

Blended Family (What you do for love)
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[INTRO] Cm Eb Bb F x2

[VERSE]

Cm Eb Bb F
Hey I might not really be your mother
Cm Eb Bb F
But that don t mean that I don t really love ya
Cm Eb Bb F
And even though I married your father
Cm Eb Bb F
That s not the only reason I m here for ya

[PRE-CHORUS]

Cm
I think you re beautiful
Eb Bb F
I think you re perfect
F Cm
I know how hard it gets
Eb Bb F
But I swear it s worth it, worth it

[CHORUS]

Cm
Cause what you do, what you do,
Eb Bb F
what you do, what you do for love
Cm
There ain t nothing, there ain t nothing,
Eb Bb F
there ain t nothing I won t do for us
Cm Eb Bb F
It may not be easy, this blended family, but baby
Cm
Cause what you do, what you do,
Eb Bb F
what you do, what you do for love, love

[INSTRUMENTAL] Cm Eb Bb F

[VERSE]

Cm Eb Bb F
I know it started with a little drama
Cm Eb Bb F
I hate you had to read it in the paper
Cm Eb Bb F
But everything s over with me being your mama

Cm Eb Bb F
Baby everybody here you know adores ya

[PRE-CHORUS]

Cm
And I think it s beautiful
Eb Bb F
I think it s perfect
F Cm Eb
I know how hard it gets
Eb Bb F
But I swear it s worth it, worth it

[CHORUS]

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[BRIDGE]

Cm Eb Bb F Cm Eb Bb F
For love, for love
Cm Eb Bb F
Are you this real, my true love?
Cm Eb
Cause you re my baby, rejoice daily
Bb F
I believe love could bring us closer than blood
Cm Eb
I remember having four step moms at nine
Bb F
Loved Christmas time and birthday was fly
Cm Eb
Ate at my sisters just for dinner cause the cookin was bomb
Bb F
Her mother s supper made me love her like she took me to prom (uh)
Cm Eb
And shoutout to my sisters on welfare
Bb F
Flacko care, nobody else care

Cm **Eb**
 And shoutout to the step sisters and the step brothers
Bb **F**
 And god-sisters, who eventually slept with us
Cm **Eb** **Bb** **F**
 Real love, but you did it alright, alright
Cm **Eb**
 I m here for you
Eb **Bb** **F**
 Everything is alright, alright

[CHORUS]

Cm
 Cause what you do, what you do,
Eb **Bb** **F**
 what you do, what you do for love
Cm
 There ain t nothing, there ain t nothing,
Eb **Bb** **F**
 there ain t nothing I won t do for us
Cm **Eb** **Bb** **F**
 It may not be easy, this blended family, but baby
Cm
 Cause what you do, what you do,
Eb **Bb** **F**
 what you do, what you do for love, love
Cm **Eb** **Bb** **F**
 That s just what you do, yeah (for love)
Cm **Eb** **Bb** **F**
 For love of the babies (for love)
Cm **Eb** **Bb** **F**
 We re a blended family (for love)
Cm **Eb** **Bb** **F**
 And it s alright (for love)
Cm **Eb** **Bb** **F**
 Said it s alright!