

Hows The Family
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Chords

A(barrÃ©): xx7655

C#m: x46654

Bm: x24432

Dm: xx0231 or x57765

Verse 1:

G#

How s the wife with the husband

Cm

Who doesn t understand

Bbm

Why she starts to cry each morning

C#m

And the coldness in her hands

G#

And the cold cold ballerina

Cm

Whose thoughts of love and life

Bbm

Have split her down the middle

C#m

Till she s cracked like walked on ice

G#

And the prince of fifteen years

Cm

With no roof over his life

Bbm

Cause his parents don t know of his meaning

C#m

Or his needle and his knife

Chorus:

G#

Cm

Eb

And how s the family

G#

Cm

Eb

How s the family

Verse 2:

G#

How s the tired widowed grandmother

Cm

Who has lost half of her life

Bbm

And the overweight aunt from nowhere

C#m

Who can cook but is no wife

G#

And she thinks its so disgusting

Cm

About the movies that are made

Bbm

And she sleeps with just a pillow

C#m

And a memory that fades

G#

Of a husband who had tried

Cm

To do everything so right

Bbm

Till his heart screamed and stopped beating

C#m

As he made love one last night

Chorus

G# **Cm** **Eb**

And how s the family

G# **Cm** **Eb**

How s the family

Verse 3:

G#

How s the boy and the girl

Cm

And the lives that lie ahead

Bbm

And from two they join as one

C#m

They say we ll love till we are dead

G#

And the babies come and grow

Cm

And the mothers laugh and cry

Bbm

And the men know who they re working for

C#m

And what s more they know why

G#

Cause its happy to be said

Cm

When tears can laugh at pain

Bbm

And if you love the thought of love

C#m

Your birth will never end

Chorus

G# **Cm** **Eb**

And how s the family

G# **Cm** **Eb**

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