

Coat Of Many Colors

Dolly Parton

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Back through the years I go wondering once again

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Back to the seasons of my/ youth

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I re/call a box of rags that someone gave us

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And how my mamma put these rags to/ use

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There were/ rags of many colours, and every piece was small

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And I didn t have a coat and it was/ way down in the fall

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Mamma/ sewed the rags together, sewing/ every piece with love

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She made my/ coat of many colours, that/ I was so proud of

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As she sewed she told the story from the bible she had read

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About a coat of many colours Joseph/ wore and then she said

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Per/haps this coat will bring you, good/ luck and happiness

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And I just could/ n t wait to wear it

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And mamma/ blessed it with a kiss

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My. coat of many colours that/ my mamma made for me

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Made only from rags, but I/ wore it so proud/ ly

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Al/ though we had no money. oh I/ was rich as I could be

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In my/ coat of many colours, my/ mamma made for me

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So with patches on my breaches and holes in both my shoes

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In my coat of many colours, I/ hurried off to school

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Just to/ find the others laughing and mak/ in fun of me

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In my/ coat of many colours, my/ mamma made for/ me

Oh, I couldn t understand it, for I felt I was rich

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And I told them of the love my mamma/ sewed in ever stitch

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And I/ told them all the story ,mamma/ told me while she sewed

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And how my/ coat of many colours

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was worth/ more than all of their clothes

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They/ didn t under stand it and I/ tried to make them see

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That/ one is only poor only/ if they choose to be/

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Now I/ know we had no money,but I was as/ rich as I could be

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In my/ coat of many colours, my/ mamma made for me

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Made just for me.....