

God Bless The Child

Ballad

Form: 2x

Intro: Last 4

Ending: as written

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A $Bb\Delta^7$ Bb^7 Eb^6 $Bb\Delta^7$ Bb^7 Eb^6 $F-7$ Bb^7

Them that's got shall get, them that's not shall lose, so the Bi - ble said, and it

$F-7$ Bb^7 $Eb\Delta^7$ $Eb-6$ $D-7$ $G7b^9$

still is news; Ma - ma may have, Pa - pa may have, but God Bless' the child that's

$C-7$ F^7 Bb^6

got his own! That's got his own yes, the

A $Bb\Delta^7$ Bb^7 Eb^6 $Bb\Delta^7$ Bb^7 Eb^6 $F-7$ Bb^7

strong gets more, while the weak ones fade, emp - ty pock - ets don't ev - er

$F-7$ Bb^7 $Eb\Delta^7$ $Eb-6$ $D-7$ $G7b^9$

make the grade; Ma - ma may have, Pa - pa may have, but God Bless' the child that's

$C-7$ F^7 Bb^6 $A-7b^5$ $D7b^9$

got his own! That's got his own.

B $G-$ $G-\Delta^7$ $G-7$ $G-6$ $D-7$ $A-7b^5$ $D7b^9$

Mo - ney, you got lots o' friends, crowd - in' 'round the door,

G- G-Δ7 G-7 G-6 D-7 G7 C-7 F7

when you're gone and spend - in' ends, — they don't come no more. Rich re -

A BbΔ7 Bb7 Eb6 BbΔ7 Bb7 Eb6 F-7 Bb7 F-7 Bb7

la - tions give, crust of bread, and such, you can help your - self, but don't take too much!

EbΔ7 Eb- D-7 G7b9 C-7 F7

Ma - ma may have, Pa - pa may have, but God Bless' the child that's got his own! that's

Bb6 (C-7 F7)

got his own.