Dave Dudley

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Papa writes to Johnny but Johnny can't come home Johnny can't come home, no, Johnny can't come home Papa writes to Johnny but Johnny can't come home He's been on that chain gang too long

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High sheriff and police ridin' after me Ridin' after me, comin' after me High sheriff and police they' ridin' after me And I feel like I've gotta travel on

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Wanna see my baby, wanna see her bad Wanna see her bad, I've gotta see her bad Wanna see my baby, I wanna see her bad She's the best gal this poor boy ever had

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