to become a 12 year old man  
As the years went by he had a bad reputation  
The locals they just couldn't understand  
Anger turned to hurt, hurt turned back to anger  
But anger stayed it never seemed to leave  
The winters grew colder, the boys they grew older  
Jeremy, Nick, and Ben and little Steve  
"God Damn!" Stevie yelled  
Nick agreed cause he felt the same  
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It's always been a hard thing making money in Virginia  
Ben was running moonshine down to South Carolina  
Ben he heard the sirens and he felt the thunder  
As he pulled over he made sure the gun was loaded  
Bang! Bang! The law is dead!  
His blood had spilled across both lanes  
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On his way to Mexico Ben called up his brother  
"I love you boy there's no time for tears  
Something all god damn fucked up now has happened  
I won't be back for at least 10 years"  
Ben had borrowed Nick's car to run down the moonshine  
While Nick he got himself a brand new wife  
In Virginia all the cop cars have now got computers  
And Nick he got locked away for life  
Ben he never made it back up to Virginia  
The boys had another reason for grief  
But Stevie said the circle of pain must be broken  
It's time to turn over a new leaf  
He wanted to open some kind of business  
He bought the gas station on site  
Jeremy needed the shift off and Steve said alright  
He wasn't supposed to be there that night  
Bang! Bang! Stevie's dead!  
Hunger drove the robber insane  
So goes the sad, sad tale, the tale of the Brothers Chastang