

## Book Faded Brown

The Band

Another autumn night, it's getting chilly  
Birds are gathering : 'round, getting ready  
The moon and the sun are both so heavy, barely off the ground  
He's turning the wheels of his daddy's plow  
Sowing the land that's been handed down  
Singing a song from a book that's faded brown.

Mary she's on the step, she's waiting  
Hair is like a light from heaven  
The family comes together now, believe in what they found  
Grace is said at the table round  
A prayer before they settle down  
Side by side in a book that's faded brown.

Have you ever wondered why  
There's a rainbow in the sky ?  
It's all the tears that God has been crying  
And it leaves the world  
And it leaves the world  
With a rainbow for a crown, oh.

Those that said, said they're the outsiders  
Are only easy riders on a horse that's going lame  
For the way of the world is upside down  
They can all hold hands when they walk through town  
Side by side with a book that's faded brown.

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By the way have I told you already  
That his parents were buried by a tree that they loved  
The way of the world is upside down  
Even the flowers stood without a sound  
Pressed together in a book that's faded  
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Bound together in a book that's faded brown.