

Shortnin' Bread

The Kelly Family

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And that ain't all that she's gonna do
She's gonna make a little coffee too yeah

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Three little children lyin' in bed
Two was sick and the other most dead
Sent for the doctor, the doctor said
Give them children some shortnin' bread

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When them children sick in bed
Heard that talk about shortnin' bread
Popped up well and dance and sing
Skipin 'round cut the pigeon wing yeah

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