Five Feet High And Risin Johnny Cash

4/4 John R. Cash Recorded 3/12/59 Five Feet High and Risin Standard Tuning Capo 1 Intro: A Strum Once No Chord How high s the water, Mama? Two feet high and risin . How high s the water, Papa? Two feet high and risin . / A We can / make it to the road, in a homemade boat, That s the / only thing we got left that ll float, It s / already over all the wheat and the oats, Two feet high and risin . How high s the water, Mama? Three feet high and risin How high s the water, Papa? Three feet high and risin . / C Well, the / hives are gone, I ve lost my bees. / C The / chickens are sleepin in the willow trees. Cow s in water up past her knees, Three feet high and risin . How high s the water, Mama? Four feet high and risin . How high s the water, Papa?

Five feet high and risin .

Well, it s / five feet high and risin .

Intro: My Mama always taught me that good things come from adversity. If we put our faith in the Lord.

couldn t see much good in the flood waters, when they were causin $\$ us to have to leave home. But when the

went down, we found that it had washed a load of rich black bottom dirt across our land.

The followin year we had the best cotton crop we d ever had. I remember hearin :