

# Busload of Faith

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You can't depend on your family  
You can't depend on your friends  
You can't depend on a beginning  
You can't depend on an end

You can't depend on intelligence  
Ooh, you can't depend on God  
You can only depend on one thing  
You need a busload of faith to get by, watch, baby

Busload of faith to get by  
Busload of faith to get by  
Busload of faith to get by  
You need a busload of faith to get by

You can depend on the worst always happening  
You can depend on a murderer's drive  
You can bet that if he rapes somebody  
There'll be no trouble having a child

You can bet that if she aborts it  
Pro-lifers will attack her with rage  
You can depend on the worst always happening  
You need a busload of faith to get by, yeah

Busload of faith to get by  
Busload of faith to get by  
Busload of faith to get by, baby  
Busload of faith to get by

You can't depend on the goodly hearted  
The goodly hearted made lamp-shades and soap  
You can't depend on the Sacrament  
No Father, no Holy Ghost

You can't depend on any churches  
Unless there's real estate you want to buy  
You can't depend on a lot of things  
You need a busload of faith to get by, woh

Busload of faith to get by  
Busload of faith to get by  
Busload of faith to get by, baby  
Busload of faith to get by

You can't depend on no miracle  
You can't depend on the air  
You can't depend on a wise man  
You can't find 'em because they're not there

You can depend on cruelty  
Crudity of thought and sound  
You can depend on the worst always happening  
You need a busload of faith to get by, ha

Busload of faith to get by  
Busload of faith to get by

Busload of faith to get by  
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