

# I Ain't Got Nobody

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There's a saying going 'round and I begin to think it's true  
It's awful hard to love someone, when they don't care 'bout you  
Once I had a lovin' man, as good as many in this town  
But now I'm sad and lonely, for he's gone and turned me down, n  
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I ain't got nobody and nobody cares for me

I got the blues, the weary blues  
And I'm sad and lonely, won't somebody come and take a chance w  
ith me?  
I'll sing sweet love songs honey, all the time  
If you'll come and be my sweet baby mine  
'Cause I ain't got nobody, and nobody cares for me

Won't somebody go and find my man and bring him back to me  
It's awful hard to be alone and without sympathy  
Once I was a loving gal, as good as any in this town  
But since my daddy left me, I'm a gal with her heart bowed down