

# Mother

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Ever since the lord called  
And she left us  
Parts of her flow through me  
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Mother's love away

Mama could be strong but you knew that she loved you  
She taught me how to walk and talk and pray  
Since she's gone on a heaven  
All those memories of those days  
And i think of the things that i didn't get a chance to say

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Always there the first thing the morning  
Making sure that i got up for school  
Get yourself ready to go  
She said go to class and learn some more  
And remember that there's no one in the word better than you  
That's why i miss my mother

There ain't no blues that have been written  
That could make me feel this way  
I lost the one that was there for me all my life  
The day the Lord took mama far away