Taking A Child By The Hand

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Taking a child by the hand
Teaching him just how to stand
So he'll accept what tomorrow may bring
Taking a child for a king

Taking a child in your arms

And as you feel your heart sing

Drying his tears as you're letting him cling

Taking a child for a king

Taking a child to your heart Soothing away his distress Softly in silence to soothe and caress Taking a child to your heart

Taking a child in your arms

And as you feel your heart sing

Tears start to fall as you're letting him cling

Taking a child for a king

Taking a child by the hand Singing him nursery rhymes So that he'll sleep at the end of the day Singing his troubles away

Taking a child to your breast Soothing away his unrest And looking on to the future you've planned Taking a child by the hand

Years on your own, now no longer alone Taking a child for your own