

**The Bees**

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Capo 1

Intro: **D**

**D**

I ve been looking for a sweeter side

Looking for a big bloom on a short vine

**G**

Looking for a better way of life

**D**

Somewhere that I can call home

**D**

Spent my time at a peach stand

Sun beatin like a stinging red tan

**G**

Like the back of my daddy s hand

**D**

The only thing I ve ever known

**A**

I can hear the bees buzzin through the walls

**G**

**D**

Making their honey and singing their song

**A**

They say I work for the queen all day

**G**

**D**

Yeah, I work for the queen all day

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**D**

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**D**

Ohhhh...

Ohhhh...

Sometimes it s a bitter taste

For a motherless child so out of place

I never understood why she ran away

Maybe I ll never know

But there s a light shinin through the trees

And a restless hum that s calling me

I could almost be carried by the breeze

And let it take me where it goes

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Now I m standing on the front porch  
Kettle whistling through the screen door  
Little footsteps on the kitchen floor  
Pretty soon we re gonna eat

Some things come right away  
Some seem to take forever and a day  
All I know is that it worked out either way  
I think I found a family

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