

## This Ain't Nothin'

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He was standing in the rubble of an old farmhouse outside Birmingham  
When some on the scene reporter stuck a camera in the face of that old man  
He said "tell the folks please mister, what are you gonna do  
Now that this twister has taken all that's dear to you"  
The old man just smiled and said "boy let me tell you something  
, this ain't nothing"

He said I lost my daddy, when I was eight years old,  
That cave-in at the Kincaid mine left a big old hole,  
And I lost my baby brother, my best friend and my left hand  
In a no win situation in a place called Vietnam  
And last year I watched my loving wife, of fifty years waste away and die  
And I held her hand til her heart of gold stopped pumping,  
So this ain't nothin'

He said I learned at an early age,  
There's things that matter and there's things that don't  
So if you're waiting here for me to cry,  
I hate to disappoint you boy, but I won't  
Then he reached down in the rubble and picked up a photograph  
Wiped the dirt off of it with the hand that he still had  
He put it to his lips and said man she was something  
But this ain't nothin'

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This ain't nothin' time won't erase  
And this ain't nothin' money can't replace  
He said you sit and watch your loving wife fifty years fighting  
for her life  
Then you hold her hand til her heart of gold stops pumping  
Yeah boy that's something,  
So this ain't nothin'  
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