Coffee Blues

Lightnin' Hopkins

Mama got mad at papa 'cause he didn't bring no coffee home Mama got mad at papa 'cause he didn't bring no coffee home She begin to wonder what is going on wrong

Papa said, "Mama, I ain't mad with you, now, don't you get mad with me Baby, I ain't mad with you, now, don't you get mad with me"

Papa must have been teasing mama 'cause she said, "I ain't mad with you" Papa must have been teasing mama 'cause she said, "I ain't mad with you" She said, "Everything's all right; don't make no difference what you do"

And I was crying for bread, and yes, I, Baby, I was crying for bread; and these are the words I said

It was early one evening but papa came home late at night It was early one evening but papa came home late at night That's when mama was mad and her and papa began to fight