

Blended Family (What you do for love)
Alicia Keys

[INTRO] **Bbm C# G# Eb** x2

[VERSE]

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

[PRE-CHORUS]

Bbm
I think you re beautiful
C# G# Eb
I think you re perfect
Eb Bbm
I know how hard it gets
C# G# Eb
But I swear it s worth it, worth it

[CHORUS]

Bbm
Cause what you do, what you do,
C# G# Eb
what you do, what you do for love
Bbm
There ain t nothing, there ain t nothing,
C# G# Eb
there ain t nothing I won t do for us
Bbm C# G# Eb
It may not be easy, this blended family, but baby
Bbm
Cause what you do, what you do,
C# G# Eb
what you do, what you do for love, love

[INSTRUMENTAL] **Bbm C# G# Eb**

[VERSE]

Bbm C# G# Eb
I know it started with a little drama
Bbm C# G# Eb
I hate you had to read it in the paper
Bbm C# G# Eb
But everything s over with me being your mama

Bbm C# G# Eb
Baby everybody here you know adores ya

[PRE-CHORUS]

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C# G# Eb
I think it s perfect
Eb Bbm C#
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[BRIDGE]

Bbm C# G# Eb Bbm C# G# Eb
For love, for love
Bbm C# G# Eb
Are you this real, my true love?
Bbm C#
Cause you re my baby, rejoice daily
G# Eb
I believe love could bring us closer than blood

Bbm C#
I remember having four step moms at nine
G# Eb
Loved Christmas time and birthday was fly
Bbm C#
Ate at my sisters just for dinner cause the cookin was bomb
G# Eb
Her mother s supper made me love her like she took me to prom (uh)
Bbm C#
And shoutout to my sisters on welfare
G# Eb
Flacko care, nobody else care

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

[CHORUS]

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